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## Foreword

### 1. Introduction

The environment in which trade statistics are collected has changed radically in recent years, leading to a detailed revision of the regulations. For statistics on trade with non-member countries, the introduction in 1988 of the Combined Nomenclature of goods (CN) and the Single Administrative Document had already led to considerable methodological changes. However, the major changes were brought about by the introduction of the single market on 1 January 1993. This led to the abolition of customs formalities between the Member States which had served as the traditional source of trade statistics, and the introduction of a special collection system called INTRASTAT. The accession of three new member states in 1995 led Eurostat to recalculate its historical series for the European Union to include Austria, Finland and Sweden; therefore figures published here concern the fifteen Members unless stated otherwise.

Trade statistics - both detailed and general results - have now proved their worth. They are an instrument of prime importance for all users, both public and private. For instance, they enable Community authorities to prepare for multilateral and bilateral negotiations on the common trade policy, they help European businesses carry out market surveys and thus improve their competitiveness and they are an essential source of information for statistics on the balance of payments, the national accounts and short-term economic studies. This non-exhaustive list highlights the variety of users and their requirements.

The monthly bulletin on external and intra-European Union trade, published by Eurostat in the B series, Short-term Trends, sets out to provide data on short-term trends in the trade of the European Union (considered as a whole) and its Member States. It contains data on the trade flows, broken down by major product group, of the EU with its main trading partners on the one hand and between the Member States on the other.

Statistics on external trade and intra-EU trade are compiled on the basis of Community regulations. The same regulations are generally the basis for the compilation of statistics published nationally by each Member State. Nevertheless, methodological differences do arise, as a result of which Community statistics and national statistics do not match exactly.

In view of the importance of trade by members of the European Free Trade Association (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway and Switzerland) with the European Union, Eurostat has added a description of trade with these countries (Chapter 6) to that usually

given for Member States only. Eurostat also foresees broadening this information to include non-member countries (notably central and eastern European countries) in accordance with bilateral agreements yet to be finalised.

Statistics on external trade and intra-EU trade at the most detailed classification level are published monthly on CD-Rom (Series B: intra and extra-EU trade). They are also available on-line from Eurostat's database (Comext, Newcronos). Trends in external trade since 1958 and a comparison with world trade are contained in the publication "*External and Intra-EU Trade Statistical Yearbook (Series A)*".

### 2. Intra-EU trade

Statistics on trade between the Member States are based on Council Regulation (EC) N° 3330/91 of 7 November 1991 and on the various implementing regulations which have supplemented it or laid down rules on methodology, thresholds and forms. The system set up for the collection of information on trade between the Member States as from 1 January 1993 is commonly known as Intrastat. Its main features are:

- monthly statistical declarations sent directly by businesses to the competent national authorities;
- a system of thresholds abolishing all statistical obligations for almost two thirds of businesses;
- a close link with the VAT system.

Because of the introduction of this new system, the comparability of the intra-EU results prior to and after 1 January 1993 is limited, owing to a degree of under-estimation of flows. This was caused by the failure of some businesses to respond and to the introduction of thresholds which exclude the smallest businesses.

To correct this under-estimation, which varies according to the Member State, some countries make adjustments at an aggregate level (in general by partner country). Arrivals, i.e. imports from other EU countries, are particularly under-estimated. Consequently, Eurostat considers dispatches now to be the most reliable gauge of intra-EU trade.

If the dispatches of a given Member State are compared with the corresponding arrivals of its partners, differences may emerge, mainly for the following reasons:

- non-response by certain businesses;



- the movement of goods such as industrial plants, boats and aircraft, automobile and aircraft parts, military equipment and transport equipment repairs, which are not generally harmonised;
- the difference in statistical values for dispatches (FOB) and arrivals (CIF);
- the threshold effect: a business may be obliged to provide statistical information in one Member State while its client or supplier, depending on the case, in the partner country may be dispensed from providing any or certain types of statistical information (e.g. product classification);
- errors or omissions.

For these reasons, figures on intra-EU trade should be interpreted with caution. They are also subject to frequent revision.

### **3. *Extra-EU trade***

For data on the years 1978 to 1995, the Member States forwarded statistics on trade outside the European Union in accordance with a uniform methodology provided for in Council Regulation (EEC) N° 1736/75 and the regulations deriving from it. Since the beginning of 1996, data have been collected, transmitted and diffused in accordance with Council Regulation (EC) N° 1172/95 and its implementing rules (Council Regulation (EC) N° 840 196) which however retain the former methodological principles.

External trade statistics are usually recorded on the basis of customs declarations submitted by the declarant when clearing customs. The Single Administrative Document is used for this purpose. In some Member States, certain businesses are allowed to make a summary declaration.

## Methodological notes and sources

### 1. Data sources

The tables in this publication on EU trade and that of the Member States were compiled by Eurostat using the detailed data forwarded by the Member States. Eurostat would like to take this opportunity to thank the departments concerned in the Member States for their co-operation, which makes it possible to compile these harmonised statistics and guarantee their quality.

Some of the tables in the first two parts describe the development of external trade as declared by some of the EU's most important trading partners. With the exception of Table 1C and the results concerning the EU, these tables were compiled from data taken from the tapes sent each month by the International Monetary Fund. The information in table 1C is taken from the Comtrade database, which is managed by the United Nations.

### 2. Coverage

Series concerning the European Union were recalculated to include Austria, Finland and Sweden, and therefore relate to the Union of 15 members unless stated otherwise.

#### 2.1. Statistical territory

The statistical territory of the European Union comprises the customs territory of the European Union. From 1 January 1997 the statistical territory of France and Spain was modified to include respectively the French overseas departments (Guadeloupe, Guyana, Martinique and Réunion) and the Canary Islands. The series concerning the Union and these two Member States will be recalculated as soon as Eurostat disposes of the necessary data

In the meantime this modification has led to a growth in intra-EU trade and a reduction in extra-EU trade which in 1995 amounted to ECU 10.6 billion for exports and ECU 1.6 billion of imports. The overall effect of this change on the European Union trade balance with the rest of the world will be a reduction in the trade surplus of almost ECU 9 billion.

Likewise, Greenland, Ceuta and Melilla are not covered, nor are the overseas countries and territories which are not part of the EU customs territory.

#### 2.2 Intra-EU trade

Statistics on trade between the Member States cover the arrivals and dispatches of movable property

recorded by each Member State. Arrivals and dispatches are defined as follows:

- *arrivals* are goods in free circulation within the European Union which enter the statistical territory of a given Member State;
- *dispatches* are goods in free circulation within the European Union which leave the statistical territory of a given Member State to enter another Member State.

Goods placed under the customs arrangements of inward processing or processing under customs control (for working, processing or repairs) are also regarded as arrivals or dispatches.

The reader should also note that statistics on trade between the Member States do not cover goods in transit.

#### 2.3. Extra-EU trade

Statistics on trade with non-member countries cover movable property imported and exported by the European Union. The definitions are as follows:

- *imports* are goods which enter the statistical territory of the European Union from a non-member country and are placed under the customs procedure for free circulation (as a general rule goods intended for consumption), or following outward processing, or inward processing, or processing under customs control (goods for working, processing or repair) immediately, or after bonded warehousing;
- *exports* are goods which leave the statistical territory of the European Union for a non-member country after being placed under the customs procedure for exports (definitive export) or outward processing (goods for working, processing) or repair or following inward processing.

Statistics on trade with non-member countries do not, therefore, include goods in transit or those placed under a customs procedure for bonded warehousing or temporary entry (for fairs, exhibitions, tests, etc.) nor do they include re-export following entry under one of these procedures.

The field covered by statistics on trade with non-member countries corresponds to "special" trade. This method of accounting differs from that of "general" trade, which includes all goods entering the statistical territory and those leaving it, with the exception, however, of goods in transit. Goods

placed in bonded warehouses and exports of goods after bonded warehousing are included in the definition of general trade.

### **3. Statistical data**

#### *3.1. Trading partners: countries and economic areas*

The results are broken down by country and area in accordance with the "Country nomenclature for statistics on European Union external trade and trade between its Member States", referred to as the Geonomenclature (Geonom). For the purposes of presenting the results, Eurostat has defined geographical and economic areas.

In the case of exports (or dispatches), the country (or Member State) of final destination of the goods is the partner country.

The trading partner in the case of an intra-European Union arrival is always the Member State of consignment of the goods, even when the goods originate in non-member countries and have been placed in free circulation in the Member State of consignment. For imports (extra-EU trade) the partner country is the country of origin except in certain cases (returned goods, objects of art, etc.). Where two or more countries were involved in the production of certain goods, the country where the final processing or substantial working took place is considered to be the country of origin.

#### *3.2. Goods classification*

The most detailed results published by Eurostat and accessible to the public on magnetic medium are broken down according to the subheadings of the Combined Nomenclature (CN). This tariff and statistical nomenclature is based on the international nomenclature of the Harmonised System (HS) and comprises more than 10 000 eight-digit codes.

In this publication, the results are broken down by the sections and divisions of the UN Standard International Trade Classification (SITC Rev. 3 since 1988) by means of conversion tables drawn up by Eurostat on the basis of the CN.

#### *3.3. Statistical value*

Although the data is collected in units of national currency, the values set out in this bulletin have been expressed, after monthly conversion, in European Currency Units (ECU). The annex to the bulletin contains a table showing the conversion rates used. The reader should note that annual exchange rates are given for information only, annual values are calculated as the average of monthly values

#### *3.3.1. Intra-European Union trade*

The statistical value is based on the assessment for taxation purposes or the amount billed. It is the FOB (free on board) value for dispatches and the CIF (cost, insurance, freight) value for arrivals. It comprises only those subsidiary costs (freight and insurance) which relate, for dispatches, to the journey to the border of the Member State from which the goods are dispatched and, for arrivals, to the journey to the border of the Member State into which the goods enter.

In the case of arrivals or dispatches under an inward or outward processing arrangement and those for processing of work under contract, it is always the total value of the goods that is recorded and not simply the added value.

#### *3.3.2. Extra-European Union trade*

The statistical value is based on the amount billed (real or provisional) or if it exists, on the customs value. It is the FOB value for exports and the CIF value for imports. It comprises only those subsidiary costs (freight and insurance) which relate, for exports, to the journey within the territory of the Member State from which the goods are exported and, for imports, to the journey outside the territory of the Member State into which the goods are imported.

In the case of imports or exports under an inward or outward processing arrangement and those for processing of work under contract, it is always the total value of the goods that is recorded and not simply the added value.

#### *3.4. Statistical secrecy*

Most Member States take measures to guarantee the confidentiality of certain flows of goods. The legislation, the procedures for implementing it, and the range of goods subject to secrecy vary from one Member State to another.

This confidentiality applies to the most detailed level of the classification used for collecting the data: it may therefore refer to all or only part of a subheading of the Combined Nomenclature. Similarly, confidentiality may apply to imports only, or to exports only, or to only some of the variables recorded (value, statistical procedure, quantities, partner country, etc.).

Measures are taken during collection and during processing by Eurostat to minimise the effect of confidentiality on the results. In particular, subheadings which include confidential trade data are included at higher levels of aggregation and in totals.

## **4. Indices**

### **4.1. Introduction**

Changes over time in the value of trade are influenced by changes in prices and the quantities marketed. Eurostat calculates Fisher's annual chain indices to measure these two effects. This publication sets out the indices calculated according to the SITC for each Member State on a strictly comparable basis. These indices may be consulted in the TREND database.

### **4.2. Methodology**

The data transmitted for external trade and intra-European Union trade statistics are used at the most detailed level for calculating the indices. The indices of unit values (values divided by quantities) are used as price change indicators. The computer programs contain a system for automatically identifying extreme unit values.

Products having unlikely price movements are not included in the calculation of indices. More detailed methodological notes may be obtained on request.

## Symbols and abbreviations used

EU:	Total of the 15 EU Member States
B/L:	Belgo–Luxembourg Economic Union (BLEU)
USA:	United States of America
CEEC:	Countries of Central and Eastern Europe
CIS:	Commonwealth of Independent States
ACP:	Countries of Africa, the Caribbean and the Pacific which signed the Lomé Convention
EFTA:	Countries of the European Free Trade Agreement
NAFTA:	Countries of the North American Free Trade Agreement
MERCOSUR:	Countries of the Southern Common Market (South America)
OPEC:	Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries
DAE:	Dynamic Asian Economies
OECD:	Organization for Economic Co–operation and Development
IMF:	International Monetary Fund
0:	Data less than half the unit used
:	Data not available
↗:	Variation greater than, absolute value, 999.9%
Mio:	Million
Bn:	1000 million
ECU:	European Currency Unit
Eurostat:	Statistical Office of the European Communities
SITC:	Standard International Trade Classification

## Data sources

B:	Belgique	Banque Nationale de Belgique, Bruxelles
DK:	Danmark	Danmarks Statistik, København
D:	Deutschland	Statistisches Bundesamt, Wiesbaden
EL:	Ελλάδα	Εθνική Στατιστική Υπηρεσία Ελλάδας, Αθήνα
E:	España	Dirección General de Aduanas e Impuestos Especiales, Madrid
F:	France	Direction générale des douanes et droits indirects, Paris
IRL:	Ireland	Central Statistics Office, Dublin
I:	Italia	Istituto centrale di statistica, Roma
L:	Luxembourg	STATEC, Luxembourg
NL:	Nederland	Centraal Bureau voor de statistiek, Heerlen
A:	Österreich	Österreichisches Statistisches Zentralamt, Wien
P:	Portugal	Instituto Nacional de Estatística, Lisboa
FIN:	Suomi / Finland	National Board of Customs, Helsinki
S:	Sverige	Statistiska Centralbyran, Stokholm
UK:	United Kingdom	HM Customs and Excise, Southend–on–Sea
IS:	Iceland	Statistics Iceland, Reykjavik
NO:	Norway	Statistisk sentralbyrå, Oslo
CH:	Suisse	Direction générale des douanes, Berne
	Other Countries:	International Monetary Fund, Washington D.C.



## Trends in European Union trade

## MAIN TRENDS IN WORLD TRADE

In the first eight months of 1998 the European Union's trade balance was ECU 16 billion in surplus, while in 1997 there was a surplus of ECU 29 billion.

During January-August 1998 the United States' deficit was ECU 155 billion (against a deficit of ECU 117 billion in 1997), while Japan's external trade showed a surplus of ECU 62 billion (compared with a surplus of ECU 41 billion in 1997).

During the period the EU as a whole confirmed its position as the world's leading exporter while the United States was the most important world outlet.

The Euro-zone had a surplus of ECU 59 billion in the first eight months of 1998.

During January-August 1998 the EU's<sup>1</sup> external trade balance recorded a surplus of ECU 15.5 billion: in 1997 it had been ECU 29.2 billion. The growth rates of extra-EU exports and imports were +5.8% and +9.3% respectively, lower than the +15.3% and +15.4% recorded for the flows in 1997.

In January-August 1998 the EU as a whole was the leading world exporter, accounting for 18.1% of world exports (ECU 487.1 billion), while in imports it ranked second with 16.6% (ECU 471.6 billion).

In the first eight months of 1998 the United States' trade deficit worsened by ECU 38.0 billion compared with 1997, reaching ECU 155.1 billion. The growth rates of exports and imports were , the first lower, the other one higher than the EU at +3.3% and +10.0% respectively.

The United States took leading place in the world ranking of importers with a share of 19.8%, and was second amongst exporters with a share of 15.1%.

In January-August 1998 Japan's trade recorded a surplus of ECU 61.8 billion, up from the ECU 41.1 billion registered in 1997. The growth rates of Japanese exports and imports were -2.7% and -13.5% respectively.

As a result, the Japanese shares of world exports and imports were 8.7% and 6.1% respectively.

The EUR11<sup>2</sup> recorded a slightly increased surplus of ECU 58.8 billion in January-August 1998, compared with ECU 55.3 billion in 1997. The growth rates of EUR11 exports and imports were 8.1% and 8.3% respectively.

1 The European Union's figures for 1998 are provisional and subject to frequent revisions. The symbol ":" indicates that the figure is not available.

2 The external trade of the EUR-11 is the total of the extra-EU trade of the EUR-11 and intra-EU trade between the EUR-11 and the 4 EU Member States not taking part in EMU (Denmark, Greece, Sweden and the UK). Since this includes figures derived from two different systems of data collection the EUR-11 totals must be interpreted with caution.



	EXPORTS			IMPORTS			TRADE BALANCE		
	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug
<b>Value (Bn ECU)</b>									
World (intra EU-15 excluded) (*)	3 870.2	2 695.8	323.2	3 992.6	2 845.6	340.7			
European Union	720.5	487.1	52.9	671.0	471.6	51.4	49.5	15.5	1.4
United States	606.3	408.2	48.2	792.4	563.3	71.6	-186.1	-155.1	-23.4
Japan	371.3	235.6	25.2	298.6	173.8	19.6	72.7	61.8	5.6
Intra EU-15	1 165.7	815.1	79.9	1 110.7	769.5	77.8			
World (intra EU-15 included)	5 035.9	3 511.0	403.1	5 103.2	3 615.1	418.5			
<b>Annual variation</b>									
	(%)						Bn ECU		
World (intra EU-15 excluded) (*)	17.6	4.7	0.6	17.0	5.4	0.9			
European Union	15.3	5.8	-1.0	15.4	9.3	2.2	5.9	-13.6	-1.7
United States	23.6	3.3	-8.1	23.0	10.0	1.4	-32.7	-38.0	-5.2
Japan	14.6	-2.7	-19.1	8.5	-13.5	-22.9	24.1	20.7	-0.1
Intra EU-15	9.2	8.7	2.7	8.5	7.8	4.3			
World (intra EU-15 included)	53.1	36.3	25.5	49.5	33.9	24.0			
	<b>WORLD EXPORT SHARE (a)</b>			<b>WORLD IMPORT SHARE (a)</b>			<b>% TRADE BALANCE (b)</b>		
European Union	18.6	18.1	16.4	16.8	16.6	15.1	3.6	1.6	1.4
United States	15.7	15.1	14.9	19.8	19.8	21.0	-13.3	-16.0	-19.5
Japan	9.6	8.7	7.8	7.5	6.1	5.8	10.8	15.1	12.5

Memorandum Items	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug
	<b>Value (Bn ECU)</b>								
Euro-zone (EUR-11)	761.9	526.5	56.1	673.7	467.7	49.6	88.2	58.8	6.5
Intra EUR-11	749.8	529.3	49.9	715.8	501.8	49.8			
<b>Annual variation</b>									
	(%)						Bn ECU		
Euro-zone (EUR-11)	14.1	8.1	1.3	13.4	8.3	0.8	14.8	3.5	0.3
Intra EUR-11	6.4	9.8	4.4	6.3	9.2	7.2			

Sources:

EU-15: EUROSTAT-COMEXT

World: IMF-DOTS

USA: IMF-DOTS and Bureau of the Census

Japan: IMF-DOTS and Ministry of Finance

(a) Share of World Exports/Imports (intra EU-15 excluded)

(b) (Trade Balance/(Exports+Imports))\*100

(\*) EUROSTAT estimate

## EXTRA-EU TRADE BY MAIN PARTNER

EU trade with its Central and Eastern European (CEEC) partners had the largest surplus in the first eight months of 1998 (ECU 18 billion), followed by Latin America (ECU 9 billion). In contrast, trade with Japan and China registered the highest deficits (ECU 22 billion and 16 billion respectively).

Trade flows with the **United States** (the EU's most important individual partner, with shares of 19.6% and 20.5% respectively for exports and imports in 1997) showed a surplus of ECU 3.6 billion in January-August 1998. This represents an improvement compared with 1997 when EU-US trade had a surplus of ECU 1.3 billion. Export and import growth rates were particularly strong for exports and strong for imports at +16.5% and +14.2% respectively.

Between 1997 and 1998 the trade balance with **Japan** worsened by ECU 8.4 billion to an ECU 22.1 billion deficit. EU exports to Japan fell by -13.2%, while the growth rate of imports over the same period reached +13.7%.

EU trade with the **EFTA** countries improved to be in surplus by ECU 6.0 billion. The EU growth rates for exports and imports to these countries in the first eight months of 1998 were moderate in exports and rather weak in imports at +7.7% and +3.0% respectively.

In January-August 1998, EU exports to the **CEEC** and **CIS** grew (+17.6% and +12.0% respectively), while imports had a divergent pattern, with growth of +20.0% with the CEEC, and a fall of -9.0% for the CIS. The EU trade balances with these partners improved by ECU 2.0 billion for the CEEC and by ECU 4.3 billion for the CIS. As a result there were

surpluses of ECU 18.3 billion with the CEEC and ECU 3.6 billion with the CIS.

Extra-EU exports to **Africa** rose by +15.8% while imports fell by -3.0%, resulting in a trade surplus of ECU 2.5 billion.

The export and import growth rates for **Latin America** were also divergent at +14.5% and +3.1% respectively. This resulted in the trade surplus improving to ECU 8.8 billion.

EU exports to the **DAE** and **other Asian countries** in January-August 1998 show the effect of the financial crisis in the region, with falls of -22.0% and -8.6% respectively. The results were the opposite for imports, with growth rates of +16.6% for the DAE countries and +5.1% for other Asian countries. As a result, the EU balance with the DAE worsened to a deficit of ECU 9.5 billion and the surplus with the other Asian countries fell by 49% to ECU 6.9 billion.

The first eight months of 1998 saw a rise in EU exports and imports to **China** (+18.1% and +16.1% respectively). As a result, the EU-China trade deficit rose by ECU 2.0 billion to reach ECU 15.8 billion.

Trade with **Oceania** showed a surplus of ECU 3.4 billion in January-August 1998, a fall of ECU 1.0 billion in comparison with 1997. Growth rates were divergent at +1.8% for exports and +20.2% for imports.

	EXPORTS				IMPORTS				TRADE BALANCE		
	1997 % share	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug	1997 % share	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug
	<b>Value (Bn ECU)</b>										
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>720.5</b>	<b>487.1</b>	<b>52.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>671.0</b>	<b>471.6</b>	<b>51.4</b>	<b>49.5</b>	<b>15.5</b>	<b>1.4</b>
United States	19.6	141.3	105.3	11.1	20.5	137.7	101.7	10.7	3.5	3.6	0.4
Japan	5.0	36.1	21.1	2.3	8.9	59.6	43.3	4.8	-23.5	-22.1	-2.5
EFTA (1)	10.8	78.0	54.6	6.0	12.0	80.3	53.6	5.0	-2.3	1.0	0.9
CEEC (2)	12.1	87.3	64.4	7.0	9.0	60.5	46.1	5.1	26.8	18.3	1.9
CIS	4.7	33.5	22.6	2.5	4.7	31.8	19.0	2.1	1.7	3.6	0.3
Africa	7.2	52.0	38.3	3.9	8.4	56.6	35.8	3.8	-4.5	2.5	0.1
Latin America	6.3	45.1	32.7	4.1	5.1	34.5	23.8	2.8	10.6	8.8	1.3
DAE (3)	10.8	77.6	40.5	4.5	10.1	67.8	49.9	5.7	9.9	-9.5	-1.3
China	2.3	16.5	11.1	1.4	5.6	37.4	26.9	3.4	-21.0	-15.8	-1.9
Asia other (4)	11.2	81.0	47.7	4.8	9.1	61.3	40.8	4.7	19.6	6.9	0.1
Oceania	2.3	16.4	10.6	1.2	1.4	9.1	7.2	0.7	7.3	3.4	0.5
<b>ACP</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>20.4</b>	<b>14.8</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>22.8</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>-2.4</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>-0.0</b>
<b>Mediterranean Basin</b>	<b>11.6</b>	<b>83.7</b>	<b>57.5</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>57.3</b>	<b>38.5</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>26.4</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>1.9</b>
<b>ASEAN (5)</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>45.7</b>	<b>20.1</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>46.1</b>	<b>32.8</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>-12.8</b>	<b>-1.6</b>
<b>OPEC</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>52.2</b>	<b>31.8</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>52.0</b>	<b>30.0</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>-0.2</b>
<b>NAFTA</b>	<b>22.6</b>	<b>162.8</b>	<b>121.7</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>23.0</b>	<b>154.0</b>	<b>112.8</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>1.0</b>
	Variation 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			Variation 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			absolute annual variation		
<b>Extra EU-15</b>		<b>15.3</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>-1.0</b>		<b>15.4</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>-13.6</b>	<b>-1.7</b>
United States	1.3	23.5	16.5	5.7	1.1	22.1	14.2	8.6	1.9	2.3	-0.2
Japan	-0.7	1.2	-13.2	-12.6	-0.1	13.5	13.7	4.6	-6.6	-8.4	-0.5
EFTA (1)	-0.8	7.5	7.7	11.2	-0.9	7.5	3.0	-8.4	-0.2	2.3	1.1
CEEC (2)	0.8	23.2	17.6	13.1	0.4	20.9	20.0	19.5	6.0	2.0	-0.0
CIS	0.7	34.9	12.0	-10.4	0.2	19.6	-9.0	-14.0	3.5	4.3	0.1
Africa	-1.4	-3.1	15.8	6.5	-0.6	7.7	-3.0	-13.8	-5.7	6.3	0.8
Latin America	0.6	27.0	14.5	11.4	-0.1	14.0	3.1	1.7	5.4	3.4	0.4
DAE (3)	-0.4	10.9	-22.0	-26.6	0.2	18.0	16.6	10.2	-2.7	-18.5	-2.1
China	-0.1	11.9	18.1	18.2	0.4	24.8	16.1	6.8	-5.7	-2.0	0.0
Asia other (4)	0.1	16.7	-8.6	-21.0	-0.0	15.2	5.1	-3.5	3.5	-6.5	-1.1
Oceania	-0.0	13.1	1.8	-6.7	0.0	16.0	20.2	9.8	0.6	-1.0	-0.2
<b>ACP</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>-2.7</b>	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>-3.0</b>	<b>-18.3</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>0.3</b>
<b>Mediterranean Basin</b>	<b>-0.0</b>	<b>14.8</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>15.6</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>-4.8</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>0.3</b>
<b>ASEAN (5)</b>	<b>-0.2</b>	<b>11.7</b>	<b>-34.7</b>	<b>-42.4</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>19.7</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>-2.8</b>	<b>-14.4</b>	<b>-1.8</b>
<b>OPEC</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>21.8</b>	<b>-4.0</b>	<b>-18.3</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>-9.2</b>	<b>-16.8</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>-0.0</b>
<b>NAFTA</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>25.0</b>	<b>17.0</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>20.9</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>0.0</b>

Source: EUROSTAT-COMEXT

1) Switzerland, Norway, Iceland, Liechtenstein

2) Poland, Czech Republic, Slovakia, Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria, Albania, Latvia, Lithuania, Estonia, Slovenia, Croatia, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Serbia, FYROM

3) Singapore, Taiwan, Hong Kong, South Korea, Thailand, Malaysia

4) Lebanon, Syria, Iraq, Iran, Israel, Gaza, Jordan, Saudi-Arabia, Kuwait, Bahrain, Qatar, United Arab Emirates, Oman, Yemen, Afghanistan, Pakistan, India, Bangladesh, Maldives, Sri Lanka, Nepal, Bhutan, Burma, Laos, Vietnam, Cambodia, Indonesia, Brunei, Philippines, Mongolia, North Korea, Macao

5) Thailand, Indonesia, Malaysia, Brunei, Singapore, Philippines, Vietnam

(\*) in percentage points

## EXTRA-EU TRADE BY MAIN PRODUCT

**In January-August 1998 the EU's trade balance in machinery and transport equipments recorded the greatest surplus (ECU 57 billion) while fuel products showed the largest deficit (ECU 35 billion).**

In the first eight months of 1998 the deficit on **primary goods (SITC 0-4)** fell slightly compared with 1997 to ECU 58.6 billion.

The EU trade deficit in fuel products (SITC 3) fell to ECU 35.4 billion while the deficit for food, beverages and tobacco (SITC 0+1) fell to ECU 3.7 billion. The deficit for other raw materials except fuel (SITC 2+4) also fell to ECU 19.5 billion.

Between 1997 and 1998 the growth rates of the flows for primary goods (which in 1997 accounted for 11% of total extra-EU exports and 26% of imports) were -4.8% for exports and -6.9% for imports. This fall was mainly due to fuel products (SITC 3), which recorded falls of -16.3% for exports and -19.0% for imports.

**Manufactured products (SITC 5-8)** accounted for 87% of total extra-EU exports and 71% of imports in 1997. During January-August 1998 the EU's external trade showed a surplus of ECU 78.1 billion compared with ECU 95.2 billion for 1997.

In the first eight months of 1998 the EU surplus for chemical products (SITC 5) fell to ECU 26.7 billion while that for machinery and transport equipment (SITC 7) fell to ECU 56.8 billion; other manufactured goods (SITC 6+8) recorded a deficit of ECU 5.4 billion.

Export and import growth rates for manufactured goods were +6.2% and +13.8% respectively.

SITC Products <sup>(1)</sup>	EXPORTS				IMPORTS				TRADE BALANCE		
	1997 % share	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug	1997 % share	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug
	<b>Value (Bn ECU)</b>										
<b>TOTAL PRODUCTS</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>720.5</b>	<b>487.1</b>	<b>52.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>671.0</b>	<b>471.6</b>	<b>51.4</b>	<b>49.5</b>	<b>15.5</b>	<b>1.4</b>
<i>PRIMARY GOODS (0-4)</i>	10.9	78.5	48.4	5.4	26.2	175.8	107.0	11.3	-97.3	-58.6	-6.0
Food (0+1)	6.4	45.8	29.2	3.3	7.2	48.3	32.9	3.6	-2.4	-3.7	-0.3
Crude materials (2+4)	2.2	15.7	9.6	1.1	6.4	42.7	29.1	2.9	-27.0	-19.5	-1.8
Fuel products (3)	2.4	17.0	9.6	1.0	12.6	84.9	45.0	4.8	-67.9	-35.4	-3.8
<i>MANUFACTURED GOODS (5-8)</i>	87.1	627.3	424.8	45.6	71.0	476.2	346.7	37.7	151.1	78.1	7.9
Chemicals (5)	12.9	93.0	63.8	7.0	7.7	51.4	37.1	3.7	41.7	26.7	3.3
Machinery and transport equipments (7)	45.9	330.8	225.9	24.1	34.1	228.5	169.1	18.2	102.3	56.8	5.9
Other manufactured (6+8)	28.2	203.4	135.1	14.5	29.3	196.3	140.5	15.8	7.1	-5.4	-1.2
<i>ARTICLES NOT CLASSIFIED (9)</i>	2.0	14.7	13.9	1.9	2.8	19.0	17.9	2.4	-4.3	-3.9	-0.6
	variation of share 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			variation of share 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			absolute annual variation		
<b>TOTAL PRODUCTS</b>		<b>15.3</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>-1.0</b>		<b>15.4</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>-13.6</b>	<b>-1.7</b>
<i>PRIMARY GOODS (0-4)</i>	-0.2	13.0	-4.8	-8.3	-1.3	10.1	-6.9	-16.4	-7.1	5.5	1.7
Food (0+1)	-0.2	12.0	0.0	-3.9	-0.6	6.7	5.0	3.2	1.9	-1.6	-0.2
Crude materials (2+4)	0.1	18.4	-5.7	-8.8	-0.1	14.4	3.9	-1.9	-3.0	-1.7	-0.1
Fuel products (3)	-0.1	11.0	-16.3	-19.7	-0.6	10.0	-19.0	-32.2	-6.1	8.7	2.0
<i>MANUFACTURED GOODS (5-8)</i>	0.2	15.6	6.2	-2.0	1.9	18.6	13.8	5.9	9.9	-17.1	-3.0
Chemicals (5)	0.3	17.7	5.1	-6.8	0.0	15.7	11.8	1.9	7.0	-0.8	-0.6
Machinery and transport equipments (7)	0.8	17.4	8.1	-0.4	1.8	21.6	16.8	9.7	8.3	-7.3	-1.7
Other manufactured (6+8)	-0.9	11.9	3.6	-2.2	0.1	15.9	10.8	2.8	-5.3	-9.0	-0.7
<i>ARTICLES NOT CLASSIFIED (9)</i>	-0.0	14.7	43.2	85.5	-0.6	-6.1	52.6	100.1	3.1	-2.0	-0.4

Source: EUROSTAT-COMEXT

1) Standard International Trade Classification - Revision 3

(\*) in percentage points

## EXTRA-EU TRADE BY MEMBER STATE

**Germany had the largest extra-EU surplus, followed by Italy and France, while the Netherlands and the United Kingdom registered the highest external deficits.**

Germany is the most important EU player in trade with third countries. Its 1997 share of total extra-EU exports amounted to 28% while the figure for imports was 24%. In January-August 1998 **Germany** was the EU Member State with the largest extra-EU trade surplus, ECU 26.5 billion. This was an improvement of ECU 2.4 billion compared with 1997. Germany's growth rates for exports and imports were very similar at +9.5% and +9.3% respectively.

The second-ranking country in trade value terms was the **United Kingdom** (which in 1997 accounted for 15% and 19% of exports and imports respectively). The UK also had the second largest trade deficit (ECU 19.9 billion) in the first eight months of 1998. This worsened by ECU 9.9 billion over 1997. UK exports fell by -2.6%, while imports grew by +9.9%.

During January-August 1998 **France's** growth rates for exports and imports were +9.7% and +7.3% respectively. As a consequence, France's trade surplus grew to ECU 11.7 billion.

**Italy** recorded a surplus of ECU 14.4 billion, a fall of ECU 1.3 billion in comparison with 1997. The growth rates of extra-EU exports and extra-EU imports were +4.3% and +8.6% respectively.

During the first eight months of 1998 the extra-EU deficit of the **Netherlands** grew by 2.6 billion compared with 1997. It has the largest deficit among the EU Member States (ECU 22.5 billion). This deficit must, however, be interpreted in conjunction with the intra-EU Dutch surplus and its transit role in EU trade. Between 1997 and 1998, Dutch exports and imports recorded growth rates of +6.7% and +9.6% respectively.

During January-August 1998 the **Belgium/Luxembourg (BLEU)** growth rates for exports and imports were +4.1% and +10.8% respectively. The trade deficit fell to ECU 3.1 billion.

**Spain** saw growth rates of +5.7% for exports and +9.3% for imports, which produced a rise in its deficit to ECU 5.1 billion.

In the first eight months of 1998 **Sweden** had a surplus of ECU 8.3 billion in its extra-EU trade balance. Sweden registered growth rates of +1.5% for exports and +5.1% for imports.

During January-August 1998 **Austria's** growth rates for exports and imports were +5.2% and +7.9% respectively, resulting in a surplus of ECU 2.5 billion.

In the first eight months of 1998 **Finland** had a surplus of ECU 4.8 billion in its extra-EU trade balance. Finland recorded growth rates of +7.4% for exports and +7.2% for imports and is one of the three Member states where exports grew faster than imports.

**Denmark** had growth rates of -2.8% for exports and +6.9% for imports and its surplus fell by 44% to ECU 1.0 billion.

**Ireland** registered very high growth rates in January-July 1998 +24.6% for exports and +33.1% for imports), and a surplus of ECU 1.9 billion.

**Greece** recorded growth rates of -0.9% for exports and +8.2% for imports. Its deficit fell to ECU 2.6 billion.

**Portugal** registered growth rates of +4.1% for exports and +5.8% for imports. Its deficit rose slightly to ECU 2.4 billion.

	EXPORTS				IMPORTS				TRADE BALANCE		
	1997 % share	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug	1997 % share	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug
	<b>Value (Bn ECU)</b>										
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>720.5</b>	<b>487.1</b>	<b>52.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>671.0</b>	<b>471.6</b>	<b>51.4</b>	<b>49.5</b>	<b>15.5</b>	<b>1.4</b>
Belgium and Luxembourg	5.4	39.1	26.3	2.6	6.1	41.0	29.4	3.3	-1.9	-3.1	-0.6
Denmark	2.0	14.6	9.2	1.1	1.8	11.8	8.2	1.0	2.8	1.0	0.1
Germany	27.9	201.0	139.6	16.4	23.9	160.4	113.1	13.1	40.6	26.5	3.2
Greece	0.7	4.9	3.1	0.4	1.2	8.2	5.7	0.6	-3.3	-2.6	-0.2
Spain	3.8	27.7	18.5	1.6	5.0	33.7	23.6	2.3	-6.0	-5.1	-0.8
France	14.0	101.2	70.5	6.8	12.8	85.7	58.8	5.8	15.5	11.7	1.0
Ireland	2.0	14.7	11.5	1.2	1.7	11.4	9.6	1.1	3.3	1.9	0.1
Italy	13.3	95.5	64.2	6.9	10.8	72.3	49.8	4.0	23.1	14.4	2.9
Netherlands	5.3	38.4	26.4	3.0	10.4	69.7	48.9	5.7	-31.3	-22.5	-2.7
Austria	2.8	19.8	13.1	1.4	2.3	15.4	10.6	1.2	4.4	2.5	0.3
Portugal	0.6	4.1	2.7	0.3	1.1	7.3	5.1	0.5	-3.3	-2.4	-0.3
Finland	2.4	17.1	11.6	1.3	1.5	9.9	6.8	0.8	7.2	4.8	0.5
Sweden	4.5	32.4	20.7	2.2	2.8	18.6	12.4	1.5	13.8	8.3	0.7
United Kingdom	15.3	110.0	69.8	7.7	18.7	125.5	89.6	10.4	-15.4	-19.9	-2.8
	variation of share 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			variation of share 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			absolute annual variation		
<b>Extra EU-15</b>		<b>15.3</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>-1.0</b>		<b>15.4</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>-13.6</b>	<b>-1.7</b>
Belgium and Luxembourg	0.2	20.4	4.1	-1.5	-0.0	15.1	10.8	2.1	1.2	-1.8	-0.1
Denmark	-0.1	8.1	-2.8	-1.5	-0.0	12.3	6.9	6.2	-0.2	-0.8	-0.1
Germany	-0.3	14.1	9.5	7.9	-0.8	11.8	9.3	5.2	7.9	2.4	0.6
Greece	-0.0	14.3	-0.9	26.8	-0.2	2.7	8.2	-1.3	0.4	-0.5	0.1
Spain	-0.6	0.6	5.7	-16.4	-0.0	15.1	9.3	-2.9	-4.3	-1.0	-0.2
France	-0.5	11.6	9.7	-3.2	-0.0	15.2	7.3	-6.1	-0.8	2.2	0.1
Ireland	0.3	33.8	24.6	-7.1	0.1	26.4	33.1	28.0	1.3	-0.1	-0.3
Italy	-0.9	7.8	4.3	2.2	-0.2	13.3	8.6	-3.7	-1.6	-1.3	0.3
Netherlands	0.4	23.6	6.7	-0.4	0.4	19.6	9.6	2.7	-4.1	-2.6	-0.2
Austria	0.1	20.6	5.2	-1.6	-0.1	11.4	7.9	-2.7	1.8	-0.1	0.0
Portugal	-0.0	7.6	4.1	-16.1	-0.0	11.5	5.8	-1.9	-0.5	-0.2	-0.0
Finland	0.0	16.1	7.4	-4.0	0.0	15.6	7.2	4.4	1.0	0.3	-0.1
Sweden	-0.1	13.0	1.5	-6.4	-0.1	12.4	5.1	-3.9	1.7	-0.3	-0.1
United Kingdom	1.5	27.4	-2.6	-11.7	0.9	21.1	9.9	6.2	1.8	-9.9	-1.6

Source: EUROSTAT-COMEXT

(\*) in percentage points

## INTRA-EU TRADE BY MEMBER STATE<sup>1</sup>

**In January-August 1998 the Netherlands and Germany produced the largest intra-EU surpluses while the United Kingdom and Greece recorded the highest intra-EU deficits.**

In the first eight months of 1998 intra-EU trade showed a total value for dispatches (i.e. exports, which are the more reliable measure of intra-EU trade) of ECU 815.1 billion. This represented an increase of +8.7% compared with 1997. Intra-EUR11 dispatches were ECU 529.3 billion, an increase of +9.8% over 1997.

As for extra-EU trade, **Germany** was the most important player in trade with EU partners, its 1997 share of total intra-EU trade amounting to around 22%. During the first eight months of 1998 it registered an intra-EU trade surplus of ECU 19.4 billion - a rise of ECU 7.9 billion compared with 1997. The growth rate for dispatches was greater than the EU average, at +10.5%, while arrivals (+6.1%) were lower.

**France** ranked second in volume of trade with EU partners with a 1997 share of 15%. In January-August 1998 its intra-EU trade had a deficit of ECU 3.7 billion. Growth rates for dispatches and arrivals were greater than the EU average, at +9.5% and +12.5% respectively.

The **United Kingdom's** intra-EU deficit worsened to ECU 7.3 billion (it is the largest deficit). The UK's growth rates for arrivals and dispatches in this period were low at +4.3% and +4.9% respectively.

The **Netherlands** was the Member State with the largest intra-EU surplus. During January-August 1998 it grew to ECU 30.8 billion, up by 1.8 billion on 1997. However, as mentioned previously, it must be stressed that this figure has to be interpreted in the light of the Dutch extra-EU deficit and its transit role in EU trade. The growth rates of Dutch intra-EU dispatches, at +5.1%, and arrivals, at +4.6%, were less than the average.

**Italy** had greater than average growth rates of +8.8% for dispatches and +10.4% for arrivals in 1998 compared with 1997. As a result, the intra-EU surplus went down by ECU 0.7 billion, to ECU 3.5 billion.

During January-August 1998 **Belgium/Luxembourg (BLEU)** recorded an overall surplus of ECU 12.1 billion. This represented an improvement of ECU 3.4 billion over 1997. Growth rates were the first, greater than, the second, less than the EU average (+8.9% for dispatches and +5.0% for arrivals).

**Spain** had high growth rates of +13.4% for dispatches and +16.7% for arrivals. Its deficit rose to ECU 5.4 billion.

**Sweden** had a surplus of ECU 1.7 billion, and growth rates of +10.9% for dispatches and +9.5% for arrivals.

**Austria** had the third deficit, ECU 6.4 billion, with low growth rates of +5.4% for dispatches and +3.2% for arrivals.

**Denmark** also had low growth rates (+2.8% for the dispatches, +7.7% for the arrivals), its trade was in balance.

Between 1997 and 1998 **Ireland** had very divergent growth rates for dispatches and arrivals of +23.7% and +10.8% respectively. As a result the trade surplus grew to ECU 10.1 billion.

**Portugal's** intra-EU trade was sluggish, with growth rates of +4.4% for dispatches and +8.0% for arrivals. Its trade deficit was ECU 4.5 billion.

**Finland's** dispatches rose faster than arrivals (+12.9% and +11.4% respectively), and as a result its surplus rose to ECU 1.6 billion.

**Greece** had the second deficit, ECU 6.4 billion, the same as in 1997, with negative growth rates of -10.9% for dispatches and -5.9% for arrivals.

<sup>1</sup> On 1 January 1993, following the abolition of customs controls in the EU, a new collection system for intra-EU data (Intrastat) was introduced. Instead of being derived from customs declarations, trade figures are now compiled from data provided directly by companies.



	DISPATCHES				ARRIVALS				TRADE BALANCE		
	1997 % share	1997 Jan-Aug	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug	1997 % share	1997 Jan-Aug	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug
	<b>Value (Bn ECU)</b>										
<b>Intra EU-15</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1 165.7</b>	<b>815.1</b>	<b>79.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1 110.7</b>	<b>769.5</b>	<b>77.8</b>			
Belgium and Luxembourg	9.8	114.8	81.3	8.1	9.2	101.8	69.2	7.3	13.0	12.1	0.8
Denmark	2.5	28.8	19.0	2.3	2.5	27.8	18.9	2.2	1.0	0.0	0.1
Germany	21.6	251.2	180.6	18.7	20.9	232.6	161.2	17.6	18.6	19.4	1.1
Greece	0.4	5.1	3.1	0.4	1.4	15.4	9.5	1.1	-10.4	-6.4	-0.7
Spain	5.2	60.7	43.4	3.2	6.1	67.3	48.8	4.1	-6.6	-5.4	-0.9
France	14.2	165.3	115.4	10.5	14.9	165.7	119.1	11.5	-0.4	-3.7	-1.0
Ireland	2.8	32.4	25.5	3.0	1.9	21.3	15.3	1.6	11.1	10.1	1.4
Italy	9.8	114.8	79.9	6.0	10.0	111.3	76.4	6.1	3.4	3.5	-0.1
Netherlands	12.4	144.9	97.7	10.6	8.9	98.5	66.9	7.2	46.3	30.8	3.4
Austria	2.8	32.7	21.9	2.1	3.8	42.6	28.3	3.1	-9.9	-6.4	-1.1
Portugal	1.5	17.1	11.6	0.8	2.1	23.6	16.1	1.4	-6.5	-4.5	-0.6
Finland	1.7	19.5	14.2	1.5	1.6	17.9	12.6	1.5	1.5	1.6	0.1
Sweden	3.5	40.6	28.6	3.1	3.5	39.2	26.9	3.1	1.4	1.7	-0.0
United Kingdom	11.8	138.0	93.0	9.5	13.1	145.7	100.3	9.9	-7.7	-7.3	-0.4
<b>Intra EUR-11</b>	<b>64.3</b>	<b>749.8</b>	<b>529.3</b>	<b>49.9</b>	<b>64.4</b>	<b>715.8</b>	<b>501.8</b>	<b>49.8</b>			
	variation of share 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			variation of share 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			absolute annual variation		
<b>Intra EU-15</b>		<b>9.2</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>2.7</b>		<b>8.5</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>4.3</b>			
Belgium and Luxembourg	-0.2	7.1	8.9	3.0	-0.3	5.3	5.0	3.5	2.4	3.4	-0.0
Denmark	-0.1	6.9	2.8	-2.7	0.0	10.5	7.7	6.7	-0.8	-0.8	-0.2
Germany	-0.6	6.0	10.5	1.7	-0.4	6.7	6.1	2.0	-0.4	7.9	-0.0
Greece	-0.0	2.1	-10.9	11.5	-0.0	7.7	-5.9	10.0	-1.0	0.2	-0.1
Spain	-0.2	6.0	13.4	10.3	-0.4	1.7	16.7	18.4	2.3	-1.9	-0.3
France	0.2	10.4	9.5	7.4	-0.4	5.8	12.5	10.9	6.6	-3.2	-0.4
Ireland	0.2	19.5	23.7	32.3	0.2	18.3	10.8	5.4	2.0	3.4	0.7
Italy	-0.5	4.2	8.8	-0.3	0.2	11.1	10.4	3.6	-6.6	-0.7	-0.2
Netherlands	0.3	12.1	5.1	-0.2	-0.1	7.1	4.6	4.3	9.0	1.8	-0.3
Austria	0.1	11.2	5.4	0.1	-0.1	6.1	3.2	3.8	0.9	0.2	-0.1
Portugal	0.0	9.3	4.4	-5.8	0.1	11.5	8.0	1.8	-1.0	-0.7	-0.1
Finland	0.0	10.2	12.9	4.1	0.0	11.0	11.4	11.9	0.0	0.3	-0.1
Sweden	-0.1	6.2	10.9	2.3	-0.0	8.4	9.5	2.8	-0.7	0.5	-0.0
United Kingdom	0.9	17.6	4.3	-2.3	1.1	18.7	4.9	-3.7	-2.3	-0.8	0.2
<b>Intra EUR-11</b>	<b>-1.7</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>-1.4</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>7.2</b>			

Source: EUROSTAT-COMEXT

(1) Since the introduction of Intrastat the value of dispatches has been consistently higher than the value of arrivals. In theory, as dispatches are declared FOB and arrivals CIF, the value of arrivals should be about 1% higher than dispatches. Eurostat believes that dispatches are the more reliable measure as arrivals are considered to be underestimated.

(\*) in percentage points

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Reporter	Partner countries															
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	
<b>DISPATCHES</b>																
Value (Bn ECU)																
Belgium/Luxembourg	81.3		1.0	21.2	0.6	3.6	19.2	0.5	6.3	13.3	1.2	0.9	0.7	1.8	11.0	
Denmark	19.0	0.6		6.1	0.2	0.7	1.6	0.2	1.1	1.3	0.3	0.2	0.9	3.1	2.8	
Germany	180.6	18.0	5.5		2.3	12.9	35.4	1.7	24.0	22.3	16.8	3.5	3.0	7.1	28.1	
Greece	3.1	0.1	0.0	1.0		0.1	0.2	0.0	0.9	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.4	
Spain	43.4	1.7	0.4	8.3	0.6		12.0	0.3	5.7	2.1	0.5	5.4	0.2	0.7	5.2	
France	115.4	13.7	1.6	30.1	1.5	15.3		1.3	17.0	8.1	2.0	2.8	0.9	2.6	18.6	
Ireland	25.5	2.1	0.3	6.0	0.1	0.9	3.0		1.2	2.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.6	8.3	
Italy	79.9	3.9	1.2	23.3	2.8	8.1	18.2	0.5		4.1	3.2	2.0	0.8	1.5	10.4	
Netherlands	97.7	15.4	2.0	34.2	0.9	4.1	13.1	1.0	7.4		2.0	1.2	1.2	2.9	12.5	
Austria	21.9	0.6	0.3	12.4	0.1	0.8	1.5	0.1	3.0	0.9		0.1	0.2	0.4	1.4	
Portugal	11.6	0.7	0.2	2.8	0.1	2.2	2.1	0.1	0.6	0.7	0.1		0.1	0.3	1.7	
Finland	14.2	0.6	0.7	2.9	0.3	0.6	1.3	0.2	1.0	1.1	0.3	0.1		2.4	2.5	
Sweden	28.6	2.2	2.9	5.5	0.3	1.2	2.5	0.4	1.6	2.8	0.5	0.3	2.6		4.5	
United Kingdom	93.0	8.1	1.9	19.6	1.0	6.6	15.5	9.3	8.1	12.6	1.1	1.6	1.4	4.2		
Annual variation (%)																
Belgium/Luxembourg	8.9		7.6	7.6	10.1	16.8	8.6	23.2	16.7	4.2	10.4	23.2	2.7	22.3	8.9	
Denmark	2.8	4.6		0.3	10.6	16.3	-1.2	4.6	7.2	7.4	12.9	6.9	21.6	-1.5	1.9	
Germany	10.5	4.1	3.2		12.8	18.2	13.2	25.4	12.3	7.0	8.5	13.8	10.4	7.3	11.8	
Greece	-10.9	-28.6	-17.0	-23.6		-2.1	-11.7	22.1	2.8	4.2	5.2	45.1	-35.1	-18.6	-4.8	
Spain	13.4	9.3	13.3	14.4	7.3		19.4	44.7	5.2	4.0	14.3	13.9	5.1	23.8	12.6	
France	9.5	3.4	9.7	10.2	3.2	19.8		24.5	8.6	5.8	13.2	15.1	19.9	12.5	5.7	
Ireland	23.7	47.9	-9.3	63.6	-8.0	31.1	25.8		19.7	-6.5	59.7	24.9	14.7	30.2	9.0	
Italy	8.8	8.0	4.1	4.2	11.2	18.8	11.6	11.0		6.2	3.3	11.4	12.4	13.7	9.2	
Netherlands	5.1	1.9	5.7	2.0	6.0	15.3	6.3	8.5	10.9		8.6	26.9	20.8	8.3	5.4	
Austria	5.4	6.8	10.8	5.4	-2.4	12.9	7.0	34.2	8.5	-2.7		2.6	5.5	-6.9	0.8	
Portugal	4.4	13.9	-15.5	0.4	3.1	14.0	5.4	8.4	10.6	-0.8	-9.0		-17.7	-0.4	2.3	
Finland	12.9	18.6	-4.4	13.7	144.1	23.3	31.6	-8.1	39.1	10.0	43.8	7.4		1.8	2.7	
Sweden	10.9	14.3	3.6	6.2	23.6	18.6	14.4	29.8	12.7	8.2	8.6	16.1	7.5		5.4	
United Kingdom	4.3	0.2	0.1	3.9	-1.9	7.5	2.5	4.0	12.8	-0.6	8.9	0.7	-0.0	7.1		
<b>ARRIVALS</b>																
Value (Bn ECU)																
Belgium/Luxembourg	69.2		0.5	18.5	0.1	1.8	13.2	2.1	3.9	16.2	0.6	0.6	0.7	2.5	8.4	
Denmark	18.9	1.0		5.9	0.0	0.4	1.5	0.3	1.3	2.0	0.3	0.2	0.7	3.4	2.1	
Germany	161.2	18.6	4.8		1.1	9.6	31.9	3.1	21.2	30.0	11.0	2.9	2.7	5.2	19.0	
Greece	9.5	0.5	0.2	2.1		0.7	1.3	0.1	2.2	0.9	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.8	
Spain	48.8	2.7	0.5	11.2	0.1		13.3	1.0	6.6	3.6	0.7	2.1	0.6	1.0	5.4	
France	119.1	17.5	1.5	33.6	0.3	12.3		2.7	17.3	12.5	1.5	2.1	1.1	2.2	14.5	
Ireland	15.3	0.4	0.1	1.7	0.0	0.3	1.0		0.4	0.9	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.2	9.4	
Italy	76.4	6.0	1.0	23.3	0.7	5.7	16.4	1.3		7.7	2.9	0.6	0.9	1.8	8.0	
Netherlands	66.9	11.4	1.1	21.9	0.2	2.6	7.4	1.6	3.8		0.8	0.7	1.0	2.8	10.5	
Austria	28.3	1.1	0.2	17.5	0.1	0.4	1.9	0.2	3.1	1.9		0.1	0.2	0.5	1.0	
Portugal	16.1	0.7	0.1	3.1	0.0	5.0	2.3	0.2	1.7	1.0	0.1		0.1	0.3	1.4	
Finland	12.6	0.6	1.0	2.9	0.0	0.3	0.8	0.2	0.8	1.2	0.2	0.1		2.9	1.3	
Sweden	26.9	1.4	2.4	7.0	0.1	0.6	2.4	0.5	1.2	2.6	0.5	0.3	1.9		3.7	
United Kingdom	100.3	9.2	2.1	24.4	0.3	5.7	17.1	7.4	9.7	12.7	1.3	1.7	2.3	4.1		
Annual variation (%)																
Belgium/Luxembourg	5.0		1.5	8.1	39.1	12.0	2.5	41.3	10.9	-0.4	6.6	8.6	23.8	13.8	-1.4	
Denmark	7.7	7.1		7.8	15.7	14.4	11.2	-7.8	13.8	4.4	16.8	-12.4	-8.3	8.2	13.6	
Germany	6.1	-0.3	-1.7		6.8	11.0	12.9	-1.0	5.3	2.1	11.0	1.9	14.7	10.6	6.0	
Greece	-5.9	-4.6	-6.3	-1.9		19.8	-4.2	-16.2	-11.3	-7.9	-15.1	-30.3	55.6	-3.6	-18.8	
Spain	16.7	13.3	7.9	16.9	-9.7		20.9	39.7	15.3	18.3	13.7	22.3	24.9	8.0	7.2	
France	12.5	13.0	-1.1	14.9	-2.8	18.9		29.4	11.3	18.1	23.0	14.1	16.8	7.8	-1.3	
Ireland	10.8	22.5	-9.7	20.5	24.6	13.8	-11.7		9.2	0.9	-9.2	27.3	17.7	-3.6	12.0	
Italy	10.4	11.1	10.1	12.6	-12.7	7.1	7.7	12.6		10.5	14.8	23.5	37.7	15.9	7.7	
Netherlands	4.6	5.2	-2.7	1.3	0.0	11.6	2.6	29.1	-0.4		14.3	4.4	4.9	8.5	6.0	
Austria	3.2	2.6	1.6	2.7	-2.8	-0.8	9.4	28.8	-0.3	7.4		2.5	-4.5	13.1	2.3	
Portugal	8.0	15.7	4.4	5.9	20.2	9.2	9.7	24.6	4.3	8.6	0.9		24.4	31.8	0.7	
Finland	11.4	16.9	20.7	12.8	-16.5	33.5	12.9	11.9	17.5	24.3	9.7	-21.0		10.2	-6.0	
Sweden	9.5	10.4	-8.8	7.9	-7.8	40.4	13.6	28.2	11.3	5.3	21.2	-0.9	-0.8		5.4	
United Kingdom	4.9	9.1	-6.7	-0.7	-11.0	17.9	3.4	6.0	4.5	11.8	10.6	5.8	-0.3	-5.9		

Source: EUROSTAT-COMEXT

	EXPORTS/DISPATCHES				IMPORTS/ARRIVALS				TRADE BALANCE		
	1997 % share	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug	1997 % share	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug	1997	1998 Jan-Aug	1998 Aug
	<b>Value (Bn ECU)</b>										
<b>Extra + Intra EU-15</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1 886.2</b>	<b>1 302.2</b>	<b>132.7</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1 781.7</b>	<b>1 241.0</b>	<b>129.2</b>	<b>104.5</b>	<b>61.2</b>	<b>3.5</b>
Belgium and Luxembourg	8.2	153.9	107.5	10.8	8.0	142.8	98.6	10.6	11.1	8.9	0.2
Denmark	2.3	43.4	28.2	3.4	2.2	39.6	27.1	3.3	3.9	1.0	0.2
Germany	24.0	452.3	320.2	35.0	22.1	393.0	274.3	30.7	59.2	45.9	4.3
Greece	0.5	10.0	6.2	0.8	1.3	23.6	15.2	1.7	-13.6	-9.0	-0.9
Spain	4.7	88.4	61.9	4.8	5.7	101.0	72.4	6.4	-12.6	-10.5	-1.6
France	14.1	266.4	185.9	17.4	14.1	251.3	177.9	17.4	15.1	7.9	-0.0
Ireland	2.5	47.0	36.9	4.2	1.8	32.7	24.9	2.7	14.3	12.0	1.5
Italy	11.1	210.2	144.1	12.8	10.3	183.7	126.2	10.1	26.6	17.9	2.7
Netherlands	9.7	183.3	124.1	13.6	9.4	168.2	115.8	12.9	15.1	8.3	0.7
Austria	2.8	52.5	35.1	3.5	3.3	58.0	38.9	4.3	-5.4	-3.8	-0.8
Portugal	1.1	21.1	14.3	1.1	1.7	30.9	21.2	1.9	-9.8	-6.9	-0.8
Finland	1.9	36.6	25.8	2.8	1.6	27.9	19.3	2.3	8.7	6.4	0.5
Sweden	3.9	73.0	49.3	5.3	3.2	57.8	39.3	4.6	15.2	10.0	0.7
United Kingdom	13.1	248.0	162.7	17.1	15.2	271.2	189.9	20.3	-23.2	-27.1	-3.2
	variation of share 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			variation of share 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			absolute annual variation		
<b>Extra + Intra EU-15</b>		<b>11.4</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>1.2</b>		<b>11.0</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>16.5</b>	<b>-4.1</b>	<b>-2.7</b>
Belgium and Luxembourg	-0.1	10.2	7.7	1.9	-0.2	8.0	6.7	3.1	3.7	1.5	-0.1
Denmark	-0.1	7.3	0.9	-2.3	-0.0	11.0	7.4	6.6	-1.0	-1.6	-0.3
Germany	-0.4	9.5	10.1	4.5	-0.5	8.7	7.4	3.4	7.6	10.3	0.5
Greece	-0.0	7.7	-6.2	18.8	-0.1	5.9	-1.0	5.9	-0.6	-0.2	0.0
Spain	-0.3	4.2	11.0	-0.2	-0.3	5.9	14.2	9.6	-2.0	-2.9	-0.6
France	-0.1	10.9	9.6	2.9	-0.3	8.8	10.7	4.5	5.8	-1.0	-0.3
Ireland	0.2	23.6	24.0	18.3	0.2	21.0	18.5	13.4	3.3	3.3	0.3
Italy	-0.6	5.8	6.7	1.0	0.1	12.0	9.7	0.6	-8.1	-2.0	0.1
Netherlands	0.2	14.3	5.4	-0.3	0.1	12.0	6.7	3.6	4.9	-0.9	-0.5
Austria	0.1	14.5	5.3	-0.6	-0.1	7.4	4.5	2.0	2.7	0.1	-0.1
Portugal	-0.0	9.0	4.3	-8.4	0.0	11.5	7.5	0.7	-1.5	-0.9	-0.1
Finland	0.0	12.9	10.3	0.2	0.0	12.6	9.9	9.1	1.1	0.7	-0.2
Sweden	-0.1	9.1	6.8	-1.5	-0.0	9.7	8.1	0.6	1.0	0.2	-0.1
United Kingdom	1.1	21.8	1.2	-6.7	1.1	19.8	7.2	1.2	-0.5	-10.8	-1.5

Source: EUROSTAT-COMEXT

(1) Since the introduction of Intrastat the value of dispatches has been consistently higher than the value of arrivals. In theory, as dispatches are declared FOB and arrivals CIF, the value of arrivals should be about 1% higher than dispatches. Eurostat believes that dispatches are the more reliable measure as arrivals are considered to be underestimated.

(\*) in percentage points

## SEASONALLY ADJUSTED TIME SERIES

### Extra-EU trade<sup>1</sup>

Seasonally adjusted EU exports rose by +0.2% in August and fell by -2.3% in September 1998, reaching ECU +60.7 billion.

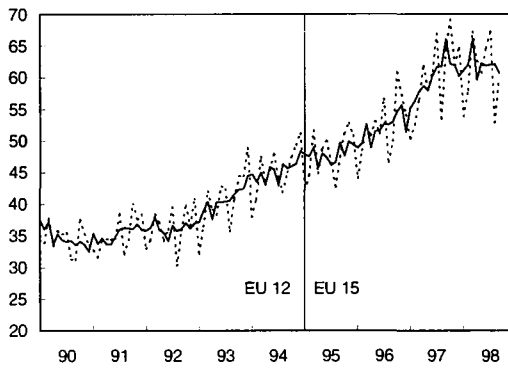
Seasonally adjusted EU imports rose by +1.5% in August 1998, then fell by -1.7% in September, to reach ECU +58.7 billion.

The seasonally adjusted external trade surplus was ECU +2.4 billion in August and ECU +2.0 billion in September 1998. The seasonally adjusted trade balance has been in surplus since December 1994.

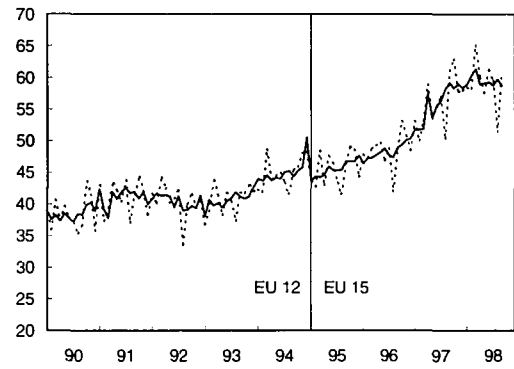
### Intra-EU trade<sup>2</sup>

Seasonally adjusted intra-EU trade rose +0.1% in August and fell -3.4% in September 1998 to ECU +100.6 billion.

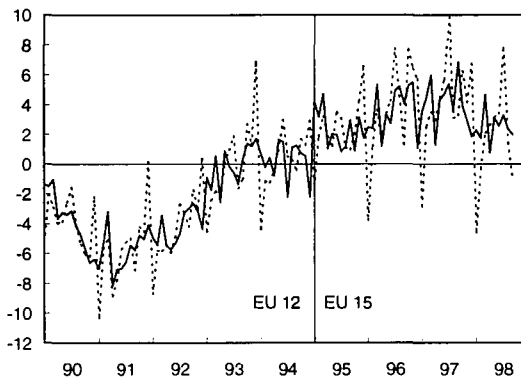
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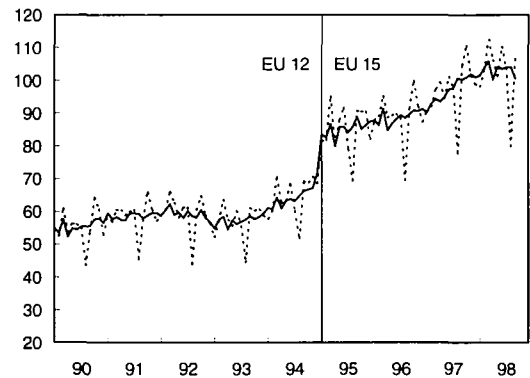
Extra-EU Imports  
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Extra-EU trade balance  
(Bn ECU)



Intra-EU trade  
(Bn ECU)



..... Unadjusted series

\_\_\_\_\_ Seasonally adjusted series

<sup>1</sup> The series described here relate to EU-12 up to and including 1994 and to EU-15 as from 1995 (when Finland, Sweden and Austria joined the EU).

<sup>2</sup> Dispatches are used to represent intra-EU trade. Figures for the years up to and including 1994 relate to EU-12.

Value (Bn ECU)

Period	INTRA-EU TRADE (1)		EXTRA-EU TRADE (2)						
	DISPATCHES		EXPORTS		IMPORTS		TRADE BALANCE		
	Unadjusted	Seasonally adjusted (3)	Unadjusted	Seasonally adjusted (3)	Unadjusted	Seasonally adjusted (3)	Unadjusted	Seasonally adjusted (3)	
1994	Jan	57.8	61.0	37.9	44.7	42.3	44.0	-4.4	0.7
	Feb	60.2	60.8	40.8	43.5	41.9	43.6	-1.1	-0.2
	Mar	70.6	64.2	47.5	45.0	48.7	44.5	-1.2	0.4
	Apr	62.4	60.9	43.4	43.0	43.8	43.7	-0.4	-0.8
	May	63.4	63.3	45.3	45.8	44.4	44.2	0.9	1.7
	Jun	68.3	63.8	48.0	45.5	45.0	43.9	3.0	1.5
	Jul	60.1	63.2	44.0	42.8	43.4	45.0	0.6	-2.2
	Aug	51.8	64.9	41.9	46.3	41.6	45.2	0.3	1.1
	Sep	69.2	66.2	45.0	45.6	45.4	44.4	-0.4	1.2
	Oct	68.8	66.7	47.5	45.9	45.8	45.2	1.7	0.7
	Nov	70.5	67.0	49.3	46.3	48.0	45.8	1.3	0.5
	Dec	68.6	71.5	51.2	48.3	48.3	50.5	2.9	-2.2
1995	Jan	81.5	83.4	42.1	47.8	43.6	43.6	-1.5	4.2
	Feb	81.7	82.7	44.6	47.5	42.7	44.4	1.8	3.2
	Mar	95.1	86.7	51.6	48.9	48.4	44.2	3.2	4.7
	Apr	80.1	79.9	44.8	45.7	43.0	44.6	1.9	1.1
	May	88.0	85.8	48.8	47.9	47.6	45.9	1.2	2.0
	Jun	91.6	85.8	50.0	47.3	46.5	45.3	3.5	2.0
	Jul	78.9	84.1	46.5	46.1	43.4	45.3	3.1	0.8
	Aug	69.4	85.8	42.6	46.6	41.5	45.4	1.1	1.2
	Sep	90.6	88.9	47.4	49.7	46.5	46.7	1.0	2.9
	Oct	90.5	85.1	51.1	47.6	49.1	46.7	2.0	0.9
	Nov	90.4	86.3	52.8	49.9	48.6	46.8	4.2	3.1
	Dec	81.9	87.4	50.8	49.4	44.3	47.6	6.6	1.7
1996	Jan	87.7	87.7	44.1	48.9	47.8	46.4	-3.8	2.5
	Feb	88.9	86.3	48.5	49.6	47.3	47.2	1.2	2.4
	Mar	95.1	91.3	52.4	52.6	48.7	47.3	3.7	5.3
	Apr	88.6	84.6	50.7	48.9	49.2	47.7	1.6	1.2
	May	89.2	86.7	53.1	51.5	49.7	48.2	3.4	3.3
	Jun	89.8	88.1	51.1	51.5	46.9	48.8	4.2	2.7
	Jul	88.5	89.4	56.6	52.7	48.8	47.7	7.7	4.9
	Aug	69.5	88.5	46.5	52.5	42.0	47.3	4.6	5.2
	Sep	91.4	89.6	49.9	52.9	48.6	48.9	1.3	4.1
	Oct	99.7	90.8	60.8	54.7	53.2	49.4	7.7	5.3
	Nov	91.9	90.6	57.3	55.6	50.9	50.2	6.4	5.5
	Dec	87.4	91.2	54.2	51.4	48.5	50.3	5.7	1.1
1997	Jan	90.4	90.2	50.3	55.2	53.1	51.7	-2.9	3.5
	Feb	91.9	92.9	52.5	56.2	50.0	51.7	2.5	4.4
	Mar	97.4	94.3	56.6	57.8	53.1	51.8	3.5	5.9
	Apr	99.4	93.5	61.8	58.7	58.9	57.4	2.9	1.3
	May	94.4	95.0	57.9	58.0	53.5	53.7	4.4	4.3
	Jun	101.2	97.3	61.0	60.2	55.3	55.5	5.7	4.7
	Jul	97.8	97.8	66.9	61.6	57.0	56.3	9.9	5.4
	Aug	77.7	100.6	53.4	61.8	50.4	58.2	3.1	3.6
	Sep	104.7	100.3	64.3	66.0	61.1	59.2	3.3	6.8
	Oct	110.6	100.9	69.2	62.2	62.9	58.3	6.2	3.9
	Nov	101.4	102.0	61.9	61.9	57.7	59.0	4.1	2.9
	Dec	99.0	100.9	64.7	60.2	57.9	58.3	6.7	1.9
1998	Jan	98.1	101.6	53.8	61.1	58.4	58.9	-4.6	2.3
	Feb	102.9	103.8	58.0	62.0	58.3	60.3	-0.3	1.8
	Mar	112.6	105.8	67.2	66.0	65.1	61.4	2.1	4.7
	Apr	106.3	100.3	62.6	59.6	60.0	58.9	2.6	0.7
	May	101.3	104.2	60.7	62.2	57.5	59.1	3.1	3.1
	Jun	110.3	103.5	64.6	61.8	61.2	59.3	3.4	2.6
	Jul	103.8	104.0	67.3	62.0	59.5	58.8	7.8	3.3
	Aug	79.9	104.1	52.9	62.1	51.4	59.7	1.4	2.4
	Sep	106.6	100.6	59.8	60.7	60.8	58.7	-1.0	2.0

(1) Intra-EU trade covers trade between the EUR 12 Member States up to December 1994 and trade between the EUR 15 Member States from January 1995 onwards.

(2) Extra-EU trade covers the trade of the EUR 12 Member States up to December 1994 and trade of the EUR 15 Member States from January 1995 with non-members countries.

(3) EUROSTAT seasonal adjustment

Source: EUROSTAT - COMEXT

## EXPORTS

1995 = 100

Period	Extra EU-15	USA	Japan	CEEC	Mediterr. Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
<b>Value</b>									
1993	81.7	89.9	76.4	65.8	86.4	79.0	106.8	71.5	96.9
1994	90.3	100.4	89.2	80.1	88.6	94.9	97.0	86.8	87.3
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	110.4	111.1	106.7	120.2	112.5	108.4	106.7	105.7	105.6
1997	125.9	134.7	106.0	144.9	127.3	134.8	127.8	114.1	113.8
1997 Sep	136.5	149.4	108.0	159.1	136.5	142.5	129.1	115.1	112.9
Oct	140.3	155.9	112.3	165.7	142.5	155.4	137.0	117.8	133.0
Nov	124.4	132.5	89.5	153.3	128.2	144.0	120.5	100.8	125.7
Dec	133.5	138.9	99.2	156.9	148.1	143.8	166.1	111.0	131.8
1998 Jan	115.4	131.4	93.3	137.6	113.8	124.8	110.6	90.0	102.4
Feb	124.1	148.4	95.2	150.7	128.1	134.5	108.9	88.7	107.1
Mar	143.8	164.6	112.6	178.8	146.9	158.8	136.4	99.6	140.0
Apr	133.9	159.3	92.3	165.3	132.4	155.3	123.8	91.2	133.6
May	130.4	149.1	87.0	170.2	134.3	147.8	120.2	86.9	132.8
Jun	138.6	164.0	91.4	174.9	144.5	160.2	120.1	96.8	156.6
Jul	143.9	176.7	104.6	176.6	152.1	182.1	134.2	95.6	127.6
Aug	113.4	129.2	82.7	141.6	107.6	150.6	98.8	80.6	101.5
Sep	129.4	159.2	91.9	170.8	129.7	145.4	110.5	92.1	112.1
<b>Volume</b>									
1993	87.1	94.6	79.5	70.3	95.3	82.1	114.2	76.4	104.8
1994	94.1	103.2	90.3	84.8	94.2	98.0	100.5	89.8	92.1
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	106.4	104.4	105.1	118.1	108.9	104.9	100.6	100.9	101.2
1997	116.0	116.8	100.4	141.1	119.6	125.5	113.5	103.7	103.5
1997 Sep	124.4	126.9	100.0	154.9	126.7	130.7	111.3	103.4	101.6
Oct	129.1	136.4	105.9	161.3	132.9	145.8	119.1	106.5	119.4
Nov	114.7	114.2	86.1	151.3	119.1	134.6	105.8	92.1	112.0
Dec	122.7	119.3	96.0	152.3	138.3	135.4	146.1	101.2	119.6
1998 Jan	103.9	110.9	85.8	132.7	104.5	112.7	94.9	78.9	89.9
Feb	111.7	124.9	88.6	144.9	118.1	121.8	93.2	77.5	93.5
Mar	129.1	136.6	104.3	172.6	135.5	144.1	115.0	87.2	124.3
Apr	121.1	135.1	86.5	160.3	122.4	140.7	105.7	80.6	118.4
May	118.3	127.1	84.1	164.3	124.5	136.7	104.6	75.9	119.4
Jun	126.5	138.4	87.4	170.1	136.2	147.8	104.4	87.1	140.1
Jul	130.8	148.5	101.3	171.6	143.5	168.5	117.1	83.7	114.0
Aug	103.4	108.7	79.5	137.3	102.3	138.4	85.8	73.9	91.5
Sep	118.2	133.7	89.3	166.6	123.6	135.6	95.7	81.8	99.7
<b>Unit value</b>									
1993	93.8	95.0	96.1	93.6	90.7	96.2	93.5	93.6	92.5
1994	96.0	97.3	98.8	94.5	94.1	96.8	96.5	96.7	94.8
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	103.8	106.4	101.5	101.8	103.3	103.3	106.1	104.8	104.3
1997	108.5	115.3	105.6	102.7	106.4	107.4	112.6	110.0	110.0
1997 Sep	109.7	117.7	108.0	102.7	107.7	109.0	116.0	111.3	111.1
Oct	108.7	114.3	106.0	102.7	107.2	106.6	115.0	110.6	111.4
Nov	108.5	116.0	103.9	101.3	107.6	107.0	113.9	109.5	112.2
Dec	108.8	116.4	103.3	103.0	107.1	106.2	113.7	109.7	110.2
1998 Jan	111.1	118.5	108.7	103.7	108.9	110.7	116.5	114.1	113.9
Feb	111.1	118.8	107.5	104.0	108.5	110.4	116.8	114.5	114.5
Mar	111.4	120.5	108.0	103.6	108.4	110.2	118.6	114.2	112.6
Apr	110.6	117.9	106.7	103.1	108.2	110.4	117.1	113.1	112.8
May	110.2	117.3	103.5	103.6	107.9	108.1	114.9	114.5	111.2
Jun	109.6	118.5	104.6	102.8	106.1	108.4	115.0	111.1	111.8
Jul	110.0	119.0	103.3	102.9	106.0	108.1	114.6	114.2	111.9
Aug	109.7	118.9	104.0	103.1	105.2	108.8	115.1	109.0	110.9
Sep	109.5	119.1	102.9	102.5	104.9	107.2	115.5	112.6	112.4

Source : TREND

**IMPORTS**

1995 = 100

Period	Extra EU-15	USA	Japan	CEEC	Mediterr. Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
<b>Value</b>									
1993	82.5	85.1	92.0	63.1	88.4	75.2	102.7	81.7	76.0
1994	91.6	94.6	95.2	80.1	95.8	93.3	102.3	90.5	94.4
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	106.8	108.6	96.7	106.0	110.9	100.7	116.1	105.6	111.3
1997	122.8	129.2	108.6	127.3	123.7	115.2	127.0	121.5	115.7
1997 Sep	134.9	135.9	115.7	140.0	130.4	128.7	144.1	138.4	130.4
Oct	135.7	137.8	125.0	144.4	133.1	118.5	149.5	137.4	129.5
Nov	124.2	131.4	113.1	134.6	124.7	107.1	127.1	127.8	109.0
Dec	125.2	132.6	111.8	135.4	127.8	101.6	133.1	127.9	125.6
1998 Jan	129.6	137.6	116.6	125.6	123.4	107.8	117.8	148.9	117.2
Feb	130.2	148.5	108.3	138.4	130.5	103.8	118.3	131.2	118.7
Mar	144.2	172.4	134.2	161.1	138.6	119.4	108.8	147.0	107.9
Apr	134.7	151.0	129.2	148.9	118.1	127.0	109.0	137.6	109.4
May	127.9	145.6	115.2	140.1	120.4	121.3	103.4	125.7	98.8
Jun	137.2	146.7	123.7	158.4	132.2	138.4	114.6	135.7	112.0
Jul	132.7	136.9	115.2	158.9	124.7	128.3	101.0	134.0	110.9
Aug	114.7	121.7	104.0	129.8	103.5	111.2	102.2	125.9	93.0
Sep	136.6	145.0	117.8	163.3	119.4	117.5	101.0	147.3	123.2
<b>Volume</b>									
1993	88.2	88.6	104.7	72.6	94.6	85.4	100.4	83.1	84.3
1994	94.5	93.5	98.2	88.3	100.9	98.6	104.0	90.0	99.7
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	103.4	101.9	99.8	105.6	104.0	100.3	100.8	104.9	110.1
1997	111.0	106.7	109.6	122.9	110.8	100.9	104.3	113.8	105.6
1997 Sep	118.5	107.0	115.0	132.6	114.2	106.6	116.2	126.7	114.9
Oct	120.8	111.6	125.5	137.5	117.8	100.6	119.9	129.7	114.3
Nov	110.7	105.7	114.9	128.3	110.0	91.3	102.6	120.0	96.5
Dec	113.7	108.1	112.7	129.6	116.2	88.0	113.6	123.7	114.1
1998 Jan	117.3	108.5	118.3	120.5	112.8	93.2	106.5	140.6	109.9
Feb	117.4	115.8	108.0	131.9	120.7	90.6	109.9	123.3	110.2
Mar	132.3	136.8	134.7	154.0	131.6	105.7	108.8	143.6	100.6
Apr	124.4	121.0	129.2	142.8	113.8	113.6	110.1	133.5	102.0
May	120.4	120.8	118.4	133.9	117.2	111.6	104.1	126.2	93.3
Jun	129.4	117.8	127.3	152.0	130.8	130.6	121.3	134.5	107.8
Jul	126.1	108.1	121.3	151.8	125.3	122.5	113.0	134.1	108.1
Aug	110.5	98.3	111.0	125.0	105.6	107.9	117.3	127.3	93.3
Sep	131.9	118.5	128.6	157.9	120.7	116.1	111.9	150.6	123.7
<b>Unit value</b>									
1993	93.5	96.0	87.9	86.9	93.4	88.1	102.3	98.3	90.1
1994	96.9	101.2	96.9	90.7	94.9	94.6	98.4	100.5	94.7
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	103.3	106.6	96.9	100.4	106.6	100.4	115.2	100.7	101.1
1997	110.6	121.1	99.1	103.6	111.6	114.2	121.8	106.8	109.6
1997 Sep	113.8	127.0	100.6	105.6	114.2	120.7	124.0	109.2	113.5
Oct	112.3	123.5	99.6	105.0	113.0	117.8	124.7	105.9	113.3
Nov	112.2	124.3	98.4	104.9	113.4	117.3	123.9	106.5	113.0
Dec	110.1	122.7	99.2	104.5	110.0	115.4	117.2	103.4	110.1
1998 Jan	110.5	126.8	98.6	104.2	109.4	115.7	110.6	105.9	106.6
Feb	110.9	128.2	100.3	104.9	108.1	114.6	107.6	106.4	107.7
Mar	109.0	126.0	99.6	104.6	105.3	113.0	100.0	102.4	107.3
Apr	108.3	124.8	100.0	104.3	103.8	111.8	99.0	103.1	107.3
May	106.2	120.5	97.3	104.6	102.7	108.7	99.3	99.6	105.9
Jun	106.0	124.5	97.2	104.2	101.1	106.0	94.5	100.9	103.9
Jul	105.2	126.6	95.0	104.7	99.5	104.7	89.4	99.9	102.6
Aug	103.8	123.8	93.7	103.8	98.0	103.1	87.1	98.9	99.7
Sep	103.6	122.4	91.6	103.4	98.9	101.2	90.3	97.8	99.6

Source : TREND

EXTRA-EU TRADE INDICES  
BY PRODUCT

## EXPORTS

## IMPORTS

SITC Rev. 3 1995 = 100

Period	TOTAL	Food, drink and tobacco	Crude material	Energy	Manufactured goods	TOTAL	Food, drink and tobacco	Crude material	Energy	Manufactured goods
	0-9	0+1	2+4	3	5+6+7+8	0-9	0+1	2+4	3	5+6+7+8
<b>Value</b>										
1993	81.7	87.0	75.2	116.9	80.7	82.5	85.7	71.1	101.3	79.5
1994	90.3	92.1	85.2	103.9	90.2	91.6	97.9	88.5	100.5	89.8
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	110.4	107.2	101.5	133.7	110.8	106.8	105.9	93.8	126.8	105.5
1997	125.9	118.2	116.4	144.4	126.0	122.8	111.0	105.7	137.4	124.0
1997 Sep	136.5	127.2	127.7	150.9	136.6	134.9	114.7	112.9	139.9	138.6
Oct	140.3	137.8	128.3	153.1	141.7	135.7	125.0	110.7	152.2	139.2
Nov	124.4	121.2	108.6	128.3	125.9	124.2	113.5	105.2	138.3	127.4
Dec	133.5	121.5	110.7	127.8	134.8	125.2	113.7	104.0	138.7	126.5
1998 Jan	115.4	104.6	103.0	143.9	113.7	129.6	113.9	108.2	124.1	131.2
Feb	124.1	111.1	114.0	119.2	123.5	130.2	107.4	108.1	120.1	133.0
Mar	143.8	126.1	124.2	143.8	143.4	144.2	122.4	116.0	110.8	149.2
Apr	133.9	118.0	111.2	125.2	133.1	134.7	120.1	112.3	110.1	139.3
May	130.4	112.1	105.7	116.2	129.7	127.9	106.9	109.7	108.4	132.6
Jun	138.6	119.2	111.3	137.0	137.5	137.2	115.3	122.2	108.6	142.2
Jul	143.9	113.1	114.3	133.0	144.6	132.7	120.3	109.2	96.8	138.1
Aug	113.4	99.8	100.9	110.9	111.7	114.7	100.2	88.1	93.1	118.6
Sep	129.4	107.9	103.4	109.0	129.5	136.6	110.6	103.8	97.8	145.1
<b>Volume</b>										
1993	87.1	93.4	90.6	122.8	85.9	88.2	92.5	85.2	96.9	86.1
1994	94.1	96.7	94.0	110.8	93.8	94.5	99.4	97.5	101.4	92.7
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	106.4	100.5	102.9	110.7	107.3	103.4	104.9	95.4	107.0	104.5
1997	116.0	107.1	114.7	110.6	116.7	111.0	98.6	99.6	109.5	115.1
1997 Sep	124.4	112.8	122.1	114.4	125.2	118.5	97.3	101.6	109.9	125.1
Oct	129.1	122.5	124.8	113.4	131.3	120.8	106.9	102.2	117.8	128.1
Nov	114.7	107.1	106.2	96.1	117.0	110.7	97.3	97.4	107.7	117.2
Dec	122.7	108.0	109.7	100.7	124.5	113.7	98.5	97.9	115.3	117.5
1998 Jan	103.9	92.2	100.9	122.3	102.3	117.3	98.0	99.9	112.3	119.6
Feb	111.7	97.8	111.4	103.0	111.2	117.4	91.4	99.1	112.2	120.1
Mar	129.1	111.6	122.7	129.4	128.4	132.3	104.0	109.0	110.8	136.4
Apr	121.1	104.9	111.1	114.8	120.0	124.4	103.0	104.3	112.0	128.0
May	118.3	100.8	104.8	105.5	117.5	120.4	93.3	103.4	108.7	125.0
Jun	126.5	108.7	110.3	130.2	125.0	129.4	101.7	115.9	116.2	132.8
Jul	130.8	103.9	114.5	129.0	130.6	126.1	106.5	104.7	110.5	128.5
Aug	103.4	92.5	100.0	108.9	101.2	110.5	90.5	84.4	107.1	111.8
Sep	118.2	100.0	105.8	106.7	117.4	131.9	101.4	101.6	109.3	137.8
<b>Unit value</b>										
1993	93.8	93.2	83.0	95.2	94.0	93.5	92.7	83.4	104.5	92.3
1994	96.0	95.2	90.6	93.8	96.2	96.9	98.5	90.8	99.1	96.9
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	103.8	106.7	98.6	120.8	103.3	103.3	101.0	98.3	118.5	101.0
1997	108.5	110.4	101.5	130.6	108.0	110.6	112.6	106.1	125.5	107.7
1997 Sep	109.7	112.8	104.6	131.9	109.1	113.8	117.9	111.1	127.3	110.8
Oct	108.7	112.5	102.8	135.0	107.9	112.3	116.9	108.3	129.2	108.7
Nov	108.5	113.2	102.3	133.5	107.6	112.2	116.7	108.0	128.4	108.7
Dec	108.8	112.5	100.9	126.9	108.3	110.1	115.4	106.2	120.3	107.7
1998 Jan	111.1	113.5	102.1	117.7	111.1	110.5	116.2	108.3	110.5	109.7
Feb	111.1	113.6	102.3	115.7	111.1	110.9	117.5	109.1	107.0	110.7
Mar	111.4	113.0	101.2	111.1	111.7	109.0	117.7	106.4	100.0	109.4
Apr	110.6	112.5	100.1	109.1	110.9	108.3	116.6	107.7	98.3	108.8
May	110.2	111.2	100.9	110.1	110.4	106.2	114.6	106.1	99.7	106.1
Jun	109.6	109.7	100.9	105.2	110.0	106.0	113.4	105.4	93.5	107.1
Jul	110.0	108.9	99.8	103.1	110.7	105.2	113.0	104.3	87.6	107.5
Aug	109.7	107.9	100.9	101.8	110.4	103.8	110.7	104.4	86.9	106.1
Sep	109.5	107.9	97.7	102.2	110.3	103.6	109.1	102.2	89.5	105.3

Source : TREND



## EXPEDITIONS

SITC Rev. 3 1995 = 100

Period	Adjusted total	Food, drink and tobacco 0+1	Crude material 2+4	Energy 3	Manufactured goods 5+6+7+8
<b>Value</b>					
1993	78.9	87.0	75.5	94.2	77.9
1994	88.6	95.8	93.3	100.3	90.2
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	104.7	105.7	94.1	129.1	105.6
1997	114.9	108.4	105.0	133.4	122.1
1997 Sep	124.4	115.6	111.3	125.5	133.2
Oct	131.4	123.2	117.8	132.1	141.3
Nov	119.4	113.8	106.0	150.0	127.3
Dec	116.6	112.7	98.9	137.8	122.5
1998 Jan	116.3	100.3	101.9	124.1	120.4
Feb	120.8	96.7	106.9	115.0	127.4
Mar	132.1	106.1	114.6	109.7	138.9
Apr	125.5	108.8	104.1	104.5	131.2
May	119.8	104.9	100.8	100.8	124.4
Jun	129.3	111.3	104.1	100.2	140.4
Jul	121.2	103.3	89.2	87.2	129.7
Aug	94.0	91.0	74.4	74.0	97.1
Sep	125.5	104.3	99.1	80.2	135.9
<b>Volume</b>					
1993	86.1	91.5	92.7	91.3	85.5
1994	93.7	98.9	103.5	102.8	95.5
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	103.3	104.1	98.7	110.1	104.3
1997	111.0	105.9	105.7	106.5	118.3
1997 Sep	119.2	111.6	110.1	99.1	128.1
Oct	127.0	119.6	117.1	103.0	137.3
Nov	115.5	109.8	105.2	119.9	123.7
Dec	112.8	109.5	98.8	116.2	118.7
1998 Jan	110.2	97.5	98.9	110.2	113.8
Feb	114.7	93.8	106.6	103.8	120.4
Mar	125.3	102.5	117.2	102.7	131.0
Apr	119.5	104.1	105.9	98.8	124.5
May	114.2	100.8	101.6	95.3	118.1
Jun	124.3	108.6	105.3	99.1	134.1
Jul	116.2	102.1	91.2	86.2	123.3
Aug	90.6	90.6	76.2	76.2	92.7
Sep	121.4	103.5	103.6	81.8	130.2
<b>Unit value</b>					
1993	91.6	95.1	81.4	103.2	91.1
1994	94.6	96.9	90.1	97.6	94.4
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	101.4	101.5	95.3	117.3	101.2
1997	103.5	102.4	99.3	125.3	103.2
1997 Sep	104.4	103.6	101.1	126.6	104.0
Oct	103.5	103.0	100.6	128.3	102.9
Nov	103.4	103.6	100.8	125.1	102.9
Dec	103.4	102.9	100.1	118.6	103.2
1998 Jan	105.5	102.9	103.0	112.6	105.8
Feb	105.3	103.1	100.3	110.8	105.8
Mar	105.4	103.5	97.8	106.8	106.0
Apr	105.0	104.5	98.3	105.8	105.4
May	104.9	104.1	99.2	105.8	105.3
Jun	104.0	102.5	98.9	101.1	104.7
Jul	104.3	101.2	97.8	101.2	105.2
Aug	103.7	100.4	97.6	97.1	104.8
Sep	103.4	100.8	95.7	98.1	104.4

Source : TREND



## European Union and world trade



**TRADE BALANCE**
*Value (Bn ECU)*

Period	Main exporters and importers in 1997												
	EU (Extra EU-15)	USA	Japan	Canada (*)	Hong Kong	China	South Korea	Singapore	Mexico (*)	Malaysia	Switzer- land	Russia	Australia (*)
1993	1.2	-115.0	103.3	5.0	-3.1	-10.2	-1.8	-9.7	-11.6	1.3	1.7	14.8	0.1
1994	5.1	-148.7	101.8	8.2	-8.7	4.4	-5.3	-4.8	-15.5	-0.7	2.0	20.6	-2.2
1995	27.7	-143.3	81.9	20.6	-14.7	12.9	-7.5	-4.7	5.4	-3.0	1.0	23.8	-3.4
1996	43.6	-153.4	48.6	23.7	-14.2	9.6	-15.6	-5.2	5.1	-0.2	1.0	31.1	-0.8
1997	49.5	-186.1	72.7	15.5	-18.3	35.9	-7.6	-6.0	0.5	-1.2	0.3	28.2	1.2
1997 Aug	3.1	-18.2	5.7	1.3	-1.3	4.6	-0.4	-0.9	-0.3	0.4	-0.2	2.3	0.1
Sep	3.3	-19.8	8.0	0.7	-0.8	4.6	-0.2	-0.3	-0.1	0.4	0.1	1.9	-0.1
Oct	6.2	-20.2	8.1	0.4	-1.2	4.4	-0.1	-0.4	0.1	-0.0	0.2	2.1	-0.2
Nov	4.1	-13.6	7.4	1.1	-1.0	4.1	0.1	-0.4	-0.5	0.2	0.5	2.4	0.3
Dec	6.7	-16.2	8.6	2.1	-1.6	0.1	2.0	-0.4	-0.6	-0.9	0.3	2.9	-0.0
1998 Jan	-4.6	-16.5	2.7	1.1	0.1	3.7	0.7	0.4	0.0	0.6	-0.1	1.3	-0.5
Feb	-0.3	-14.5	9.3	0.9	-2.2	2.9	1.2	-0.2	-0.4	0.8	-0.1	1.2	-0.1
Mar	2.1	-17.3	8.7	0.6	-1.8	3.3	1.2	0.6	0.0	0.9	-0.3	1.3	-0.5
Apr	2.6	-19.8	8.5	0.5	-2.1	3.9	1.9	-0.6	0.2	0.5	-0.2	1.8	-0.1
May	3.1	-18.1	8.1	1.0	-1.3	3.3	2.1	0.9	0.2	0.5	-0.0	1.4	0.2
Jun	3.4	-20.8	9.4	0.5	-0.8	3.4	1.8	1.8	0.2	-0.2	-0.1	1.3	-0.4
Jul	7.8	-24.7	8.5	-0.8	-0.5	3.8	1.0	0.9	-0.6	0.4	0.2	1.9	-0.3
Aug	1.4	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

*Value (Bn ECU)*

Period	Main exporters and importers in 1997												
	Brazil	Thailand	Saudi Arabia	Indonesia	Norway	Philippines	Turkey	Poland	United Arab Emirates	South Africa (*)	Argentina	Israel	Czech Republic (*)
1993	9.1	-7.6	12.1	7.3	6.9	-5.4	-12.0	-4.0	1.5	5.3	-3.1	-5.1	-0.9
1994	6.1	-7.4	16.2	7.7	6.1	-7.7	-4.3	-3.6	0.5	3.0	-4.9	-6.1	-0.6
1995	-5.9	-12.6	17.2	3.5	6.5	-8.3	-10.8	-4.7	2.3	1.1	0.8	-7.0	-2.9
1996	-8.8	-13.9	23.3	5.5	11.6	-8.8	-15.2	-10.0	3.8	2.0	0.1	-7.6	-4.6
1997	-12.5	-4.6	18.3	9.7	10.8	-18.6	-19.8	-14.2	-0.6	2.7	-4.3	-5.8	-4.0
1997 Aug	-1.4	-0.2	1.3	1.4	1.0	-1.6	-1.9	-1.1	0.1	0.2	-0.5	-0.6	-0.2
Sep	-0.7	0.1	1.4	1.2	0.2	-1.4	-2.0	-1.2	-0.2	0.1	-0.4	-0.3	-0.1
Oct	-1.2	0.4	1.8	1.0	0.5	-1.4	-1.8	-1.3	-0.3	0.4	-0.5	-0.5	-0.2
Nov	-1.4	0.7	1.4	0.9	1.0	-1.4	-1.6	-1.3	-0.1	0.1	-0.7	-0.4	-0.3
Dec	-0.9	0.5	-0.2	0.7	0.8	-3.1	-2.3	-1.3	-0.3	0.3	-0.5	-0.4	-0.5
1998 Jan	-1.0	0.8	1.5	1.4	0.9	-1.0	-1.7	-1.3	-0.1	1.1	-0.8	-0.5	-0.4
Feb	-0.4	1.0	1.1	1.7	0.4	-0.9	-1.8	-1.4	-0.1	0.4	-0.5	-0.7	-0.5
Mar	-1.2	0.8	0.3	1.4	0.4	-0.8	-2.2	-2.1	-0.6	0.5	-0.6	-0.6	-0.5
Apr	-0.6	0.6	1.0	1.7	0.4	-0.9	-1.8	-1.4	-0.5	0.7	-0.3	-0.5	-0.7
May	-0.7	0.0	0.6	1.7	0.3	-0.8	-1.8	-1.7	-0.6	0.8	0.4	-0.5	-0.7
Jun	-0.4	-0.2	0.7	2.0	0.3	-1.0	-1.9	-1.5	-0.2	0.7	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5
Jul	-0.8	0.2	1.0	1.7	0.4	-1.2	-2.0	-1.6	-0.3	0.3	-0.8	-0.6	-0.7
Aug	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

Source : IMF, Eurostat (EU-15)

(\*) Imports F.O.B.

## EXPORTS

Value (Bn ECU)

Period	Main exporters in 1997												
	World <sup>(1)</sup>	EU (Extra EU-15)	USA	Japan	Canada	Hong Kong	China	South Korea	Singapore	Mexico	Russia	Malaysia	Switzer- land
1993	2 380.5	471.4	397.4	309.6	120.2	115.3	78.2	69.8	63.3	44.2	37.6	40.2	53.6
1994	2 675.3	523.6	430.8	332.2	135.6	127.3	101.6	80.7	81.5	51.2	53.0	49.4	59.2
1995	2 863.0	572.8	446.1	338.7	145.4	132.7	113.8	95.8	90.4	60.8	59.3	56.4	62.2
1996	3 091.3	625.1	490.6	323.9	157.6	142.2	119.0	102.8	98.5	75.6	66.1	61.6	62.5
1997	3 668.7	720.5	606.3	371.3	187.8	165.7	161.3	119.9	110.1	97.1	74.2	69.4	67.0
1997 Aug	308.5	53.4	52.4	31.1	16.0	15.6	14.9	10.3	9.4	8.6	6.6	6.6	4.6
Sep	319.7	64.3	52.1	33.3	16.7	14.9	15.1	10.3	10.2	8.8	6.4	6.1	6.0
Oct	339.2	69.2	55.0	34.3	16.8	16.5	15.9	11.1	9.6	9.7	6.6	5.9	6.5
Nov	310.4	61.9	51.3	29.6	15.6	14.1	14.7	10.4	8.9	8.4	6.7	5.6	6.2
Dec	329.9	64.7	53.7	32.7	16.1	14.4	17.3	11.2	9.2	8.1	7.9	5.3	6.0
1998 Jan	288.6	53.8	50.5	27.4	15.4	13.6	11.7	8.5	7.6	7.4	5.0	6.2	5.3
Feb	288.6	58.0	50.8	29.9	15.9	10.4	11.2	8.9	8.1	7.4	5.0	5.6	5.8
Mar	333.6	67.2	57.3	32.9	17.6	12.9	14.2	10.1	9.7	8.8	5.5	6.8	6.4
Apr	317.6	62.6	52.1	30.3	16.7	13.7	14.6	10.2	9.5	8.3	7.0	6.4	5.9
May	301.5	60.7	50.7	27.0	16.1	13.2	13.5	9.8	8.1	8.1	6.3	6.0	5.7
Jun	318.3	64.6	51.7	32.2	16.2	13.7	14.2	10.9	7.6	8.3	6.6	6.4	6.1
Jul	325.8	67.3	46.9	29.5	13.5	14.0	14.7	9.6	15.1	7.4	6.9	6.2	6.2
Aug	:	52.9	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

## Share (%), excluding Intra EU-15

1993	100.0	19.8	16.7	13.0	5.0	4.8	3.3	2.9	2.7	1.9	1.6	1.7	2.3
1994	100.0	19.6	16.1	12.4	5.1	4.8	3.8	3.0	3.0	1.9	2.0	1.8	2.2
1995	100.0	20.0	15.6	11.8	5.1	4.6	4.0	3.3	3.2	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.2
1996	100.0	20.2	15.9	10.5	5.1	4.6	3.8	3.3	3.2	2.4	2.1	2.0	2.0
1997	100.0	19.6	16.5	10.1	5.1	4.5	4.4	3.3	3.0	2.6	2.0	1.9	1.8

Value (Bn ECU)

Period	Main exporters in 1997												
	Australia	Saudi Arabia	Thailand	Brazil	Indonesia	Norway	South Africa	United Arab Emirates	Philippines	Turkey	Poland	Venezuela	Argentina
1993	36.3	36.2	31.7	33.1	31.4	26.3	20.8	18.2	9.6	13.1	12.1	12.5	11.2
1994	39.9	35.8	38.3	36.7	34.1	28.9	21.4	18.2	11.3	15.3	14.5	14.4	13.9
1995	40.5	38.2	43.7	35.6	34.6	31.4	21.6	18.4	13.3	16.6	17.5	14.9	15.6
1996	47.6	45.2	43.9	37.6	39.3	38.3	23.1	21.6	16.2	18.2	19.2	18.4	18.9
1997	55.6	54.2	50.8	47.5	47.4	42.0	27.5	26.7	25.8	23.1	23.1	22.5	22.4
1997 Aug	5.0	4.2	4.5	4.1	4.4	3.2	2.4	2.2	2.2	2.0	1.7	2.1	1.9
Sep	4.7	4.5	4.5	4.2	4.3	3.7	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.0	2.1	2.0	2.2
Oct	4.9	5.0	4.6	4.3	4.1	4.0	2.9	2.2	2.3	2.1	2.3	2.1	2.0
Nov	4.7	4.3	4.3	3.5	4.1	3.6	2.1	2.3	2.1	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.7
Dec	4.7	4.6	4.3	4.1	4.2	3.4	2.2	2.4	3.7	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.0
1998 Jan	3.8	4.6	3.7	3.6	4.3	3.5	2.9	2.2	2.1	2.1	1.8	1.6	1.5
Feb	4.1	4.0	4.4	3.4	3.9	3.0	2.3	2.1	2.2	1.9	1.9	1.5	1.6
Mar	4.5	4.0	4.6	3.9	4.0	3.4	2.6	2.1	2.4	2.3	2.6	1.6	1.9
Apr	4.3	4.1	3.9	4.2	4.1	3.1	2.7	2.0	2.3	2.2	2.1	1.7	2.2
May	4.5	3.5	3.8	4.2	4.0	2.8	2.9	1.8	2.1	2.3	1.9	1.6	2.8
Jun	4.2	3.8	4.4	4.4	4.6	2.9	2.8	2.1	2.4	2.3	2.2	1.6	2.3
Jul	4.8	4.1	4.5	4.5	4.3	2.8	2.8	2.0	2.3	2.3	2.0	1.7	2.2
Aug	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

## Share (%), excluding Intra EU-15

1993	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5
1994	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.1	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5
1995	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.2	1.2	1.1	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5
1996	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.2	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
1997	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.1	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6

Source : IMF, Eurostat (EU-15)

(1) Excluding intra EU-15

**IMPORTS**
*Value (Bn ECU)*

Period	Main importers in 1997												
	World <sup>(1)</sup>	EU (Extra EU-15)	USA	Japan	Hong Kong	Canada <sup>(1)</sup>	South Korea	China	Singapore	Mexico <sup>(1)</sup>	Malaysia	Switzer- land	Brazil
1993	2 463.1	470.2	512.4	206.3	118.4	115.2	71.6	88.4	72.9	55.8	39.0	51.8	24.1
1994	2 770.8	518.5	579.5	230.4	136.0	127.4	86.0	97.2	86.3	66.7	50.1	57.2	30.6
1995	2 966.2	545.1	589.4	256.8	147.4	124.8	103.3	101.0	95.1	55.4	59.3	61.2	41.6
1996	3 222.1	581.5	644.1	275.3	156.4	133.9	118.4	109.4	103.7	70.5	61.8	61.6	46.4
1997	3 799.3	671.0	792.4	298.6	184.0	172.4	127.5	125.3	116.2	96.5	70.6	66.7	60.1
1997 Aug	325.0	50.4	70.6	25.4	16.8	14.7	10.7	10.3	10.3	8.9	6.2	4.8	5.6
Sep	331.8	61.1	71.9	25.3	15.6	16.0	10.5	10.4	10.4	8.9	5.7	5.9	4.9
Oct	349.1	62.9	75.2	26.1	17.6	16.4	11.2	11.5	10.0	9.6	5.9	6.3	5.5
Nov	316.5	57.7	64.9	22.2	15.1	14.6	10.3	10.6	9.3	8.9	5.4	5.7	4.8
Dec	343.1	57.9	69.8	24.1	16.0	14.1	9.2	17.2	9.6	8.7	6.2	5.7	5.0
1998 Jan	315.0	58.4	67.0	24.7	13.4	14.3	7.8	8.0	7.2	7.4	5.5	5.4	4.6
Feb	307.9	58.3	65.3	20.5	12.7	15.1	7.8	8.3	8.3	7.8	4.8	5.8	3.8
Mar	356.7	65.1	74.6	24.2	14.7	17.0	8.8	10.9	9.0	8.7	6.0	6.7	5.1
Apr	340.4	60.0	71.9	21.7	15.8	16.2	8.3	10.7	10.0	8.0	5.9	6.1	4.8
May	322.0	57.5	68.8	18.9	14.5	15.1	7.7	10.2	7.2	7.9	5.5	5.7	4.9
Jun	341.3	61.2	72.5	22.8	14.4	15.7	9.0	10.8	5.7	8.1	6.6	6.2	4.8
Jul	352.6	59.5	71.6	21.0	14.5	14.3	8.6	10.9	14.2	8.0	5.8	6.0	5.3
Aug	:	51.4	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

**Share (%), excluding Intra EU-15**

1993	100.0	19.1	20.8	8.4	4.8	4.7	2.9	3.6	3.0	2.3	1.6	2.1	1.0
1994	100.0	18.7	20.9	8.3	4.9	4.6	3.1	3.5	3.1	2.4	1.8	2.1	1.1
1995	100.0	18.4	19.9	8.7	5.0	4.2	3.5	3.4	3.2	1.9	2.0	2.1	1.4
1996	100.0	18.0	20.0	8.5	4.9	4.2	3.7	3.4	3.2	2.2	1.9	1.9	1.4
1997	100.0	17.7	20.9	7.9	4.8	4.5	3.4	3.3	3.1	2.5	1.9	1.8	1.6

*Value (Bn ECU)*

Period	Main importers in 1997												
	Thailand	Australia <sup>(1)</sup>	Russia	Philippines	Turkey	Indonesia	Poland	Saudi Arabia	Norway	United Arab Emirates	Argentina	Israel	South Africa <sup>(1)</sup>
1993	39.3	36.3	22.8	15.1	25.1	24.2	16.1	24.1	19.4	16.7	14.3	17.4	15.4
1994	45.7	42.1	32.5	18.9	19.6	26.5	18.1	19.6	22.7	17.7	18.8	19.9	18.4
1995	56.3	43.9	35.5	21.6	27.3	31.1	22.2	21.0	24.9	16.0	14.8	21.6	20.5
1996	57.8	48.5	35.0	25.0	33.4	33.8	29.2	21.9	26.7	17.8	18.8	23.6	21.2
1997	55.4	54.5	46.0	44.4	42.9	37.7	37.3	35.9	31.2	27.3	26.7	25.6	24.9
1997 Aug	4.6	4.9	4.3	3.8	3.9	3.0	2.8	3.0	2.2	2.1	2.5	2.2	2.2
Sep	4.4	4.8	4.4	3.8	4.0	3.1	3.3	3.0	3.5	2.4	2.5	2.1	2.2
Oct	4.2	5.1	4.5	3.7	3.9	3.1	3.6	3.2	3.5	2.6	2.5	2.0	2.5
Nov	3.5	4.4	4.3	3.5	3.8	3.2	3.3	3.0	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.1	2.0
Dec	3.8	4.7	5.0	6.8	4.5	3.6	3.3	4.8	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.4	1.9
1998 Jan	3.0	4.3	3.7	3.1	3.8	2.9	3.1	3.1	2.6	2.3	2.3	2.2	1.8
Feb	3.4	4.3	3.7	3.1	3.7	2.2	3.2	3.0	2.6	2.2	2.1	2.4	1.9
Mar	3.9	5.1	4.2	3.3	4.4	2.6	4.7	3.7	3.0	2.7	2.5	2.6	2.1
Apr	3.3	4.5	5.2	3.2	4.0	2.4	3.5	3.1	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.2	2.0
May	3.8	4.4	4.9	2.9	4.1	2.3	3.6	2.9	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.2	2.1
Jun	4.5	4.6	5.2	3.4	4.2	2.7	3.6	3.1	2.6	2.3	2.8	2.5	2.1
Jul	4.3	5.1	5.1	3.5	4.3	2.6	3.6	3.1	2.4	2.3	3.0	2.6	2.5
Aug	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

**Share (%), excluding Intra EU-15**

1993	1.6	1.5	0.9	0.6	1.0	1.0	0.7	1.0	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.6
1994	1.7	1.5	1.2	0.7	0.7	1.0	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7
1995	1.9	1.5	1.2	0.7	0.9	1.0	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.7
1996	1.8	1.5	1.1	0.8	1.0	1.1	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7
1997	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7

Source : IMF, Eurostat (EU-15)

<sup>(1)</sup> Imports F.O.B.

<sup>(1)</sup> Excluding intra EU-15

# SHARE OF TRADE WITH THE EUROPEAN UNION, THE UNITED STATES AND JAPAN

1997

Value (Bn ECU)

Reporter  Main world exporters and importers	Partner								
	World (1)	EU-15 (Extra EU-15)		USA		Japan		EU-15 + USA + Japan	
	Value	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	Σ %
<b>EXPORTS</b>									
World (1)	3 668.7	3 915.9	106.7	764.3	20.8	268.8	7.3	4 949.0	134.9
EU-15	720.5			141.3	19.6	36.1	5.0	177.4	24.6
Norway	42.0	30.7	73.1	2.6	6.3	0.8	2.0	34.2	81.4
Switzerland	67.0	38.4	57.3	7.1	10.5	2.7	4.0	48.1	71.9
Turkey	23.1	10.3	44.5	1.8	7.7	0.1	0.5	12.2	52.8
Poland	23.1	14.1	60.9	0.6	2.6	0.1	0.2	14.7	63.7
Russia	74.2	23.9	32.3	4.4	5.9	2.6	3.5	30.9	41.6
South Africa	27.5	7.2	26.3	1.5	5.5	1.3	4.9	10.1	36.7
USA	606.3	112.2	18.5			57.9	9.6	170.1	28.1
Canada	187.8	8.4	4.5	156.4	83.2	6.4	3.4	171.1	91.1
Mexico	97.1	3.2	3.3	83.4	85.9	1.0	1.1	87.6	90.3
Brazil	47.5	11.5	24.2	8.3	17.5	2.7	5.7	22.5	47.4
Argentina	22.4	3.2	14.5	1.8	7.8	0.5	2.2	5.5	24.5
Iran	21.9	5.4	24.6	0.0	0.0	2.8	12.9	8.2	37.5
Israel	19.8	5.0	25.2	6.4	32.1	0.9	4.6	12.3	61.9
Saudi Arabia	54.2	9.7	17.9	8.3	15.3	9.5	17.6	27.5	50.7
United Arab Emirates	26.7	1.2	4.4	0.8	2.9	9.9	37.0	11.8	44.3
India	:	6.0	:	5.2	:	1.5	:	12.7	:
Philippines	25.8	3.9	15.3	8.7	33.6	4.0	15.6	16.6	64.4
China	161.3	19.8	12.3	28.9	17.9	28.1	17.4	76.8	47.6
Indonesia	47.4	6.3	13.3	6.4	13.4	11.1	23.3	23.7	50.0
Thailand	50.8	7.3	14.4	9.8	19.4	7.7	15.2	24.8	48.9
Malaysia	69.4	9.3	13.3	12.9	18.6	8.7	12.6	30.9	44.5
Singapore	110.1	15.0	13.6	20.4	18.5	7.8	7.1	43.2	39.2
South Korea	119.9	14.4	12.0	19.3	16.1	13.0	10.9	46.7	38.9
Japan	371.3	54.3	14.6	104.4	28.1			158.7	42.8
Hong Kong	165.7	23.4	14.1	36.1	21.8	10.1	6.1	69.5	42.0
Australia	55.6	5.0	9.0	4.1	7.4	11.0	19.7	20.1	36.2
<b>IMPORTS</b>									
World (1)	3 799.3	4 065.3	107.0	673.7	17.7	409.0	10.8	5 147.9	135.5
EU-15	671.0			137.7	20.5	59.6	8.9	197.3	29.4
Norway	31.2	21.0	67.4	2.1	6.7	1.4	4.3	24.5	78.5
Switzerland	66.7	48.9	73.4	5.6	8.4	1.9	2.8	56.4	84.5
Turkey	42.9	20.8	48.5	3.8	8.9	1.8	4.2	26.5	61.7
Poland	37.3	22.8	61.1	1.7	4.5	0.6	1.7	25.1	67.3
Russia	46.0	16.5	36.0	3.6	7.8	0.9	1.9	21.0	45.7
South Africa (2)	24.9	10.0	40.3	3.1	12.4	1.8	7.4	14.9	60.1
USA	792.4	136.0	17.2			109.6	13.8	245.6	31.0
Canada (2)	172.4	16.5	9.6	116.4	67.5	8.0	4.6	140.8	81.7
Mexico (2)	96.5	8.4	8.7	72.5	75.1	3.8	4.0	84.7	87.8
Brazil	60.1	15.2	25.3	12.6	21.1	3.5	5.8	31.3	52.1
Argentina	26.7	7.1	26.4	5.4	20.0	1.0	3.7	13.4	50.2
Iran	13.1	5.0	38.5	0.0	0.0	0.9	6.5	5.9	45.0
Israel	25.6	9.9	38.5	4.8	18.8	0.9	3.6	15.6	60.9
Saudi Arabia	35.9	13.7	38.0	8.2	22.8	3.0	8.3	24.8	69.1
United Arab Emirates	27.3	8.1	29.8	2.5	9.3	2.5	9.0	13.1	48.1
India	:	6.2	:	2.7	:	1.5	:	10.4	:
Philippines	44.4	5.3	12.0	7.2	16.2	8.4	19.0	21.0	47.2
China	125.3	16.1	12.8	14.4	11.5	25.6	20.4	56.0	44.7
Indonesia	37.7	7.1	18.7	5.0	13.3	7.5	19.8	19.5	51.8
Thailand	55.4	7.4	13.3	7.6	13.8	14.3	25.7	29.3	52.9
Malaysia	70.6	9.4	13.3	11.6	16.4	15.3	21.6	36.3	51.3
Singapore	116.2	15.6	13.4	19.7	17.0	20.5	17.7	55.8	48.0
South Korea	127.5	16.1	12.6	26.6	20.8	24.6	19.3	67.3	52.8
Japan	298.6	38.3	12.8	67.0	22.4			105.3	35.3
Hong Kong	184.0	19.1	10.4	14.3	7.8	25.2	13.7	58.6	31.9
Australia (2)	54.5	12.8	23.5	12.1	22.1	7.5	13.7	32.3	59.3

Source : IMF, Eurostat (EU-15)

(1) Excluding intra EU-15

(2) Imports F.O.B.



Value (Bn ECU) and share of total (%)

SITC Rev. 3		1993		1994		1995		1996		1997	
		Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%
<b>EXPORTS</b>											
EU-15 (1)	<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>	<b>471.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>523.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>572.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>625.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>720.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	0+1 Food	34.8	7.4	37.2	7.1	38.9	6.8	40.9	6.5	45.8	6.4
	2+4 Raw materials	10.4	2.2	12.0	2.3	13.7	2.4	13.2	2.1	15.7	2.2
	3 Energy	14.3	3.0	15.4	2.9	13.3	2.3	15.3	2.5	17.0	2.4
	5 Chemistry	60.2	12.8	68.1	13.0	73.4	12.8	79.1	12.6	93.0	12.9
	7 Machinery and transport equip.	206.7	43.9	231.5	44.2	255.8	44.7	281.9	45.1	330.8	45.9
	6+8 Other manufactured goods	137.9	29.2	154.1	29.4	167.4	29.2	181.8	29.1	203.4	28.2
USA	<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>	<b>397.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>430.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>446.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>490.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>606.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	0+1 Food	34.5	8.7	36.5	8.5	38.4	8.6	42.4	8.6	43.5	7.2
	2+4 Raw materials	22.3	5.6	24.5	5.7	28.6	6.4	26.9	5.5	30.3	5.0
	3 Energy	8.4	2.1	7.5	1.8	8.0	1.8	9.6	2.0	11.1	1.8
	5 Chemistry	39.2	9.9	44.1	10.2	47.2	10.6	49.6	10.1	62.5	10.3
	7 Machinery and transport equip.	192.0	48.3	212.1	49.2	215.2	48.2	241.1	49.2	311.0	51.3
	6+8 Other manufactured goods	79.9	20.1	87.1	20.2	90.9	20.4	100.4	20.5	124.7	20.6
Japan	<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>	<b>309.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>332.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>338.7</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>323.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>371.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	0+1 Food	1.7	0.5	1.7	0.5	1.6	0.5	1.5	0.5	1.9	0.5
	2+4 Raw materials	2.0	0.6	2.2	0.7	2.4	0.7	2.4	0.8	2.7	0.7
	3 Energy	1.7	0.5	1.9	0.6	1.9	0.6	1.5	0.5	1.7	0.5
	5 Chemistry	17.2	5.6	19.8	6.0	23.0	6.8	22.7	7.0	26.4	7.1
	7 Machinery and transport equip.	222.0	71.7	239.3	72.0	238.1	70.3	225.1	69.5	256.7	69.1
	6+8 Other manufactured goods	58.4	18.9	61.2	18.4	64.3	19.0	62.3	19.2	71.5	19.3
<b>IMPORTS</b>											
EU-15 (1)	<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>	<b>470.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>518.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>545.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>581.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>671.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	0+1 Food	38.1	8.1	43.4	8.4	43.2	7.9	45.2	7.8	48.3	7.2
	2+4 Raw materials	28.7	6.1	35.4	6.8	40.2	7.4	37.3	6.4	42.7	6.4
	3 Energy	68.4	14.6	69.1	13.3	64.8	11.9	77.1	13.3	84.9	12.6
	5 Chemistry	32.1	6.8	37.5	7.2	43.1	7.9	44.4	7.6	51.4	7.7
	7 Machinery and transport equip.	149.2	31.7	164.7	31.8	173.3	31.8	187.9	32.3	228.5	34.1
	6+8 Other manufactured goods	138.1	29.4	154.0	29.7	164.8	30.2	169.4	29.1	196.3	29.3
USA	<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>	<b>512.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>579.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>589.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>644.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>792.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	0+1 Food	26.4	5.1	27.8	4.8	26.8	4.5	30.1	4.7	37.6	4.7
	2+4 Raw materials	15.2	3.0	17.2	3.0	18.2	3.1	19.3	3.0	22.3	2.8
	3 Energy	50.6	9.9	50.5	8.7	48.2	8.2	60.7	9.4	72.8	9.2
	5 Chemistry	26.0	5.1	29.8	5.1	32.2	5.5	36.7	5.7	46.0	5.8
	7 Machinery and transport equip.	226.8	44.3	264.5	45.6	273.6	46.4	290.8	45.2	355.2	44.8
	6+8 Other manufactured goods	152.8	29.8	170.0	29.3	170.7	29.0	183.4	28.5	229.5	29.0
Japan	<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>	<b>206.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>230.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>256.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>275.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>298.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	0+1 Food	33.5	16.2	39.2	17.0	38.9	15.1	39.9	14.5	40.6	13.6
	2+4 Raw materials	24.6	11.9	25.6	11.1	26.9	10.5	25.7	9.3	27.8	9.3
	3 Energy	42.1	20.4	40.5	17.6	41.2	16.0	47.9	17.4	55.4	18.6
	5 Chemistry	15.1	7.3	16.6	7.2	18.4	7.2	18.0	6.5	20.2	6.8
	7 Machinery and transport equip.	34.9	16.9	44.3	19.2	58.0	22.6	67.1	24.4	73.7	24.7
	6+8 Other manufactured goods	51.0	24.7	59.9	26.0	68.0	26.5	71.5	26.0	76.1	25.5

Source : UN (Comtrade), IMF (total only), Eurostat (EU-15)  
(1) Excluding intra EU-15 trade



## European Union trading partners

## EXPORTS

Partner	Value (Bn ECU)					%					Σ %	Rank
	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1997	1997
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>471.4</b>	<b>523.6</b>	<b>572.8</b>	<b>625.1</b>	<b>720.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>		
USA	91.5	103.7	103.3	114.4	141.3	19.4	19.8	18.0	18.3	19.6	19.6	1
Switzerland	42.7	46.8	51.0	51.4	53.0	9.1	8.9	8.9	8.2	7.4	27.0	2
Japan	24.7	29.1	32.9	35.7	36.1	5.2	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.0	32.0	3
Russia	12.7	14.4	16.1	19.1	25.5	2.7	2.7	2.8	3.1	3.5	35.5	4
Poland	11.1	12.3	15.3	19.9	25.1	2.4	2.4	2.7	3.2	3.5	39.0	5
Norway	14.3	16.5	17.3	19.7	23.3	3.0	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.2	42.2	6
Turkey	12.4	9.3	13.4	18.2	22.3	2.6	1.8	2.3	2.9	3.1	45.3	7
Hong Kong	12.0	13.9	15.8	17.5	20.4	2.5	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.8	48.2	8
China	12.4	14.0	14.7	14.7	16.5	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.3	50.5	9
Czech Republic	7.1	9.2	11.7	14.0	15.8	1.5	1.8	2.0	2.2	2.2	52.7	10
Brazil	5.7	7.5	11.4	11.7	14.9	1.2	1.4	2.0	1.9	2.1	54.7	11
South Korea	8.4	10.9	12.3	14.3	14.5	1.8	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.0	56.7	12
Canada	9.5	10.6	10.3	10.7	14.1	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.7	2.0	58.7	13
Hungary	6.4	8.1	8.7	10.0	13.6	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.9	60.6	14
Singapore	8.3	9.7	10.9	12.3	13.5	1.8	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.9	62.5	15
Saudi Arabia	10.1	9.3	8.6	10.3	13.2	2.1	1.8	1.5	1.7	1.8	64.3	16
Australia	7.9	9.7	10.5	11.5	13.1	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	66.1	17
Taiwan	7.6	8.7	10.1	9.9	12.7	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.8	67.9	18
Israel	8.0	9.4	9.7	10.4	11.5	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.6	69.5	19
India	6.5	7.5	9.4	9.9	10.2	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.6	1.4	70.9	20
South Africa	5.8	7.5	8.7	8.9	9.7	1.2	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.4	72.2	21
Malaysia	4.4	6.4	7.9	7.5	8.8	0.9	1.2	1.4	1.2	1.2	73.4	22
Indonesia	4.7	4.7	5.9	7.0	8.3	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.1	74.6	23
United Arab Emirates	5.6	6.2	6.5	6.7	7.9	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1	75.7	24
Thailand	5.7	6.7	8.5	8.5	7.8	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.1	76.8	25
Mexico	6.2	7.1	4.5	5.1	7.4	1.3	1.4	0.8	0.8	1.0	77.8	26
Argentina	3.6	5.2	4.6	5.8	7.3	0.8	1.0	0.8	0.9	1.0	78.8	27
Egypt	4.7	4.9	5.0	5.7	6.7	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	79.8	28
Slovenia	3.6	4.3	5.2	5.4	6.3	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	80.6	29
Morocco	4.4	4.5	4.7	4.7	5.3	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.7	81.4	30
Tunisia	3.7	3.9	4.2	4.3	5.3	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	82.1	31
Philippines	2.0	2.1	2.3	3.2	5.1	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.7	82.8	32
Romania	2.5	2.9	3.8	4.4	5.0	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	83.5	33
Iran	6.0	4.1	3.5	3.9	4.9	1.3	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.7	84.2	34
Slovakia	1.6	2.2	3.2	4.0	4.8	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.7	84.9	35
Croatia	2.3	3.2	3.7	3.9	4.8	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7	85.5	36
Algeria	4.3	4.8	4.7	4.1	4.3	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6	86.1	37
Chile	1.9	2.1	2.4	2.7	3.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	86.6	38
Ukraine	1.6	1.8	2.2	2.6	3.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	87.1	39
Lebanon	1.8	2.3	2.5	2.7	3.1	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	87.5	40
Libya	2.8	2.2	2.3	2.5	2.8	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	87.9	41
Nigeria	3.0	2.2	2.1	2.4	2.7	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	88.3	42
Venezuela	2.2	1.7	1.9	1.7	2.4	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	88.6	43
Colombia	1.4	1.9	1.8	2.0	2.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	88.9	44
Estonia	0.5	1.0	1.3	1.7	2.4	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	89.3	45
Kuwait	2.5	1.9	2.4	2.2	2.3	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	89.6	46
Lithuania	0.5	0.9	1.0	1.5	2.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	89.9	47
Qatar	0.8	0.8	1.2	1.1	2.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	90.2	48
Pakistan	2.2	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.1	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	90.5	49
Malta	1.8	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.0	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	90.7	50

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Partner	Value (Bn ECU)					%					Σ %	Rank
	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1997	1997
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>470.2</b>	<b>518.5</b>	<b>545.1</b>	<b>581.5</b>	<b>671.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>		
USA	90.6	100.0	103.6	112.8	137.7	19.3	19.3	19.0	19.4	20.5	20.5	1
Japan	52.2	53.8	54.3	52.5	59.6	11.1	10.4	10.0	9.0	8.9	29.4	2
Switzerland	38.4	41.8	43.2	42.7	45.1	8.2	8.1	7.9	7.3	6.7	36.1	3
China	21.1	24.6	26.3	30.0	37.4	4.5	4.7	4.8	5.2	5.6	41.7	4
Norway	21.0	23.7	25.5	30.6	33.6	4.5	4.6	4.7	5.3	5.0	46.7	5
Russia	17.1	21.5	21.5	23.3	27.0	3.6	4.1	3.9	4.0	4.0	50.7	6
Taiwan	10.4	10.3	11.8	12.9	15.7	2.2	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.3	53.1	7
Poland	8.5	10.1	12.3	12.3	14.2	1.8	2.0	2.2	2.1	2.1	55.2	8
South Korea	8.3	9.1	10.9	11.1	13.1	1.8	1.8	2.0	1.9	2.0	57.1	9
Brazil	8.5	10.9	10.8	10.4	12.6	1.8	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.9	59.0	10
Canada	8.3	9.8	11.7	11.5	12.5	1.8	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.9	60.9	11
Turkey	6.8	7.9	9.2	10.2	11.9	1.5	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.8	62.7	12
Czech Republic	5.6	7.4	9.0	9.8	11.8	1.2	1.4	1.7	1.7	1.8	64.4	13
Hungary	4.9	6.1	7.6	8.8	11.6	1.0	1.2	1.4	1.5	1.7	66.1	14
Singapore	6.8	8.2	8.8	9.3	11.3	1.4	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7	67.8	15
Saudi Arabia	9.8	9.2	8.8	10.1	10.9	2.1	1.8	1.6	1.7	1.6	69.4	16
Malaysia	6.6	7.9	9.2	9.4	10.8	1.4	1.5	1.7	1.6	1.6	71.1	17
India	6.2	7.2	7.8	8.6	9.5	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.4	72.5	18
South Africa	8.8	6.9	7.8	8.2	9.1	1.9	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	73.8	19
Thailand	5.8	6.6	6.6	7.5	8.6	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.3	75.1	20
Algeria	6.5	6.2	4.8	5.4	8.4	1.4	1.2	0.9	0.9	1.2	76.3	21
Hong Kong	7.0	7.1	7.2	7.2	8.4	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.2	77.6	22
Indonesia	5.2	6.0	6.1	7.1	8.3	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.2	78.8	23
Libya	6.2	6.1	5.8	7.1	7.6	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.1	80.0	24
Israel	3.6	4.3	4.7	5.3	6.3	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	80.9	25
Australia	4.1	4.9	5.0	5.2	6.3	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	81.8	26
Iran	6.1	5.6	5.4	6.0	5.1	1.3	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.8	82.6	27
Morocco	3.5	3.8	4.0	4.2	4.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	83.3	28
Slovenia	3.2	3.8	4.2	4.3	4.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.7	84.0	29
Romania	1.8	2.8	3.4	3.6	4.4	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	84.7	30
Philippines	2.0	2.2	2.4	3.3	4.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.7	85.3	31
Nigeria	3.5	4.3	3.4	5.0	4.3	0.7	0.8	0.6	0.9	0.6	86.0	32
Tunisia	2.5	3.1	3.4	3.6	4.0	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	86.6	33
Slovakia	1.4	2.2	3.1	3.4	4.0	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.6	87.2	34
Argentina	3.1	3.6	3.7	3.9	3.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	87.7	35
Mexico	2.4	2.7	3.2	3.2	3.8	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.6	88.3	36
Chile	2.2	2.5	3.2	3.2	3.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	88.8	37
Egypt	2.3	2.9	2.2	2.8	2.6	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.4	89.2	38
Colombia	1.7	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	89.6	39
Pakistan	1.8	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	89.9	40
Vietnam	0.6	0.9	1.2	1.4	2.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	90.2	41
Bulgaria	1.0	1.4	1.8	1.7	2.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	90.6	42
New Zealand	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.9	2.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	90.9	43
Syria	1.7	1.6	1.7	2.0	2.0	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	91.2	44
Ivory Coast	1.4	1.8	2.1	2.1	2.0	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	91.5	45
Ukraine	1.0	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.9	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	91.7	46
Croatia	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.8	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	92.0	47
Bangladesh	0.9	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.8	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	92.3	48
Venezuela	1.2	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.7	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	92.5	49
Cameroon	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.5	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	92.8	50

# YEARLY TRENDS IN EU TRADE BY PARTNER COUNTRY

## EXPORTS

*Value (Mio ECU) and variations (%)*

Main partners	1994		1995		1996		1997		Jan-Sep 1998	
	Value	94/93	Value	95/94	Value	96/95	Value	97/96	Value	98/97
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>523 641</b>	<b>11.1</b>	<b>572 840</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>625 116</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>720 492</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>546 949</b>	<b>4.2</b>
<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>	<b>143 704</b>	<b>11.4</b>	<b>166 421</b>	<b>15.8</b>	<b>189 862</b>	<b>14.1</b>	<b>223 887</b>	<b>17.9</b>	<b>177 668</b>	<b>10.0</b>
<i>of which</i>										
Iceland	700	-4.3	793	13.3	918	15.8	1 136	23.8	900	7.6
Norway	16 546	15.5	17 321	4.7	19 694	13.7	23 318	18.4	18 601	8.2
Switzerland	46 763	9.4	51 019	9.1	51 383	0.7	52 984	3.1	41 886	7.0
Liechtenstein	:	:	448	:	534	19.2	551	3.2	552	37.5
Andorra	685	-5.7	722	5.4	687	-4.8	849	23.6	600	-1.7
Gibraltar	596	30.8	400	-32.8	642	60.3	673	4.9	358	-30.7
Malta	1 889	6.1	2 015	6.7	1 867	-7.3	2 004	7.3	1 451	-0.2
Turkey	9 310	-25.0	13 389	43.8	18 243	36.2	22 329	22.4	16 901	5.9
Estonia	1 030	109.3	1 348	30.9	1 697	25.8	2 387	40.7	2 050	22.7
Latvia	719	73.4	939	30.6	1 110	18.1	1 535	38.3	1 406	32.9
Lithuania	856	57.2	1 016	18.7	1 460	43.7	2 154	47.5	1 822	20.8
Poland	12 317	10.8	15 297	24.2	19 858	29.8	25 058	26.2	20 956	15.8
Czech Republic	9 224	30.1	11 653	26.3	13 975	19.9	15 848	13.4	12 524	7.3
Slovakia	2 194	38.7	3 194	45.5	3 998	25.2	4 816	20.5	4 170	18.2
Hungary	8 066	25.1	8 729	8.2	10 001	14.6	13 581	35.8	12 288	28.2
Romania	2 895	15.2	3 794	31.1	4 445	17.2	5 014	12.8	4 552	28.9
Bulgaria	1 752	17.8	2 052	17.1	1 699	-17.2	1 846	8.6	1 771	39.3
Albania	433	6.8	518	19.6	744	43.7	564	-24.2	393	-5.4
Ukraine	1 792	13.8	2 249	25.5	2 625	16.7	3 433	30.8	2 843	15.3
Belarus	621	6.5	885	42.5	917	3.6	1 233	34.5	908	3.5
Russia	14 385	13.3	16 128	12.1	19 094	18.4	25 546	33.8	17 822	1.2
Slovenia	4 348	20.1	5 178	19.1	5 377	3.9	6 318	17.5	4 967	7.0
Croatia	3 234	42.5	3 736	15.5	3 890	4.1	4 783	23.0	3 324	-0.8
Form. Yug. Rep. Maced	811	20.0	880	8.6	807	-8.3	848	5.1	646	5.1
Cyprus	2 086	6.1	2 015	-3.4	1 937	-3.9	1 948	0.6	1 545	12.2
<b>Africa</b>	<b>47 522</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>51 580</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>53 712</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>52 037</b>	<b>-3.1</b>	<b>42 752</b>	<b>14.2</b>
<i>of which</i>										
<b>North Africa</b>	<b>25 034</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>25 982</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>26 992</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>24 499</b>	<b>-9.2</b>	<b>20 673</b>	<b>18.5</b>
<i>of which</i>										
Canary Islands	4 184	1.6	4 482	7.1	5 126	14.4	:	:	:	:
Ceuta and Melilla	573	-5.3	596	4.0	518	-13.0	26	-94.9	481	↗
Morocco	4 491	3.0	4 727	5.3	4 703	-0.5	5 319	13.1	4 831	28.8
Algeria	4 828	13.3	4 727	-2.1	4 063	-14.0	4 349	7.0	3 653	17.8
Tunisia	3 898	4.2	4 155	6.6	4 343	4.5	5 287	21.7	4 169	8.9
Libya	2 159	-24.1	2 279	5.5	2 510	10.1	2 771	10.4	2 025	2.6
Egypt	4 901	3.4	5 016	2.3	5 729	14.2	6 747	17.8	5 514	15.9
Sudan	314	11.6	280	-10.7	292	4.4	361	23.5	385	54.0
Mauritania	250	1.8	233	-6.7	267	14.5	278	4.0	204	5.2
Senegal	544	0.0	715	31.4	794	11.0	881	11.0	720	13.9
Guinea	296	11.5	270	-8.6	282	4.2	316	12.1	240	6.0
Liberia	599	-30.5	1 240	107.1	455	-63.3	537	18.2	1 411	196.3
Ivory Coast	747	-12.8	1 187	58.8	1 183	-0.3	1 284	8.6	1 067	17.4
Ghana	684	4.5	744	8.8	973	30.8	1 106	13.6	781	-3.5
Nigeria	2 193	-26.1	2 053	-6.4	2 372	15.5	2 712	14.3	2 009	-0.2
Cameroon	441	-21.4	564	28.0	638	13.1	732	14.7	640	22.2
Gabon	822	4.1	719	-12.5	971	35.0	1 138	17.2	694	-10.5
Congo	293	-15.6	478	63.3	923	93.2	420	-54.6	329	-1.8
Zaire	309	15.4	358	15.8	374	4.3	294	-21.4	225	8.9
Angola	583	-17.4	799	37.1	777	-2.8	1 056	35.9	702	-2.6
Ethiopia	447	-4.5	468	4.9	450	-4.0	488	8.4	324	-9.3
Kenya	753	30.9	857	13.8	875	2.1	908	3.8	658	-1.8
Uganda	132	7.6	182	38.5	175	-3.9	181	3.6	148	10.8
Tanzania	359	-11.1	316	-12.0	307	-2.9	401	30.8	231	-6.3
Madagascar	236	17.1	248	5.5	261	5.2	320	22.6	270	19.6
Réunion	1 425	16.5	1 483	4.0	1 590	7.3	:	:	:	:
Mauritius	653	48.4	651	-0.3	587	-9.8	653	11.2	394	-1.6
Zimbabwe	380	14.8	371	-2.6	415	12.0	440	5.9	296	-12.0
South Africa	7 521	29.8	8 687	15.5	8 853	1.9	9 735	10.0	7 912	9.8
Namibia	77	-28.6	138	78.2	129	-6.2	189	46.2	105	-20.4
<b>EFTA</b>	<b>64 008</b>	<b>10.8</b>	<b>69 582</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>72 530</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>77 989</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>61 940</b>	<b>7.6</b>
<b>OECD, excluding EU-15</b>	<b>234 873</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>245 841</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>283 546</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>369 187</b>	<b>30.2</b>	<b>263 910</b>	<b>-2.7</b>
<b>CEEC</b>	<b>48 111</b>	<b>23.9</b>	<b>58 682</b>	<b>22.0</b>	<b>70 828</b>	<b>20.7</b>	<b>87 277</b>	<b>23.2</b>	<b>72 828</b>	<b>16.2</b>
<b>CIS</b>	<b>18 517</b>	<b>14.1</b>	<b>20 814</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>24 867</b>	<b>19.5</b>	<b>33 540</b>	<b>34.9</b>	<b>24 057</b>	<b>2.5</b>
<b>Mediterranean Basin</b>	<b>58 285</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>64 539</b>	<b>10.7</b>	<b>72 897</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>83 674</b>	<b>14.8</b>	<b>64 544</b>	<b>7.2</b>
<b>ACP</b>	<b>15 411</b>	<b>-10.7</b>	<b>17 567</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>18 619</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>20 444</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>16 414</b>	<b>13.5</b>

Since January 1997 the Canary Islands are included in the Spanish customs territories and Réunion in the French.

## EXPORTS

Value (Mio ECU)

Main partners	1997	1998											
	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>64 317</b>	<b>69 156</b>	<b>61 868</b>	<b>64 670</b>	<b>53 821</b>	<b>57 976</b>	<b>67 227</b>	<b>62 641</b>	<b>60 666</b>	<b>64 592</b>	<b>67 309</b>	<b>52 873</b>	<b>59 845</b>
<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>	<b>20 431</b>	<b>22 076</b>	<b>20 077</b>	<b>20 166</b>	<b>17 436</b>	<b>18 957</b>	<b>22 021</b>	<b>20 704</b>	<b>20 048</b>	<b>20 976</b>	<b>21 059</b>	<b>17 142</b>	<b>19 325</b>
<i>of which</i>													
Iceland	93	109	97	94	85	90	107	101	98	118	113	86	102
Norway	2 071	2 171	1 943	2 020	1 775	1 911	2 272	2 504	1 998	2 170	1 879	1 978	2 113
Switzerland	4 613	5 102	4 424	4 309	4 259	4 557	5 067	4 656	4 540	5 021	4 902	3 864	5 020
Liechtenstein	52	49	60	39	39	43	53	75	75	72	80	40	76
Andorra	76	90	74	75	52	64	78	63	60	68	85	59	71
Gibraltar	48	61	48	48	38	39	43	41	40	37	43	40	37
Malta	165	191	197	163	119	173	177	174	167	166	196	126	153
Turkey	2 135	2 124	2 040	2 207	1 621	1 719	2 055	1 946	1 904	1 978	2 181	1 663	1 833
Estonia	240	254	252	210	209	204	235	237	237	243	231	220	234
Latvia	146	181	159	137	140	146	174	160	160	189	158	142	137
Lithuania	202	226	210	210	169	181	237	216	211	225	216	184	184
Poland	2 295	2 497	2 256	2 213	2 082	2 195	2 576	2 280	2 402	2 386	2 497	2 094	2 443
Czech Republic	1 453	1 502	1 404	1 269	1 167	1 310	1 522	1 423	1 457	1 470	1 494	1 216	1 464
Slovakia	384	446	439	404	356	425	492	469	479	488	513	440	509
Hungary	1 289	1 417	1 361	1 216	1 148	1 301	1 530	1 430	1 399	1 442	1 449	1 154	1 436
Romania	420	492	494	496	381	410	505	521	548	601	600	433	552
Bulgaria	173	197	188	190	151	181	210	209	213	234	230	162	182
Albania	52	53	45	50	34	38	55	39	52	45	47	38	45
Ukraine	343	343	290	334	235	307	381	349	344	338	355	282	252
Belarus	114	107	123	125	80	98	125	109	105	113	119	86	75
Russia	2 556	2 759	2 471	2 712	2 074	2 237	2 473	2 203	2 029	2 038	2 123	1 718	929
Slovenia	567	612	553	508	480	541	636	571	598	575	597	400	571
Croatia	410	453	419	560	317	323	405	390	390	426	406	289	378
Form. Yug. Rep. Maced	66	80	67	87	65	70	68	73	77	74	80	71	68
Cyprus	177	254	164	153	134	153	239	198	148	160	181	137	194
<b>Africa</b>	<b>4 378</b>	<b>5 112</b>	<b>4 333</b>	<b>5 150</b>	<b>3 951</b>	<b>4 519</b>	<b>5 320</b>	<b>4 921</b>	<b>5 007</b>	<b>5 328</b>	<b>5 361</b>	<b>3 886</b>	<b>4 459</b>
<i>of which</i>													
<b>North Africa</b>	<b>2 025</b>	<b>2 426</b>	<b>2 118</b>	<b>2 515</b>	<b>1 975</b>	<b>2 295</b>	<b>2 483</b>	<b>2 255</b>	<b>2 348</b>	<b>2 671</b>	<b>2 744</b>	<b>1 751</b>	<b>2 152</b>
<i>of which</i>													
Canary Islands	0	0	0	0	51	51	58	49	52	55	62	43	60
Ceuta and Melilla	0	0	0	1	51	51	58	49	52	55	62	43	60
Morocco	409	541	477	550	471	488	538	484	530	682	797	350	491
Algeria	367	408	376	465	301	377	423	404	422	488	455	355	427
Tunisia	406	495	455	508	375	408	538	509	477	564	563	295	439
Libya	205	263	233	300	240	224	300	253	229	215	223	164	177
Egypt	638	720	577	692	537	746	626	555	637	667	643	543	559
Sudan	25	40	29	43	32	28	24	44	34	54	36	80	54
Mauritania	16	25	28	31	19	22	21	28	25	25	24	20	21
Senegal	61	101	60	88	59	83	87	76	61	94	77	61	122
Guinea	29	26	31	33	26	30	35	26	26	27	24	23	24
Liberia	26	40	7	14	26	24	382	309	408	190	38	23	11
Ivory Coast	102	126	118	131	108	104	128	121	115	132	125	107	127
Ghana	102	110	81	105	66	102	97	99	83	83	90	92	70
Nigeria	232	218	202	278	199	208	232	228	217	206	273	231	215
Cameroon	63	71	64	73	64	76	83	66	74	71	69	68	70
Gabon	157	145	70	148	66	87	71	60	58	102	81	75	94
Congo	22	26	24	34	28	36	38	50	37	36	38	28	39
Zaire	28	31	29	28	23	28	32	31	25	30	35	11	12
Angola	73	104	119	112	77	82	79	85	77	81	89	62	70
Ethiopia	40	43	37	51	33	41	34	52	38	28	33	28	36
Kenya	62	75	81	82	68	69	77	71	75	77	90	72	58
Uganda	14	18	16	14	15	15	18	15	11	20	17	21	16
Tanzania	31	36	28	91	26	25	24	27	21	32	31	22	24
Madagascar	26	32	33	30	25	26	34	37	29	34	34	25	27
Réunion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mauritius	53	166	45	42	41	43	47	45	41	44	47	40	45
Zimbabwe	40	38	31	33	30	28	43	35	38	35	36	23	29
South Africa	884	897	783	849	685	805	946	884	905	982	1 020	800	884
Namibia	23	26	25	6	9	24	9	7	8	9	25	8	7
<b>EFTA</b>	<b>6 829</b>	<b>7 432</b>	<b>6 525</b>	<b>6 462</b>	<b>6 158</b>	<b>6 602</b>	<b>7 498</b>	<b>7 336</b>	<b>6 711</b>	<b>7 381</b>	<b>6 974</b>	<b>5 969</b>	<b>7 311</b>
<b>OECD, excluding EU-15</b>	<b>33 186</b>	<b>35 354</b>	<b>31 006</b>	<b>31 706</b>	<b>25 594</b>	<b>28 380</b>	<b>32 079</b>	<b>30 425</b>	<b>28 705</b>	<b>30 939</b>	<b>32 399</b>	<b>25 327</b>	<b>30 062</b>
<b>CEEC</b>	<b>7 935</b>	<b>8 658</b>	<b>8 090</b>	<b>7 830</b>	<b>6 874</b>	<b>7 516</b>	<b>8 894</b>	<b>8 232</b>	<b>8 484</b>	<b>8 639</b>	<b>8 745</b>	<b>7 024</b>	<b>8 420</b>
<b>CIS</b>	<b>3 308</b>	<b>3 465</b>	<b>3 122</b>	<b>3 493</b>	<b>2 593</b>	<b>2 846</b>	<b>3 233</b>	<b>2 905</b>	<b>2 802</b>	<b>2 801</b>	<b>2 945</b>	<b>2 454</b>	<b>1 479</b>
<b>Mediterranean Basin</b>	<b>7 442</b>	<b>8 007</b>	<b>7 257</b>	<b>8 217</b>	<b>6 187</b>	<b>6 936</b>	<b>7 942</b>	<b>7 276</b>	<b>7 313</b>	<b>7 779</b>	<b>8 254</b>	<b>5 860</b>	<b>6 998</b>
<b>ACP</b>	<b>1 673</b>	<b>2 026</b>	<b>1 921</b>	<b>2 029</b>	<b>1 542</b>	<b>1 585</b>	<b>2 064</b>	<b>1 966</b>	<b>1 947</b>	<b>2 295</b>	<b>1 877</b>	<b>1 495</b>	<b>1 643</b>

# YEARLY TRENDS IN EU TRADE BY PARTNER COUNTRY

## EXPORTS

*Value (Mio ECU) and variations (%)*

Main partners	1994		1995		1996		1997		Jan-Sep 1998	
	Value	94/93	Value	95/94	Value	96/95	Value	97/96	Value	98/97
<b>North America</b>	<b>114 491</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>113 858</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>125 422</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>155 703</b>	<b>24.1</b>	<b>130 681</b>	<b>14.7</b>
<i>of which</i> USA	103 670	13.4	103 299	-0.4	114 418	10.8	141 293	23.5	118 939	15.1
Canada	10 582	11.8	10 337	-2.3	10 697	3.5	14 104	31.8	11 508	10.8
<b>Central America and West Ind.</b>	<b>15 071</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>13 278</b>	<b>-11.9</b>	<b>15 210</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>15 945</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>13 699</b>	<b>22.1</b>
<i>of which</i> Mexico	7 126	15.4	4 511	-36.7	5 128	13.7	7 426	44.8	6 873	29.9
Bermuda	611	-8.7	772	26.3	1 058	37.0	1 083	2.3	455	-43.4
Guatemala	298	0.4	301	1.2	334	10.9	381	14.2	332	14.9
Costa Rica	282	-9.8	339	20.3	309	-9.1	392	27.0	352	26.3
Panama	720	-5.9	878	21.9	1 323	50.6	1 101	-16.8	1 117	38.2
Cuba	580	19.6	712	22.8	791	11.1	928	17.4	832	26.1
Bahamas	542	-57.1	523	-3.6	808	54.7	593	-26.7	743	273.7
Guadeloupe	1 070	9.0	1 145	7.0	1 299	13.4	:	:	:	:
Martinique	1 018	5.0	1 122	10.3	1 168	4.1	:	:	:	:
Netherlands Antilles	414	3.8	403	-2.7	396	-1.6	480	21.1	327	-3.3
<b>South America</b>	<b>22 078</b>	<b>22.5</b>	<b>27 053</b>	<b>22.5</b>	<b>28 679</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>33 981</b>	<b>18.5</b>	<b>26 862</b>	<b>9.5</b>
<i>of which</i> Colombia	1 894	32.3	1 816	-4.1	1 967	8.4	2 391	21.5	1 901	12.3
Venezuela	1 679	-22.1	1 865	11.0	1 743	-6.5	2 395	37.4	2 318	35.9
French Guiana	1 068	-11.4	2 118	98.4	1 693	-20.0	:	:	:	:
Ecuador	547	5.4	629	15.0	546	-13.2	721	31.9	515	-2.2
Peru	755	58.7	984	30.4	1 009	2.5	1 116	10.5	861	6.3
Brazil	7 485	32.2	11 372	51.9	11 711	3.0	14 893	27.2	11 441	6.3
Chile	2 062	10.8	2 391	16.0	2 732	14.3	3 439	25.9	2 553	4.3
Uruguay	774	30.5	642	-17.0	688	7.2	886	28.8	672	10.5
Argentina	5 239	45.4	4 575	-12.7	5 834	27.5	7 315	25.4	5 915	9.7
<b>Near and Middle East</b>	<b>39 647</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>39 343</b>	<b>-0.8</b>	<b>43 070</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>51 180</b>	<b>18.8</b>	<b>36 745</b>	<b>-0.2</b>
<i>of which</i> Lebanon	2 293	27.3	2 471	7.7	2 713	9.8	3 091	13.9	2 055	-10.4
Syria	1 701	19.1	1 378	-19.0	1 403	1.8	1 351	-3.7	1 065	14.4
Iran	4 068	-32.6	3 452	-15.2	3 868	12.0	4 904	26.8	3 294	-9.8
Israel	9 404	18.2	9 661	2.7	10 414	7.8	11 504	10.5	8 324	-2.7
Jordan	1 097	7.8	1 046	-4.7	1 189	13.7	1 199	0.8	843	-2.2
Saudi Arabia	9 315	-7.5	8 646	-7.2	10 337	19.6	13 175	27.5	8 904	-4.9
Kuwait	1 914	-23.3	2 424	26.6	2 195	-9.4	2 291	4.4	1 583	-4.0
Bahrain	613	-3.1	529	-13.8	879	66.2	667	-24.1	544	13.9
Qatar	826	8.7	1 167	41.3	1 096	-6.1	2 118	93.2	1 193	5.8
United Arab Emirates	6 216	10.1	6 490	4.4	6 688	3.0	7 915	18.4	6 469	12.3
Oman	1 387	32.2	1 299	-6.3	1 137	-12.5	1 308	15.1	1 056	9.2
<b>Other countries of Asia</b>	<b>120 811</b>	<b>17.9</b>	<b>137 127</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>148 738</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>163 035</b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>100 455</b>	<b>-17.3</b>
<i>of which</i> Kazakhstan	742	9.0	447	-39.7	562	25.7	1 394	148.0	973	-14.3
Uzbekistan	402	89.2	420	4.6	699	66.4	762	9.0	475	-14.3
Pakistan	2 180	0.9	2 045	-6.2	2 139	4.6	2 052	-4.1	1 194	-26.9
India	7 466	14.1	9 439	26.4	9 910	5.0	10 246	3.4	7 317	-5.6
Bangladesh	469	5.5	495	5.5	597	20.6	669	12.1	415	-14.3
Sri Lanka	840	43.3	720	-14.3	676	-6.1	884	30.9	597	-8.0
China	14 013	13.4	14 689	4.8	14 722	0.2	16 478	11.9	12 581	15.0
Indonesia	4 706	-0.7	5 854	24.4	7 005	19.7	8 280	18.2	3 010	-51.7
Philippines	2 108	7.9	2 290	8.7	3 239	41.4	5 094	57.3	2 433	-35.3
Thailand	6 680	17.1	8 490	27.1	8 475	-0.2	7 802	-7.9	3 626	-41.9
Vietnam	649	22.4	750	15.5	1 295	72.7	1 158	-10.6	784	-9.5
Malaysia	6 360	45.8	7 938	24.8	7 542	-5.0	8 761	16.2	4 156	-39.0
Brunei	797	34.3	624	-21.6	1 058	69.4	1 064	0.6	525	-36.9
Singapore	9 737	17.6	10 901	12.0	12 269	12.5	13 521	10.2	8 245	-17.6
South Korea	10 925	30.6	12 330	12.9	14 341	16.3	14 472	0.9	6 828	-36.9
Japan	29 082	17.9	32 889	13.1	35 666	8.4	36 101	1.2	23 681	-13.6
Taiwan	8 732	15.2	10 111	15.8	9 947	-1.6	12 652	27.2	9 314	-1.6
Hong Kong	13 912	15.9	15 793	13.5	17 455	10.5	20 434	17.1	13 363	-11.2
<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>	<b>12 203</b>	<b>18.9</b>	<b>13 494</b>	<b>10.6</b>	<b>14 462</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>16 358</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>11 900</b>	<b>0.6</b>
Australia	9 663	22.7	10 493	8.6	11 514	9.7	13 128	14.0	9 748	1.9
New Zealand	1 634	21.3	1 773	8.5	1 888	6.5	1 964	4.1	1 330	-8.8
New Caledonia and dep.	368	-4.7	389	5.8	412	5.8	462	12.1	332	0.1
<b>NAFTA</b>	<b>121 378</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>118 147</b>	<b>-2.7</b>	<b>130 243</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>162 823</b>	<b>25.0</b>	<b>137 320</b>	<b>15.4</b>
<b>Latin America</b>	<b>30 784</b>	<b>20.9</b>	<b>32 390</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>35 537</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>45 126</b>	<b>27.0</b>	<b>36 556</b>	<b>12.6</b>
<b>MERCOSUR</b>	<b>13 762</b>	<b>37.1</b>	<b>16 870</b>	<b>22.6</b>	<b>18 555</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>23 455</b>	<b>26.4</b>	<b>18 275</b>	<b>7.4</b>
<b>OPEC</b>	<b>38 778</b>	<b>-9.5</b>	<b>39 702</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>42 891</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>52 241</b>	<b>21.8</b>	<b>35 463</b>	<b>-5.4</b>
<b>DAE</b>	<b>56 345</b>	<b>21.7</b>	<b>65 564</b>	<b>16.4</b>	<b>70 029</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>77 642</b>	<b>10.9</b>	<b>45 532</b>	<b>-22.0</b>

Since January 1997 Guadeloupe, Martinique and French Guiana are included in the French customs territories.



## EXPORTS

Value (Mio ECU)

Main partners	1997				1998								
	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep
<b>North America</b>	<b>14 316</b>	<b>15 182</b>	<b>13 139</b>	<b>13 479</b>	<b>12 348</b>	<b>14 135</b>	<b>15 591</b>	<b>15 099</b>	<b>14 314</b>	<b>15 464</b>	<b>16 558</b>	<b>12 283</b>	<b>14 889</b>
<i>of which</i> USA	12 972	13 815	11 863	12 324	11 253	12 848	14 190	13 714	12 829	14 089	15 211	11 128	13 677
Canada	1 314	1 332	1 246	1 137	1 080	1 268	1 380	1 364	1 455	1 348	1 313	1 122	1 178
<b>Central America and West Ind.</b>	<b>1 343</b>	<b>1 538</b>	<b>1 673</b>	<b>1 519</b>	<b>1 199</b>	<b>1 277</b>	<b>1 515</b>	<b>1 481</b>	<b>1 366</b>	<b>2 047</b>	<b>1 680</b>	<b>1 685</b>	<b>1 450</b>
<i>of which</i> Mexico	642	692	674	769	569	686	875	799	753	822	866	743	759
Bermuda	114	130	38	109	65	34	10	37	17	109	70	56	59
Guatemala	35	31	33	29	36	41	41	39	35	37	39	30	35
Costa Rica	34	41	29	44	38	41	44	41	30	45	41	39	33
Panama	75	137	69	87	95	87	101	112	106	92	81	375	69
Cuba	65	95	88	86	71	86	82	102	107	110	124	75	76
Bahamas	40	49	315	30	34	12	9	20	41	453	93	14	66
Guadeloupe	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Martinique	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Netherlands Antilles	41	57	35	49	34	54	49	39	34	30	29	27	30
<b>South America</b>	<b>3 026</b>	<b>3 379</b>	<b>3 159</b>	<b>2 905</b>	<b>2 512</b>	<b>2 667</b>	<b>3 111</b>	<b>3 069</b>	<b>2 942</b>	<b>3 157</b>	<b>3 722</b>	<b>2 766</b>	<b>2 917</b>
<i>of which</i> Colombia	211	207	264	228	214	184	232	238	206	223	254	189	160
Venezuela	202	242	218	229	220	233	286	311	256	279	299	210	223
French Guiana	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Ecuador	73	66	60	68	54	53	71	53	55	57	68	55	49
Peru	95	97	103	106	80	96	126	98	91	101	103	81	85
Brazil	1 392	1 489	1 448	1 191	998	1 074	1 262	1 257	1 235	1 309	1 655	1 275	1 378
Chile	291	357	306	328	271	289	298	286	259	299	342	260	248
Uruguay	80	117	81	80	63	84	81	72	73	75	86	60	78
Argentina	619	729	607	589	550	588	671	671	690	709	834	576	626
<b>Near and Middle East</b>	<b>4 353</b>	<b>4 635</b>	<b>4 230</b>	<b>5 508</b>	<b>3 760</b>	<b>3 891</b>	<b>4 777</b>	<b>4 224</b>	<b>4 016</b>	<b>4 147</b>	<b>4 685</b>	<b>3 427</b>	<b>3 819</b>
<i>of which</i> Lebanon	268	288	249	260	177	224	270	231	227	229	256	202	239
Syria	98	127	136	156	95	125	134	115	114	126	129	106	122
Iran	353	439	347	467	337	337	408	374	401	351	502	264	321
Israel	1 096	971	879	1 097	865	951	1 022	926	881	957	1 061	766	895
Jordan	96	115	98	124	88	88	103	102	100	91	98	87	86
Saudi Arabia	1 113	1 315	1 127	1 368	833	913	1 319	1 032	944	1 028	1 106	857	873
Kuwait	181	228	201	212	172	167	200	172	172	168	197	163	173
Bahrain	53	59	66	64	51	57	51	61	58	56	64	62	84
Qatar	133	118	132	741	129	130	178	173	118	129	156	84	97
United Arab Emirates	701	707	701	746	776	655	796	741	717	712	820	597	655
Oman	116	112	120	110	97	110	124	127	119	140	137	107	94
<b>Other countries of Asia</b>	<b>14 130</b>	<b>14 764</b>	<b>13 104</b>	<b>13 646</b>	<b>10 645</b>	<b>10 712</b>	<b>12 486</b>	<b>11 259</b>	<b>10 714</b>	<b>11 574</b>	<b>12 129</b>	<b>9 966</b>	<b>10 970</b>
<i>of which</i> Kazakhstan	118	103	79	78	57	59	77	76	154	86	157	231	75
Uzbekistan	53	44	46	118	46	50	46	52	58	102	54	35	32
Pakistan	244	139	133	147	132	119	151	145	120	150	155	110	110
India	828	810	754	931	681	787	899	872	815	886	964	615	799
Bangladesh	52	59	53	73	39	38	58	58	41	38	51	42	50
Sri Lanka	75	80	62	92	63	67	72	70	68	65	89	49	55
China	1 524	1 862	2 085	1 595	993	1 162	1 443	1 486	1 366	1 607	1 628	1 426	1 470
Indonesia	694	737	625	681	384	275	301	347	418	300	352	257	377
Philippines	657	466	433	433	453	330	302	260	228	214	245	196	206
Thailand	585	579	454	530	412	356	416	422	363	359	441	420	436
Vietnam	86	93	85	113	83	78	89	81	79	103	98	93	81
Malaysia	731	707	597	646	573	451	498	474	466	450	434	353	458
Brunei	148	98	55	80	66	126	135	53	45	36	15	35	14
Singapore	1 100	1 295	1 062	1 154	912	809	1 037	947	774	825	962	849	1 129
South Korea	1 204	1 318	1 150	1 191	675	636	850	718	768	1 026	745	728	683
Japan	3 054	3 240	2 610	2 852	2 597	2 645	3 126	2 562	2 420	2 539	2 920	2 322	2 550
Taiwan	1 138	1 096	945	1 147	1 051	1 013	1 054	1 017	1 021	1 033	1 169	850	1 107
Hong Kong	1 747	1 932	1 767	1 683	1 350	1 623	1 819	1 477	1 405	1 631	1 531	1 268	1 259
<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>	<b>1 438</b>	<b>1 554</b>	<b>1 421</b>	<b>1 547</b>	<b>1 193</b>	<b>1 345</b>	<b>1 484</b>	<b>1 324</b>	<b>1 195</b>	<b>1 368</b>	<b>1 479</b>	<b>1 193</b>	<b>1 317</b>
Australia	1 153	1 260	1 138	1 162	955	1 095	1 213	1 086	994	1 114	1 219	984	1 088
New Zealand	187	190	158	158	157	166	173	147	125	140	157	129	137
New Caledonia and dep.	40	44	46	40	33	37	42	41	32	39	42	30	36
<b>NAFTA</b>	<b>14 928</b>	<b>15 839</b>	<b>13 782</b>	<b>14 230</b>	<b>12 902</b>	<b>14 802</b>	<b>16 445</b>	<b>15 878</b>	<b>15 037</b>	<b>16 259</b>	<b>17 390</b>	<b>12 993</b>	<b>15 613</b>
<b>Latin America</b>	<b>3 944</b>	<b>4 446</b>	<b>4 195</b>	<b>4 033</b>	<b>3 335</b>	<b>3 617</b>	<b>4 301</b>	<b>4 175</b>	<b>3 993</b>	<b>4 285</b>	<b>4 894</b>	<b>4 052</b>	<b>3 904</b>
<b>MERCOSUR</b>	<b>2 121</b>	<b>2 367</b>	<b>2 165</b>	<b>1 902</b>	<b>1 636</b>	<b>1 770</b>	<b>2 041</b>	<b>2 036</b>	<b>2 031</b>	<b>2 120</b>	<b>2 607</b>	<b>1 928</b>	<b>2 106</b>
<b>OPEC</b>	<b>4 353</b>	<b>4 848</b>	<b>4 255</b>	<b>5 670</b>	<b>3 679</b>	<b>3 622</b>	<b>4 544</b>	<b>4 142</b>	<b>4 007</b>	<b>4 008</b>	<b>4 486</b>	<b>3 290</b>	<b>3 687</b>
<b>DAE</b>	<b>6 504</b>	<b>6 928</b>	<b>5 976</b>	<b>6 352</b>	<b>4 973</b>	<b>4 889</b>	<b>5 675</b>	<b>5 055</b>	<b>4 797</b>	<b>5 324</b>	<b>5 282</b>	<b>4 467</b>	<b>5 071</b>

# YEARLY TRENDS IN EU TRADE BY PARTNER COUNTRY

## IMPORTS

*Value (Mio ECU) and variations (%)*

Main partners	1994		1995		1996		1997		Jan-Sep 1998	
	Value	94/93	Value	95/94	Value	96/95	Value	97/96	Value	98/97
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>518 499</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>545 130</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>581 501</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>670 989</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>532 358</b>	<b>8.1</b>
<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>	<b>138 593</b>	<b>17.5</b>	<b>152 190</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>162 030</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>183 681</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>144 114</b>	<b>7.2</b>
<i>of which</i>										
Iceland	913	7.8	920	0.8	974	5.9	1 058	8.6	930	20.9
Norway	23 660	12.7	25 495	7.8	30 614	20.1	33 620	9.8	22 630	-8.7
Switzerland	41 776	8.7	43 211	3.4	42 672	-1.2	45 070	5.6	36 407	10.1
Liechtenstein	:	:	268	:	448	67.3	578	28.9	452	7.4
Andorra	35	14.5	33	-6.3	28	-14.1	41	44.3	32	13.7
Gibraltar	63	34.8	60	-4.4	65	8.5	65	0.9	27	-50.9
Malta	1 028	18.3	1 077	4.8	797	-26.0	701	-12.0	564	11.4
Turkey	7 887	15.4	9 244	17.2	10 191	10.2	11 859	16.4	10 119	17.2
Estonia	594	100.5	889	49.6	1 089	22.5	1 503	38.1	1 249	16.9
Latvia	955	31.5	1 126	17.9	1 125	-0.1	1 281	13.8	1 056	7.1
Lithuania	843	20.7	970	15.0	1 087	12.1	1 314	20.8	1 036	5.4
Poland	10 127	19.7	12 252	21.0	12 252	0.0	14 208	16.0	11 849	13.9
Czech Republic	7 378	30.9	8 996	21.9	9 755	8.4	11 752	20.5	10 719	27.2
Slovakia	2 239	58.1	3 089	38.0	3 421	10.7	3 981	16.4	3 896	34.8
Hungary	6 060	24.2	7 610	25.6	8 827	16.0	11 630	31.8	10 394	25.5
Romania	2 795	55.7	3 390	21.3	3 597	6.1	4 427	23.1	3 819	17.6
Bulgaria	1 419	40.0	1 836	29.4	1 710	-6.9	2 087	22.1	1 717	11.4
Albania	126	54.9	151	19.9	198	30.7	191	-3.5	151	9.9
Ukraine	1 368	35.2	1 544	12.9	1 462	-5.3	1 884	28.9	1 715	24.6
Belarus	442	60.9	562	26.9	417	-25.8	436	4.6	341	9.0
Russia	21 498	25.8	21 491	-0.0	23 299	8.4	27 020	16.0	17 655	-11.2
Slovenia	3 798	19.5	4 244	11.8	4 270	0.6	4 668	9.3	3 811	11.1
Croatia	1 922	9.9	1 893	-1.5	1 742	-8.0	1 776	2.0	1 354	2.3
Form. Yug. Rep. Maced	683	27.7	664	-2.8	426	-35.9	491	15.3	444	21.5
Cyprus	631	-13.7	737	16.8	564	-23.4	372	-34.0	353	30.2
<b>Africa</b>	<b>47 527</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>46 894</b>	<b>-1.3</b>	<b>52 496</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>56 564</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>40 244</b>	<b>-4.0</b>
<i>of which</i>										
<b>North Africa</b>	<b>23 380</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>21 301</b>	<b>-8.9</b>	<b>24 278</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>27 402</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>18 581</b>	<b>-8.9</b>
<i>of which</i>										
Canary Islands	1 344	-7.4	1 086	-19.2	1 103	1.6	:	:	:	:
Ceuta and Melilla	48	108.0	12	-75.0	8	-32.1	0	-99.9	7	✓
Morocco	3 792	9.3	4 017	5.9	4 237	5.5	4 749	12.1	3 986	14.5
Algeria	6 154	-5.6	4 844	-21.3	5 449	12.5	8 366	53.5	5 165	-18.0
Tunisia	3 076	21.6	3 352	9.0	3 637	8.5	4 014	10.4	3 115	5.8
Libya	6 108	-2.1	5 799	-5.1	7 069	21.9	7 639	8.1	4 414	-21.7
Egypt	2 858	25.5	2 190	-23.4	2 774	26.7	2 633	-5.1	1 893	-6.6
Sudan	180	29.2	172	-4.5	170	-1.1	234	37.7	192	8.1
Mauritania	235	6.7	257	9.3	265	2.9	317	19.9	242	3.3
Senegal	286	19.6	370	29.1	337	-8.7	349	3.5	304	10.4
Guinea	321	43.8	310	-3.3	351	13.3	377	7.4	318	12.7
Liberia	370	116.4	637	72.3	578	-9.3	432	-25.3	372	6.0
Ivory Coast	1 758	24.8	2 068	17.6	2 099	1.5	1 980	-5.7	1 647	12.0
Ghana	792	50.0	839	5.9	881	5.0	940	6.7	971	37.9
Nigeria	4 299	24.0	3 443	-19.9	5 032	46.2	4 341	-13.7	2 332	-22.1
Cameroon	1 128	16.4	1 175	4.1	1 203	2.4	1 537	27.8	1 115	-6.2
Gabon	859	9.0	799	-7.0	851	6.5	947	11.3	620	-11.3
Congo	565	79.7	718	27.2	890	23.9	715	-19.6	289	-49.7
Zaire	764	32.9	842	10.2	850	1.0	733	-13.8	590	7.9
Angola	567	23.6	561	-0.9	666	18.7	606	-9.0	435	-0.7
Ethiopia	151	-0.2	230	52.0	251	9.1	260	3.6	234	27.0
Kenya	633	12.1	647	2.2	745	15.1	821	10.3	564	-8.2
Uganda	238	183.2	356	49.6	376	5.5	364	-3.0	200	-30.2
Tanzania	194	12.8	202	4.2	208	3.0	245	17.9	195	5.8
Madagascar	314	34.9	346	10.3	366	5.7	415	13.4	335	13.3
Réunion	121	-2.1	123	1.7	135	9.7	:	:	:	:
Mauritius	825	-0.3	1 020	23.7	1 072	5.1	1 081	0.8	820	5.7
Zimbabwe	580	35.1	639	10.2	724	13.3	825	14.0	537	-11.7
South Africa	6 942	-20.9	7 752	11.7	8 227	6.1	9 096	10.6	7 385	9.2
Namibia	424	82.1	370	-12.7	291	-21.5	325	11.8	280	21.5
<b>EFTA</b>	<b>66 348</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>69 894</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>74 709</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>80 326</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>60 418</b>	<b>2.3</b>
<b>OECD, excluding EU-15</b>	<b>250 950</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>258 382</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>281 269</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>352 604</b>	<b>25.4</b>	<b>264 411</b>	<b>2.4</b>
<b>CEEC</b>	<b>38 958</b>	<b>27.7</b>	<b>47 164</b>	<b>21.1</b>	<b>50 054</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>60 501</b>	<b>20.9</b>	<b>52 516</b>	<b>19.5</b>
<b>CIS</b>	<b>24 581</b>	<b>26.2</b>	<b>24 930</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>26 597</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>31 809</b>	<b>19.6</b>	<b>21 301</b>	<b>-9.3</b>
<b>Mediterranean Basin</b>	<b>44 316</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>44 978</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>49 585</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>57 302</b>	<b>15.6</b>	<b>43 099</b>	<b>1.8</b>
<b>ACP</b>	<b>19 131</b>	<b>22.8</b>	<b>19 893</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>22 159</b>	<b>11.4</b>	<b>22 832</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>16 263</b>	<b>-3.3</b>

Since January 1997 the Canary Islands are included in the Spanish customs territories and Réunion in the French.

## IMPORTS

Value (Mio ECU)

Main partners	1997				1998								
	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>61 061</b>	<b>62 932</b>	<b>57 729</b>	<b>57 946</b>	<b>58 416</b>	<b>58 259</b>	<b>65 127</b>	<b>60 026</b>	<b>57 527</b>	<b>61 226</b>	<b>59 532</b>	<b>51 448</b>	<b>60 796</b>
<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>	<b>16 151</b>	<b>17 172</b>	<b>16 042</b>	<b>16 079</b>	<b>15 237</b>	<b>15 589</b>	<b>17 721</b>	<b>16 072</b>	<b>15 831</b>	<b>16 720</b>	<b>17 009</b>	<b>13 254</b>	<b>16 683</b>
<i>of which</i>													
Iceland	92	98	91	100	69	85	116	98	103	121	112	113	113
Norway	2 711	3 157	2 844	2 833	3 008	2 660	2 769	2 668	2 664	2 478	2 222	1 914	2 246
Switzerland	4 096	4 305	3 940	3 758	3 490	3 967	4 683	4 000	3 999	4 359	4 591	2 962	4 356
Liechtenstein	48	53	54	50	41	46	59	54	49	50	59	37	57
Andorra	3	4	4	5	3	3	4	4	4	5	4	2	3
Gibraltar	5	2	5	4	4	3	2	7	2	2	1	1	6
Malta	60	67	72	56	42	86	62	51	80	63	60	51	68
Turkey	1 084	1 100	1 062	1 061	1 126	1 051	1 272	1 015	1 075	1 156	1 252	1 008	1 163
Estonia	137	157	143	135	126	125	139	138	134	149	142	145	151
Latvia	92	105	96	93	124	118	133	119	114	104	119	103	121
Lithuania	117	118	108	104	103	109	140	124	100	117	115	100	128
Poland	1 272	1 347	1 203	1 250	1 178	1 274	1 451	1 336	1 247	1 365	1 354	1 217	1 428
Czech Republic	1 085	1 162	1 123	1 040	1 012	1 094	1 321	1 216	1 146	1 309	1 305	989	1 326
Slovakia	316	370	352	368	320	389	404	496	428	480	401	488	491
Hungary	1 122	1 146	1 107	1 094	955	1 058	1 296	1 135	1 097	1 260	1 286	1 002	1 307
Romania	442	407	367	404	315	419	482	389	379	472	515	385	464
Bulgaria	202	188	183	174	170	177	223	187	184	210	217	162	187
Albania	15	23	14	15	15	19	20	15	13	19	21	11	18
Ukraine	163	154	166	187	219	208	224	193	191	180	174	154	171
Belarus	38	41	37	46	36	33	41	35	33	40	42	41	39
Russia	2 236	2 316	2 298	2 533	2 134	1 881	1 967	1 975	1 977	1 922	2 104	1 755	1 940
Slovenia	413	448	401	389	383	393	476	430	432	432	479	306	480
Croatia	158	160	149	143	143	152	174	146	148	167	173	105	148
Form. Yug. Rep. Maced	48	44	39	43	43	49	50	50	41	53	62	36	61
Cyprus	25	34	33	34	53	34	42	39	41	39	35	36	35
<b>Africa</b>	<b>5 010</b>	<b>5 080</b>	<b>4 620</b>	<b>4 945</b>	<b>4 627</b>	<b>4 924</b>	<b>4 811</b>	<b>4 478</b>	<b>4 254</b>	<b>4 678</b>	<b>4 282</b>	<b>3 765</b>	<b>4 426</b>
<i>of which</i>													
<b>North Africa</b>	<b>2 221</b>	<b>2 345</b>	<b>2 268</b>	<b>2 402</b>	<b>2 125</b>	<b>2 426</b>	<b>2 333</b>	<b>2 022</b>	<b>1 974</b>	<b>2 252</b>	<b>1 904</b>	<b>1 757</b>	<b>1 788</b>
<i>of which</i>													
Canary Islands	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Ceuta and Melilla	:	0	:	:	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1
Morocco	365	394	400	472	468	429	537	391	427	526	429	374	405
Algeria	666	651	705	713	648	705	632	567	520	607	502	546	438
Tunisia	333	361	336	374	322	322	392	325	332	396	405	268	353
Libya	672	703	630	668	495	524	544	539	489	488	424	463	449
Egypt	185	236	197	174	190	444	227	199	205	234	144	106	142
Sudan	52	19	24	14	28	24	24	20	25	19	25	12	17
Mauritania	29	30	16	38	22	23	33	27	31	32	25	25	24
Senegal	47	25	25	24	22	40	33	38	23	30	30	23	64
Guinea	40	36	32	27	25	49	34	30	31	56	35	24	35
Liberia	13	24	36	21	26	38	26	30	78	34	86	32	20
Ivory Coast	180	172	142	196	171	193	213	191	175	188	173	146	197
Ghana	94	88	77	71	112	82	118	96	82	83	134	106	159
Nigeria	336	453	397	496	445	425	230	224	166	254	127	245	217
Cameroon	163	119	114	116	152	141	137	140	126	128	99	80	112
Gabon	154	100	42	107	59	85	37	35	74	93	70	62	105
Congo	67	42	43	56	23	31	30	55	38	37	44	13	18
Zaire	90	71	58	57	54	61	72	62	53	68	79	59	82
Angola	42	76	32	60	56	37	60	33	46	44	68	41	50
Ethiopia	28	29	24	22	27	26	27	34	32	27	26	20	16
Kenya	65	83	63	61	58	63	67	76	53	63	69	59	57
Uganda	27	29	27	22	23	20	26	26	22	18	22	20	23
Tanzania	14	20	19	22	23	20	28	29	22	18	21	17	16
Madagascar	34	28	31	60	39	32	32	36	30	38	42	42	43
Réunion	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Mauritius	124	112	101	92	98	101	98	81	61	81	73	96	131
Zimbabwe	61	64	74	79	77	62	61	56	50	53	71	44	63
South Africa	920	843	788	702	776	749	877	915	876	834	795	657	906
Namibia	40	59	15	21	23	36	17	27	29	34	49	29	35
<b>EFTA</b>	<b>6 947</b>	<b>7 613</b>	<b>6 929</b>	<b>6 740</b>	<b>6 608</b>	<b>6 757</b>	<b>7 628</b>	<b>6 820</b>	<b>6 815</b>	<b>7 008</b>	<b>6 984</b>	<b>5 025</b>	<b>6 772</b>
<b>OECD, excluding EU-15</b>	<b>30 906</b>	<b>33 049</b>	<b>30 791</b>	<b>30 665</b>	<b>28 108</b>	<b>29 174</b>	<b>33 864</b>	<b>30 335</b>	<b>29 331</b>	<b>30 474</b>	<b>29 334</b>	<b>24 497</b>	<b>29 295</b>
<b>CEEC</b>	<b>5 550</b>	<b>5 796</b>	<b>5 393</b>	<b>5 374</b>	<b>4 974</b>	<b>5 487</b>	<b>6 432</b>	<b>5 890</b>	<b>5 573</b>	<b>6 258</b>	<b>6 315</b>	<b>5 149</b>	<b>6 438</b>
<b>CIS</b>	<b>2 642</b>	<b>2 709</b>	<b>2 664</b>	<b>2 950</b>	<b>2 561</b>	<b>2 285</b>	<b>2 420</b>	<b>2 375</b>	<b>2 367</b>	<b>2 345</b>	<b>2 510</b>	<b>2 114</b>	<b>2 323</b>
<b>Mediterranean Basin</b>	<b>5 026</b>	<b>5 103</b>	<b>4 842</b>	<b>5 030</b>	<b>4 786</b>	<b>5 095</b>	<b>5 396</b>	<b>4 627</b>	<b>4 661</b>	<b>5 097</b>	<b>4 824</b>	<b>4 006</b>	<b>4 609</b>
<b>ACP</b>	<b>2 127</b>	<b>2 144</b>	<b>1 787</b>	<b>2 090</b>	<b>1 934</b>	<b>1 927</b>	<b>1 800</b>	<b>1 786</b>	<b>1 631</b>	<b>1 821</b>	<b>1 819</b>	<b>1 530</b>	<b>2 014</b>

## YEARLY TRENDS IN EU TRADE BY PARTNER COUNTRY

### IMPORTS

Value (Mio ECU) and variations (%)

Main partners	1994		1995		1996		1997		Jan-Sep 1998	
	Value	94/93	Value	95/94	Value	96/95	Value	97/96	Value	98/97
<b>North America</b>	<b>110 052</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>115 561</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>124 503</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>150 496</b>	<b>20.9</b>	<b>123 907</b>	<b>12.3</b>
of which USA	99 957	10.3	103 643	3.7	112 784	8.8	137 745	22.1	114 228	13.2
Canada	9 833	17.8	11 706	19.0	11 480	-1.9	12 528	9.1	9 541	3.4
<b>Central America and West Ind.</b>	<b>7 583</b>	<b>17.0</b>	<b>8 694</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>9 573</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>10 847</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>7 743</b>	<b>-5.8</b>
of which Mexico	2 719	13.2	3 208	18.0	3 169	-1.2	3 752	18.4	2 906	6.2
Bermuda	456	-6.0	780	71.2	935	19.9	1 023	9.4	297	-61.5
Guatemala	285	31.0	370	30.0	344	-7.2	457	33.0	341	-8.3
Costa Rica	819	50.9	813	-0.7	814	0.1	880	8.2	774	17.5
Panama	349	-1.9	384	10.0	424	10.5	439	3.6	257	-29.0
Cuba	323	21.7	343	6.1	399	16.6	442	10.6	336	3.6
Bahamas	235	-36.7	232	-1.4	245	5.4	321	31.3	232	9.8
Guadeloupe	117	2.4	90	-23.2	86	-4.2	:	:	:	:
Martinique	141	3.7	127	-10.0	176	38.3	:	:	:	:
Netherlands Antilles	238	87.5	326	36.6	391	20.0	313	-20.0	134	-48.6
<b>South America</b>	<b>23 743</b>	<b>23.1</b>	<b>24 824</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>24 650</b>	<b>-0.7</b>	<b>27 842</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>21 753</b>	<b>2.4</b>
of which Colombia	2 146	27.7	2 247	4.7	2 189	-2.6	2 534	15.8	1 902	2.4
Venezuela	1 373	10.2	1 622	18.2	1 533	-5.5	1 742	13.6	1 075	-19.3
French Guiana	65	21.2	107	64.3	134	25.3	:	:	:	:
Ecuador	782	28.7	818	4.6	881	7.7	944	7.2	657	-8.4
Peru	1 297	47.2	1 316	1.5	1 307	-0.7	1 438	10.0	855	-22.6
Brazil	10 916	27.8	10 819	-0.9	10 443	-3.5	12 569	20.4	10 201	5.7
Chile	2 541	16.2	3 175	24.9	3 167	-0.3	3 465	9.4	2 763	3.5
Uruguay	373	11.6	344	-7.9	406	17.9	494	21.8	352	-7.1
Argentina	3 597	15.6	3 705	3.0	3 898	5.2	3 823	-1.9	3 179	9.1
<b>Near and Middle East</b>	<b>24 218</b>	<b>-3.3</b>	<b>23 663</b>	<b>-2.3</b>	<b>26 791</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>29 969</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>20 363</b>	<b>-6.4</b>
of which Lebanon	91	39.8	110	21.0	123	11.0	153	24.8	115	5.5
Syria	1 610	-5.7	1 735	7.7	2 025	16.8	1 993	-1.6	1 129	-22.5
Iran	5 560	-8.5	5 441	-2.1	5 998	10.2	5 137	-14.3	2 865	-23.9
Israel	4 274	19.8	4 658	9.0	5 283	13.4	6 264	18.6	5 307	13.4
Jordan	151	-45.6	135	-10.5	171	26.3	174	1.7	124	-0.7
Saudi Arabia	9 250	-5.5	8 847	-4.4	10 124	14.4	10 950	8.2	6 104	-22.9
Kuwait	1 707	-5.8	1 367	-19.9	1 519	11.1	1 480	-2.6	980	-12.8
Bahrain	114	-10.8	136	19.3	95	-30.2	215	126.8	204	34.5
Qatar	128	-32.0	113	-11.7	117	4.1	235	100.7	241	70.7
United Arab Emirates	892	-7.8	851	-4.6	950	11.7	1 480	55.7	1 252	21.8
Oman	165	27.9	117	-29.0	172	46.8	181	5.0	177	57.5
<b>Other countries of Asia</b>	<b>150 764</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>159 018</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>167 715</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>198 515</b>	<b>18.4</b>	<b>163 431</b>	<b>12.8</b>
of which Kazakhstan	296	-7.4	359	21.4	515	43.2	1 442	180.3	687	-41.9
Uzbekistan	530	23.9	500	-5.7	519	3.8	541	4.3	374	-6.3
Pakistan	2 012	13.2	1 978	-1.7	2 075	4.9	2 281	9.9	1 771	4.7
India	7 233	17.5	7 794	7.8	8 597	10.3	9 474	10.2	7 658	6.5
Bangladesh	1 129	21.2	1 260	11.6	1 474	17.0	1 772	20.2	1 512	13.3
Sri Lanka	930	21.7	930	-0.1	994	6.9	1 145	15.1	895	7.3
China	24 617	16.6	26 340	7.0	30 000	13.9	37 433	24.8	31 026	14.5
Indonesia	6 036	17.0	6 108	1.2	7 141	16.9	8 322	16.5	6 757	10.7
Philippines	2 232	11.5	2 419	8.4	3 349	38.4	4 372	30.5	3 654	22.9
Thailand	6 646	13.7	6 623	-0.3	7 482	13.0	8 600	14.9	6 987	13.1
Vietnam	898	51.9	1 151	28.1	1 439	25.1	2 243	55.9	2 082	19.2
Malaysia	7 949	21.1	9 153	15.1	9 432	3.1	10 770	14.2	8 495	7.5
Brunei	314	-20.9	263	-16.4	416	58.2	544	30.9	270	-38.9
Singapore	8 182	20.5	8 759	7.1	9 257	5.7	11 258	21.6	9 081	10.8
South Korea	9 105	9.1	10 924	20.0	11 145	2.0	13 095	17.5	11 690	23.4
Japan	53 751	3.0	54 284	1.0	52 507	-3.3	59 584	13.5	48 619	12.0
Taiwan	10 287	-0.8	11 751	14.2	12 917	9.9	15 668	21.3	13 289	17.0
Hong Kong	7 110	1.5	7 152	0.6	7 173	0.3	8 361	16.6	7 172	17.3
<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>	<b>7 183</b>	<b>15.8</b>	<b>7 454</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>7 844</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>9 099</b>	<b>16.0</b>	<b>7 969</b>	<b>17.4</b>
Australia	4 881	18.0	4 970	1.8	5 233	5.3	6 262	19.7	5 693	23.4
New Zealand	1 635	9.7	1 696	3.7	1 886	11.2	2 069	9.7	1 741	7.5
New Caledonia and dep.	169	16.6	189	11.8	185	-1.7	189	1.7	115	-16.6
<b>NAFTA</b>	<b>112 509</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>118 557</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>127 433</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>154 025</b>	<b>20.9</b>	<b>126 675</b>	<b>12.2</b>
<b>Latin America</b>	<b>28 656</b>	<b>22.9</b>	<b>30 428</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>30 277</b>	<b>-0.5</b>	<b>34 516</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>26 739</b>	<b>1.7</b>
<b>MERCOSUR</b>	<b>15 060</b>	<b>23.3</b>	<b>15 032</b>	<b>-0.2</b>	<b>14 891</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>17 071</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>13 958</b>	<b>6.5</b>
<b>OPEC</b>	<b>42 364</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>39 235</b>	<b>-7.4</b>	<b>45 784</b>	<b>16.7</b>	<b>51 994</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>33 450</b>	<b>-11.8</b>
<b>DAE</b>	<b>49 280</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>54 361</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>57 406</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>67 753</b>	<b>18.0</b>	<b>56 714</b>	<b>15.2</b>

Since January 1997 Guadeloupe, Martinique and French Guiana are included in the French customs territories.

## IMPORTS

Value (Mio ECU)

Main partners	1997				1998								
	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep
<b>North America</b>	<b>13 038</b>	<b>13 879</b>	<b>13 106</b>	<b>13 188</b>	<b>13 040</b>	<b>14 214</b>	<b>16 207</b>	<b>14 169</b>	<b>13 792</b>	<b>14 131</b>	<b>13 140</b>	<b>11 661</b>	<b>13 553</b>
of which USA	11 909	12 721	12 012	12 080	11 977	13 105	15 114	13 068	12 755	12 994	11 969	10 708	12 540
Canada	1 105	1 134	1 075	1 092	1 050	1 103	1 078	1 090	1 029	1 112	1 154	932	994
<b>Central America and West Ind.</b>	<b>945</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>772</b>	<b>924</b>	<b>811</b>	<b>730</b>	<b>917</b>	<b>947</b>	<b>765</b>	<b>958</b>	<b>844</b>	<b>782</b>	<b>990</b>
of which Mexico	333	351	292	372	333	304	336	318	277	348	342	310	338
Bermuda	121	88	32	134	52	26	3	53	5	73	35	0	49
Guatemala	37	31	29	26	37	36	50	45	36	37	38	31	32
Costa Rica	69	76	71	75	72	81	103	104	97	90	77	83	67
Panama	21	26	31	20	34	23	24	31	31	25	30	34	26
Cuba	39	33	42	43	41	24	41	52	34	51	32	30	32
Bahamas	36	28	44	38	31	3	20	20	30	16	39	15	58
Guadeloupe	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Martinique	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Netherlands Antilles	19	21	23	9	17	13	23	16	13	15	15	9	13
<b>South America</b>	<b>2 635</b>	<b>2 425</b>	<b>2 168</b>	<b>2 004</b>	<b>2 141</b>	<b>2 066</b>	<b>2 391</b>	<b>2 543</b>	<b>2 522</b>	<b>2 833</b>	<b>2 629</b>	<b>2 238</b>	<b>2 390</b>
of which Colombia	223	240	226	212	233	234	248	216	176	230	204	183	178
Venezuela	150	168	119	124	138	96	110	137	137	136	118	102	102
French Guiana	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Ecuador	82	78	77	72	71	65	74	75	72	72	75	67	86
Peru	147	128	111	94	125	93	98	90	74	77	96	109	95
Brazil	1 241	1 076	951	888	945	919	1 100	1 189	1 234	1 389	1 229	1 028	1 169
Chile	294	278	267	251	247	261	358	396	344	359	281	244	274
Uruguay	50	39	37	40	36	33	38	38	36	49	42	33	46
Argentina	336	337	309	264	286	314	292	332	363	395	451	382	363
<b>Near and Middle East</b>	<b>3 004</b>	<b>3 046</b>	<b>2 529</b>	<b>2 637</b>	<b>2 310</b>	<b>2 372</b>	<b>2 377</b>	<b>2 381</b>	<b>2 345</b>	<b>2 349</b>	<b>2 173</b>	<b>1 975</b>	<b>2 081</b>
of which Lebanon	14	12	16	16	13	12	14	13	8	12	10	20	12
Syria	236	220	154	162	131	119	124	125	153	118	124	101	134
Iran	529	479	457	434	303	378	308	261	345	328	334	277	331
Israel	604	512	505	567	607	630	685	590	574	643	566	459	554
Jordan	13	16	18	15	12	9	19	13	12	21	8	14	14
Saudi Arabia	1 052	1 135	967	934	786	727	657	744	671	768	612	599	540
Kuwait	107	165	111	82	92	118	155	97	105	116	72	110	114
Bahrain	18	21	22	21	32	25	27	20	21	15	17	19	29
Qatar	3	59	7	29	52	46	31	30	31	24	9	6	11
United Arab Emirates	113	127	107	219	190	106	158	193	126	120	139	108	112
Oman	10	22	12	34	14	16	20	42	23	19	16	15	12
<b>Other countries of Asia</b>	<b>19 073</b>	<b>19 199</b>	<b>17 392</b>	<b>17 069</b>	<b>19 196</b>	<b>17 205</b>	<b>19 437</b>	<b>18 229</b>	<b>16 781</b>	<b>18 297</b>	<b>18 039</b>	<b>16 759</b>	<b>19 490</b>
of which Kazakhstan	126	99	79	81	71	64	81	78	76	81	81	77	76
Uzbekistan	34	42	38	61	41	42	47	40	41	58	47	22	36
Pakistan	215	207	195	188	212	196	216	201	183	203	201	163	196
India	906	888	687	708	880	830	987	919	798	816	791	768	870
Bangladesh	226	181	137	119	156	177	191	156	135	142	174	177	204
Sri Lanka	108	112	100	99	99	98	117	96	79	96	94	101	115
China	3 955	3 844	3 360	3 128	3 722	3 386	3 074	3 186	3 128	3 404	3 612	3 356	4 157
Indonesia	803	781	730	705	799	720	763	720	615	824	775	747	795
Philippines	452	508	439	450	465	343	510	382	354	359	383	376	481
Thailand	845	821	798	804	875	709	799	751	708	825	801	715	804
Vietnam	229	173	153	170	237	255	249	207	183	216	251	255	230
Malaysia	995	1 010	948	908	1 037	812	970	885	909	1 000	959	885	1 037
Brunei	126	36	18	48	39	33	86	25	1	19	7	9	52
Singapore	1 021	1 081	997	983	1 142	1 000	1 359	1 029	864	911	901	782	1 093
South Korea	1 147	1 193	1 196	1 228	1 408	1 217	1 300	1 323	1 208	1 363	1 288	1 284	1 299
Japan	5 325	5 775	5 241	5 169	5 275	4 914	6 157	5 899	5 315	5 642	5 279	4 790	5 348
Taiwan	1 511	1 523	1 412	1 378	1 599	1 530	1 630	1 503	1 406	1 415	1 392	1 245	1 569
Hong Kong	872	781	750	715	947	723	766	700	654	752	821	838	970
<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>	<b>829</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>766</b>	<b>745</b>	<b>756</b>	<b>858</b>	<b>942</b>	<b>919</b>	<b>949</b>	<b>932</b>	<b>1 065</b>	<b>740</b>	<b>808</b>
Australia	581	545	553	551	533	674	683	637	649	635	774	545	562
New Zealand	166	161	157	131	155	132	226	227	226	210	228	145	192
New Caledonia and dep.	19	24	13	13	12	20	12	17	16	12	7	6	13
<b>NAFTA</b>	<b>13 347</b>	<b>14 206</b>	<b>13 379</b>	<b>13 544</b>	<b>13 360</b>	<b>14 512</b>	<b>16 528</b>	<b>14 475</b>	<b>14 060</b>	<b>14 453</b>	<b>13 465</b>	<b>11 950</b>	<b>13 872</b>
<b>Latin America</b>	<b>3 182</b>	<b>2 996</b>	<b>2 657</b>	<b>2 565</b>	<b>2 690</b>	<b>2 573</b>	<b>2 994</b>	<b>3 156</b>	<b>3 029</b>	<b>3 439</b>	<b>3 173</b>	<b>2 766</b>	<b>2 919</b>
<b>MERCOSUR</b>	<b>1 656</b>	<b>1 470</b>	<b>1 301</b>	<b>1 196</b>	<b>1 272</b>	<b>1 270</b>	<b>1 435</b>	<b>1 572</b>	<b>1 660</b>	<b>1 875</b>	<b>1 776</b>	<b>1 485</b>	<b>1 613</b>
<b>OPEC</b>	<b>4 866</b>	<b>5 058</b>	<b>4 388</b>	<b>4 610</b>	<b>4 059</b>	<b>4 094</b>	<b>3 784</b>	<b>3 759</b>	<b>3 526</b>	<b>3 898</b>	<b>3 429</b>	<b>3 490</b>	<b>3 411</b>
<b>DAE</b>	<b>6 391</b>	<b>6 409</b>	<b>6 100</b>	<b>6 017</b>	<b>7 009</b>	<b>5 991</b>	<b>6 824</b>	<b>6 191</b>	<b>5 748</b>	<b>6 267</b>	<b>6 163</b>	<b>5 749</b>	<b>6 773</b>

# YEARLY TRENDS IN EU TRADE BY PARTNER COUNTRY

## TRADE BALANCE

Value (Mio ECU)

Main partners	1994	1995	1996	1997	Jan-Sep 1998
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>5 141</b>	<b>27 709</b>	<b>43 615</b>	<b>49 504</b>	<b>14 581</b>
<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>	<b>5 111</b>	<b>14 231</b>	<b>27 832</b>	<b>40 206</b>	<b>33 553</b>
<i>of which</i>					
Iceland	-213	-127	-56	79	-29
Norway	-7 114	-8 174	-10 921	-10 302	-4 028
Switzerland	4 987	7 808	8 710	7 914	5 479
Liechtenstein	:	180	86	-27	101
Andorra	650	689	659	808	567
Gibraltar	534	341	577	608	331
Malta	861	938	1 070	1 303	887
Turkey	1 424	4 146	8 052	10 470	6 782
Estonia	436	459	608	884	801
Latvia	-236	-187	-16	254	350
Lithuania	13	46	373	841	786
Poland	2 189	3 045	7 605	10 851	9 107
Czech Republic	1 846	2 657	4 220	4 095	1 806
Slovakia	-45	105	577	834	274
Hungary	2 006	1 119	1 174	1 951	1 894
Romania	100	404	848	587	733
Bulgaria	333	217	-10	-242	54
Albania	307	367	546	373	242
Ukraine	424	705	1 163	1 549	1 128
Belarus	179	324	500	797	568
Russia	-7 113	-5 363	-4 205	-1 474	167
Slovenia	550	933	1 107	1 650	1 156
Croatia	1 312	1 843	2 148	3 007	1 969
Form.Yug.Rep.Maced	127	216	381	357	203
Cyprus	1 454	1 277	1 373	1 576	1 191
<b>Africa</b>	<b>-5</b>	<b>4 687</b>	<b>1 216</b>	<b>-4 527</b>	<b>2 508</b>
<i>of which</i>					
<b>North Africa</b>	<b>1 654</b>	<b>4 681</b>	<b>2 715</b>	<b>-2 903</b>	<b>2 092</b>
<i>of which</i>					
Canary Islands	2 839	3 397	4 023	:	:
Ceuta and Melilla	525	584	510	26	474
Morocco	699	710	465	571	844
Algeria	-1 325	-118	-1 386	-4 017	-1 512
Tunisia	822	803	706	1 272	1 054
Libya	-3 948	-3 520	-4 559	-4 869	-2 389
Egypt	2 043	2 826	2 955	4 113	3 621
Sudan	133	108	122	126	193
Mauritania	14	-24	2	-40	-38
Senegal	258	345	457	532	415
Guinea	-25	-40	-70	-62	-78
Liberia	229	603	-124	106	1 039
Ivory Coast	-1 011	-881	-916	-696	-579
Ghana	-108	-95	92	166	-190
Nigeria	-2 106	-1 389	-2 659	-1 630	-323
Cameroon	-688	-611	-565	-805	-475
Gabon	-37	-79	120	191	75
Congo	-272	-240	34	-295	40
Zaire	-455	-484	-477	-439	-365
Angola	16	238	111	450	267
Ethiopia	296	239	199	228	89
Kenya	120	210	131	87	94
Uganda	-107	-174	-201	-183	-52
Tanzania	165	114	98	156	36
Madagascar	-78	-98	-105	-94	-65
Réunion	1 304	1 359	1 455	:	:
Mauritius	-172	-370	-485	-428	-427
Zimbabwe	-199	-268	-309	-386	-240
South Africa	579	935	626	639	527
Namibia	-347	-232	-161	-136	-175
<b>EFTA</b>	<b>-2 340</b>	<b>-312</b>	<b>-2 179</b>	<b>-2 336</b>	<b>1 522</b>
<b>OECD, excluding EU-15</b>	<b>-16 077</b>	<b>-12 541</b>	<b>2 277</b>	<b>16 583</b>	<b>-501</b>
<b>CEEC</b>	<b>9 153</b>	<b>11 517</b>	<b>20 773</b>	<b>26 776</b>	<b>20 312</b>
<b>CIS</b>	<b>-6 064</b>	<b>-4 117</b>	<b>-1 730</b>	<b>1 731</b>	<b>2 756</b>
<b>Mediterranean Basin</b>	<b>13 968</b>	<b>19 561</b>	<b>23 311</b>	<b>26 372</b>	<b>21 445</b>
<b>ACP</b>	<b>-3 720</b>	<b>-2 326</b>	<b>-3 540</b>	<b>-2 388</b>	<b>151</b>

Since January 1997 the Canary Islands are included in the Spanish customs territories and Réunion in the French.

## TRADE BALANCE

Value (Mio ECU)

Main partners	1997				1998								
	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>3 255</b>	<b>6 224</b>	<b>4 139</b>	<b>6 724</b>	<b>-4 596</b>	<b>-284</b>	<b>2 100</b>	<b>2 615</b>	<b>3 139</b>	<b>3 365</b>	<b>7 777</b>	<b>1 426</b>	<b>-951</b>
<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>	<b>4 280</b>	<b>4 904</b>	<b>4 035</b>	<b>4 088</b>	<b>2 199</b>	<b>3 368</b>	<b>4 300</b>	<b>4 633</b>	<b>4 217</b>	<b>4 257</b>	<b>4 050</b>	<b>3 887</b>	<b>2 642</b>
<i>of which</i>													
Iceland	1	12	5	-6	16	6	-10	4	-5	-3	1	-27	-11
Norway	-640	-985	-901	-813	-1 233	-749	-498	-164	-665	-308	-343	65	-133
Switzerland	517	797	484	551	769	591	384	656	541	662	311	902	664
Liechtenstein	4	-4	7	-11	-2	-3	-6	21	26	22	21	3	19
Andorra	72	87	70	70	49	61	74	58	56	63	81	56	68
Gibraltar	43	59	43	44	34	36	41	34	38	35	41	39	31
Malta	104	123	125	107	76	87	115	123	88	102	136	75	86
Turkey	1 051	1 024	977	1 146	495	668	783	931	829	823	928	655	670
Estonia	102	97	109	75	83	79	96	99	103	94	89	75	83
Latvia	55	76	63	44	16	28	41	41	46	85	39	38	16
Lithuania	85	107	102	106	66	72	97	91	110	108	101	84	56
Poland	1 023	1 150	1 052	963	904	921	1 125	944	1 156	1 021	1 143	878	1 015
Czech Republic	367	341	281	229	155	217	201	207	311	161	189	227	138
Slovakia	67	76	87	36	36	35	88	-27	51	8	112	-48	18
Hungary	166	271	255	122	193	243	234	296	302	182	163	152	129
Romania	-22	85	128	92	66	-9	24	132	169	130	86	48	88
Bulgaria	-28	9	4	16	-20	4	-14	23	28	24	13	-0	-5
Albania	37	29	31	35	19	19	35	24	39	26	26	27	27
Ukraine	180	189	124	147	16	99	157	156	153	158	181	128	81
Belarus	76	66	87	79	44	65	84	74	71	72	77	45	36
Russia	320	444	173	179	-61	356	505	227	52	116	19	-37	-1 011
Slovenia	155	164	152	119	97	147	160	141	165	142	118	94	91
Croatia	252	293	270	417	174	171	231	244	242	258	233	184	230
Form. Yug. Rep. Maced	18	36	28	44	22	22	18	23	37	21	18	35	7
Cyprus	152	221	132	118	81	119	197	159	108	121	146	102	159
<b>Africa</b>	<b>-632</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>-287</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>-676</b>	<b>-405</b>	<b>509</b>	<b>443</b>	<b>753</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>1 080</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>32</b>
<i>of which</i>													
<b>North Africa</b>	<b>-196</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>-149</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>-150</b>	<b>-131</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>419</b>	<b>839</b>	<b>-6</b>	<b>364</b>
<i>of which</i>													
Canary Islands	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Ceuta and Melilla	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Morocco	44	147	77	78	2	58	1	93	103	156	368	-24	86
Algeria	-300	-243	-329	-248	-347	-328	-210	-163	-98	-119	-47	-191	-11
Tunisia	73	134	119	134	53	86	146	184	145	168	159	27	86
Libya	-467	-440	-397	-368	-256	-300	-244	-286	-259	-272	-201	-298	-272
Egypt	452	483	380	517	346	302	398	356	432	433	500	437	417
Sudan	-27	20	5	29	4	4	0	24	9	35	11	68	37
Mauritania	-14	-5	12	-6	-3	-1	-11	1	-6	-8	-1	-5	-3
Senegal	14	77	36	64	37	43	53	38	37	63	47	38	58
Guinea	-11	-10	-1	5	0	-19	2	-4	-6	-29	-12	-0	-11
Liberia	13	16	-29	-7	0	-15	355	279	329	156	-48	-9	-9
Ivory Coast	-78	-46	-24	-65	-63	-88	-85	-70	-60	-56	-49	-39	-69
Ghana	7	22	5	33	-47	20	-21	2	1	0	-44	-14	-89
Nigeria	-104	-236	-195	-218	-246	-217	2	4	51	-48	146	-13	-2
Cameroon	-100	-48	-50	-43	-89	-64	-54	-73	-52	-57	-30	-12	-42
Gabon	3	45	28	41	7	3	34	25	-16	9	10	13	-10
Congo	-44	-15	-19	-22	5	5	8	-5	-2	-1	-5	15	21
Zaire	-62	-41	-29	-29	-32	-33	-40	-31	-28	-39	-45	-49	-69
Angola	31	28	87	51	21	45	19	52	32	37	21	21	20
Ethiopia	12	14	13	29	6	15	8	19	6	1	7	8	20
Kenya	-4	-7	18	21	10	6	10	-4	23	14	21	13	1
Uganda	-13	-11	-12	-7	-8	-5	-8	-10	-12	2	-5	1	-7
Tanzania	17	16	9	69	2	4	-3	-3	-1	14	9	5	8
Madagascar	-8	4	2	-31	-15	-7	2	1	-1	-4	-8	-17	-16
Réunion	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Mauritius	-71	54	-56	-50	-57	-57	-51	-36	-19	-37	-26	-57	-86
Zimbabwe	-22	-25	-42	-46	-47	-34	-18	-20	-12	-18	-35	-20	-35
South Africa	-36	54	-4	146	-92	57	69	-30	29	147	225	143	-22
Namibia	-17	-33	10	-15	-15	-13	-7	-20	-22	-25	-24	-21	-28
<b>EFTA</b>	<b>-119</b>	<b>-181</b>	<b>-404</b>	<b>-279</b>	<b>-451</b>	<b>-155</b>	<b>-129</b>	<b>517</b>	<b>-104</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>-10</b>	<b>943</b>	<b>539</b>
<b>OECD, excluding EU-15</b>	<b>2 281</b>	<b>2 305</b>	<b>2 15</b>	<b>1 041</b>	<b>-2 513</b>	<b>-794</b>	<b>-1 785</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>-625</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>3 065</b>	<b>830</b>	<b>767</b>
<b>CEEC</b>	<b>2 385</b>	<b>2 862</b>	<b>2 698</b>	<b>2 455</b>	<b>1 900</b>	<b>2 029</b>	<b>2 461</b>	<b>2 342</b>	<b>2 911</b>	<b>2 382</b>	<b>2 430</b>	<b>1 874</b>	<b>1 983</b>
<b>CIS</b>	<b>666</b>	<b>755</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>543</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>813</b>	<b>530</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>-844</b>
<b>Mediterranean Basin</b>	<b>2 417</b>	<b>2 905</b>	<b>2 415</b>	<b>3 187</b>	<b>1 401</b>	<b>1 841</b>	<b>2 546</b>	<b>2 649</b>	<b>2 652</b>	<b>2 682</b>	<b>3 431</b>	<b>1 854</b>	<b>2 390</b>
<b>ACP</b>	<b>-454</b>	<b>-118</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>-61</b>	<b>-393</b>	<b>-342</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>474</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>-35</b>	<b>-370</b>

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## TRADE BALANCE

Value (Mio ECU)

Main partners	1994	1995	1996	1997	Jan-Sep 1998
<b>North America</b>	<b>4 439</b>	<b>-1 703</b>	<b>919</b>	<b>5 207</b>	<b>6 775</b>
of which USA	3 713	-344	1 634	3 548	4 710
Canada	749	-1 368	-782	1 576	1 966
<b>Central America and West Ind.</b>	<b>7 488</b>	<b>4 584</b>	<b>5 637</b>	<b>5 098</b>	<b>5 956</b>
of which Mexico	4 407	1 303	1 959	3 674	3 968
Bermuda	155	-8	122	59	159
Guatemala	13	-69	-9	-75	-9
Costa Rica	-536	-473	-505	-488	-422
Panama	371	495	899	662	860
Cuba	257	369	391	486	496
Bahamas	307	291	564	272	511
Guadeloupe	954	1 055	1 213	:	:
Martinique	877	995	992	:	:
Netherlands Antilles	176	77	6	167	194
<b>South America</b>	<b>-1 664</b>	<b>2 229</b>	<b>4 029</b>	<b>6 140</b>	<b>5 109</b>
of which Colombia	-253	-431	-222	-143	-1
Venezuela	307	243	209	652	1 243
French Guiana	1 002	2 011	1 559	:	:
Ecuador	-235	-189	-335	-224	-142
Peru	-542	-332	-298	-322	6
Brazil	-3 431	553	1 269	2 325	1 240
Chile	-480	-784	-435	-26	-210
Uruguay	401	298	283	392	321
Argentina	1 642	870	1 935	3 492	2 736
<b>Near and Middle East</b>	<b>15 430</b>	<b>15 679</b>	<b>16 279</b>	<b>21 210</b>	<b>16 381</b>
of which Lebanon	2 202	2 360	2 590	2 938	1 940
Syria	91	-357	-623	-642	-63
Iran	-1 492	-1 989	-2 130	-233	429
Israel	5 131	5 003	5 131	5 240	3 016
Jordan	946	910	1 018	1 025	719
Saudi Arabia	65	-201	213	2 225	2 800
Kuwait	207	1 057	676	811	604
Bahrain	500	393	784	452	340
Qatar	698	1 054	979	1 883	951
United Arab Emirates	5 325	5 639	5 737	6 435	5 217
Oman	1 222	1 182	965	1 127	878
<b>Other countries of Asia</b>	<b>-29 953</b>	<b>-21 892</b>	<b>-18 977</b>	<b>-35 480</b>	<b>-62 976</b>
of which Kazakhstan	446	88	47	-48	286
Uzbekistan	-128	-79	180	221	101
Pakistan	168	66	64	-230	-578
India	234	1 645	1 312	771	-341
Bangladesh	-660	-765	-877	-1 103	-1 097
Sri Lanka	-91	-210	-318	-260	-298
China	-10 604	-11 650	-15 278	-20 955	-18 445
Indonesia	-1 330	-254	-136	-42	-3 747
Philippines	-125	-129	-110	722	-1 221
Thailand	34	1 867	993	-798	-3 361
Vietnam	-249	-401	-144	-1 085	-1 298
Malaysia	-1 589	-1 215	-1 891	-2 009	-4 339
Brunei	482	362	642	520	254
Singapore	1 555	2 142	3 012	2 263	-836
South Korea	1 820	1 406	3 197	1 377	-4 862
Japan	-24 669	-21 395	-16 841	-23 483	-24 938
Taiwan	-1 555	-1 640	-2 971	-3 016	-3 975
Hong Kong	6 801	8 641	10 282	12 072	6 191
<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>	<b>5 020</b>	<b>6 041</b>	<b>6 618</b>	<b>7 259</b>	<b>3 931</b>
Australia	4 782	5 523	6 282	6 866	4 055
New Zealand	-1	77	2	-104	-410
New Caledonia and dep.	199	200	226	273	216
<b>NAFTA</b>	<b>8 869</b>	<b>-410</b>	<b>2 810</b>	<b>8 798</b>	<b>10 644</b>
<b>Latin America</b>	<b>2 129</b>	<b>1 962</b>	<b>5 260</b>	<b>10 610</b>	<b>9 818</b>
<b>MERCOSUR</b>	<b>-1 298</b>	<b>1 838</b>	<b>3 663</b>	<b>6 384</b>	<b>4 317</b>
<b>OPEC</b>	<b>-3 586</b>	<b>468</b>	<b>-2 894</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>2 013</b>
<b>DAE</b>	<b>7 066</b>	<b>11 202</b>	<b>12 623</b>	<b>9 889</b>	<b>-11 182</b>

Since January 1997 Guadeloupe, Martinique and French Guiana are included in the French customs territories.



## TRADE BALANCE

Value (Mio ECU)

Main partners	1997				1998								
	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep
<b>North America</b>	<b>1 279</b>	<b>1 303</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>-692</b>	<b>-79</b>	<b>-616</b>	<b>930</b>	<b>522</b>	<b>1 334</b>	<b>3 417</b>	<b>622</b>	<b>1 336</b>
<i>of which</i> USA	1 063	1 095	-149	245	-724	-257	-924	646	74	1 095	3 242	420	1 137
Canada	209	198	171	45	31	165	302	275	426	236	158	190	184
<b>Central America and West Ind.</b>	<b>398</b>	<b>607</b>	<b>900</b>	<b>595</b>	<b>388</b>	<b>547</b>	<b>598</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>601</b>	<b>1 089</b>	<b>836</b>	<b>903</b>	<b>461</b>
<i>of which</i> Mexico	309	341	381	397	235	382	539	482	477	475	524	433	421
Bermuda	-7	43	6	-25	12	8	6	-16	12	36	35	56	10
Guatemala	-2	1	4	3	-1	5	-9	-6	-1	0	1	-1	3
Costa Rica	-35	-36	-42	-31	-35	-39	-59	-63	-67	-46	-36	-44	-34
Panama	54	111	38	67	61	64	77	81	75	67	51	341	43
Cuba	26	62	46	43	29	63	41	50	73	59	92	44	44
Bahamas	3	21	270	-8	4	10	-11	0	11	437	54	-1	8
Guadeloupe	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Martinique	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Netherlands Antilles	23	36	12	41	17	41	26	24	21	15	14	18	18
<b>South America</b>	<b>391</b>	<b>954</b>	<b>991</b>	<b>901</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>601</b>	<b>720</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>419</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>1 094</b>	<b>527</b>	<b>527</b>
<i>of which</i> Colombia	-12	-33	38	16	-18	-50	-16	22	31	-7	51	6	-18
Venezuela	51	75	98	105	82	137	176	174	119	143	181	108	121
French Guiana	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Ecuador	-9	-12	-17	-4	-17	-12	-3	-22	-17	-16	-7	-12	-36
Peru	-52	-31	-8	12	-45	4	28	8	18	24	7	-28	-10
Brazil	151	413	497	303	53	155	161	68	1	-79	426	247	209
Chile	-3	79	39	77	24	28	-59	-110	-84	-60	62	17	-26
Uruguay	30	78	44	40	27	51	43	33	37	26	44	27	32
Argentina	283	392	299	326	264	273	379	339	327	315	383	194	263
<b>Near and Middle East</b>	<b>1 349</b>	<b>1 589</b>	<b>1 701</b>	<b>2 871</b>	<b>1 450</b>	<b>1 519</b>	<b>2 400</b>	<b>1 843</b>	<b>1 671</b>	<b>1 798</b>	<b>2 512</b>	<b>1 452</b>	<b>1 738</b>
<i>of which</i> Lebanon	254	276	233	244	164	213	257	217	218	217	246	181	227
Syria	-137	-93	-18	-6	-35	6	9	-10	-39	8	5	5	-13
Iran	-176	-39	-110	33	34	-41	100	113	56	23	168	-12	-10
Israel	492	460	374	530	258	321	338	336	307	314	495	307	341
Jordan	83	100	79	108	76	79	84	89	89	70	89	72	72
Saudi Arabia	60	180	161	434	48	186	662	288	273	259	494	258	333
Kuwait	74	63	90	131	80	49	44	75	68	52	124	53	58
Bahrain	35	38	44	43	20	32	24	41	37	41	47	43	56
Qatar	130	60	125	712	76	83	147	143	87	104	147	78	86
United Arab Emirates	587	580	594	527	587	549	638	548	591	592	681	489	543
Oman	105	90	108	76	83	94	105	85	96	121	121	92	83
<b>Other countries of Asia</b>	<b>-4 944</b>	<b>-4 435</b>	<b>-4 287</b>	<b>-3 424</b>	<b>-8 551</b>	<b>-6 493</b>	<b>-6 951</b>	<b>-6 970</b>	<b>-6 067</b>	<b>-6 722</b>	<b>-5 910</b>	<b>-6 793</b>	<b>-8 520</b>
<i>of which</i> Kazakhstan	-8	4	-0	-3	-14	-5	-5	-2	78	6	76	154	-2
Uzbekistan	19	2	7	57	5	8	-1	11	17	44	6	13	-4
Pakistan	30	-69	-62	-41	-79	-76	-65	-56	-63	-53	-46	-53	-85
India	-78	-79	67	223	-198	-43	-88	-47	16	70	173	-153	-71
Bangladesh	-174	-122	-84	-46	-117	-139	-133	-98	-93	-105	-123	-135	-153
Sri Lanka	-33	-31	-38	-7	-36	-32	-45	-25	-12	-31	-5	-52	-60
China	-2 430	-1 982	-1 275	-1 533	-2 729	-2 224	-1 631	-1 700	-1 762	-1 797	-1 984	-1 930	-2 687
Indonesia	-109	-44	-105	-24	-415	-445	-462	-373	-198	-524	-423	-490	-417
Philippines	205	-43	-6	-17	-12	-13	-209	-122	-126	-144	-139	-180	-275
Thailand	-260	-243	-343	-274	-463	-353	-382	-329	-345	-466	-360	-295	-368
Vietnam	-143	-80	-69	-57	-154	-177	-160	-126	-103	-114	-154	-161	-149
Malaysia	-264	-303	-350	-262	-464	-361	-472	-411	-443	-550	-525	-533	-580
Brunei	22	61	37	32	27	94	49	28	44	17	8	26	-38
Singapore	79	214	65	171	-230	-191	-321	-83	-90	-85	61	67	36
South Korea	57	124	-46	-37	-733	-581	-449	-605	-440	-337	-543	-556	-617
Japan	-2 271	-2 535	-2 631	-2 318	-2 677	-2 269	-3 031	-3 337	-2 895	-3 104	-2 359	-2 468	-2 797
Taiwan	-373	-426	-467	-231	-548	-516	-576	-486	-385	-383	-223	-396	-462
Hong Kong	875	1 151	1 017	968	402	900	1 053	777	751	879	710	430	289
<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>	<b>609</b>	<b>754</b>	<b>655</b>	<b>803</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>488</b>	<b>542</b>	<b>405</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>453</b>	<b>509</b>
Australia	572	715	585	611	421	420	530	449	345	479	445	439	526
New Zealand	22	29	1	27	2	34	-52	-80	-101	-70	-72	-17	-55
New Caledonia and dep.	21	20	33	27	21	17	30	24	16	27	35	24	22
<b>NAFTA</b>	<b>1 581</b>	<b>1 633</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>686</b>	<b>-458</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>-83</b>	<b>1 403</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>1 806</b>	<b>3 925</b>	<b>1 043</b>	<b>1 742</b>
<b>Latin America</b>	<b>762</b>	<b>1 450</b>	<b>1 538</b>	<b>1 467</b>	<b>645</b>	<b>1 044</b>	<b>1 307</b>	<b>1 019</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>845</b>	<b>1 721</b>	<b>1 286</b>	<b>986</b>
<b>MERCOSUR</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>897</b>	<b>865</b>	<b>707</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>606</b>	<b>464</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>832</b>	<b>443</b>	<b>493</b>
<b>OPEC</b>	<b>-512</b>	<b>-210</b>	<b>-133</b>	<b>1 060</b>	<b>-380</b>	<b>-472</b>	<b>760</b>	<b>382</b>	<b>481</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>1 057</b>	<b>-200</b>	<b>276</b>
<b>DAE</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>-125</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>-2 035</b>	<b>-1 102</b>	<b>-1 149</b>	<b>-1 136</b>	<b>-952</b>	<b>-943</b>	<b>-880</b>	<b>-1 282</b>	<b>-1 703</b>

# PRODUCT BREAKDOWN OF EU TRADE BY MAIN PARTNER COUNTRY

## EXPORTS FOR YEAR 1997

Value (Mio ECU) and variation (%)

Main partners	TOTAL		Food, beverages and tobacco		Raw materials		Energy		Chemical products		Machinery and transport equipment		Miscellaneous manufactured goods	
	SITC 0-9		SITC 0+1		SITC 2+4		SITC 3		SITC 5		SITC 7		SITC 6+8	
	Value	97/96	Value	97/96	Value	97/96	Value	97/96	Value	97/96	Value	97/96	Value	97/96
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>720 492</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>45 836</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>15 655</b>	<b>18.4</b>	<b>17 022</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>93 022</b>	<b>17.7</b>	<b>330 842</b>	<b>17.4</b>	<b>203 441</b>	<b>11.9</b>
<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>	<b>223 887</b>	<b>17.9</b>	<b>15 863</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>5 818</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>6 624</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>28 082</b>	<b>22.0</b>	<b>87 901</b>	<b>22.3</b>	<b>72 321</b>	<b>15.2</b>
<i>of which</i> Norway	23 318	18.4	979	4.4	820	19.1	791	16.6	2 062	13.3	9 992	31.2	7 544	12.3
Switzerland	52 984	3.1	2 611	2.5	1 082	1.3	2 409	2.0	8 430	11.5	16 890	2.8	19 516	2.6
Malta	2 004	7.3	176	23.3	23	5.4	279	-9.4	135	13.9	893	9.6	463	8.2
Turkey	22 329	22.4	527	-6.0	1 152	13.3	258	12.9	3 168	30.2	11 092	24.2	5 186	22.6
Poland	25 058	26.2	1 308	5.6	601	5.8	747	37.3	3 445	30.2	10 286	29.5	7 959	24.7
Czech Republic	15 848	13.4	778	-1.4	321	6.7	214	19.1	1 942	17.7	7 138	13.0	5 013	13.4
Slovakia	4 816	20.5	227	11.4	102	-21.0	83	41.9	525	18.5	2 369	24.7	1 409	18.6
Hungary	13 581	35.8	387	20.7	223	13.8	149	48.8	1 439	22.4	6 885	50.8	4 201	22.2
Romania	5 014	12.8	229	-21.2	96	-2.4	133	-8.1	476	8.9	1 615	11.6	2 351	22.1
Bulgaria	1 846	8.6	151	3.8	62	21.7	35	73.0	230	4.6	526	-2.1	791	16.2
Ukraine	3 433	30.8	427	3.7	58	-1.7	71	121.8	521	60.6	1 289	40.4	962	25.5
Russia	25 546	33.8	5 202	29.6	581	75.5	123	19.1	2 760	45.1	9 007	36.6	7 238	28.0
Slovenia	6 318	17.5	345	0.3	237	30.9	158	41.3	684	19.1	2 379	15.3	2 384	18.5
Croatia	4 783	23.0	378	2.4	104	-1.7	61	-4.2	515	25.6	1 860	37.6	1 738	16.8
Cyprus	1 948	0.6	234	17.5	29	6.1	67	-10.3	215	19.9	715	-8.5	643	11.1
<b>Africa</b>	<b>52 037</b>	<b>-3.1</b>	<b>5 256</b>	<b>-9.1</b>	<b>1 692</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>1 362</b>	<b>-5.4</b>	<b>6 440</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>22 420</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>13 606</b>	<b>-7.4</b>
<i>of which</i> <b>North Africa</b>	<b>24 499</b>	<b>-9.2</b>	<b>2 464</b>	<b>-25.3</b>	<b>1 091</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>683</b>	<b>-11.5</b>	<b>2 705</b>	<b>-8.3</b>	<b>9 601</b>	<b>-1.2</b>	<b>7 421</b>	<b>-13.3</b>
<i>of which</i> Morocco	5 319	13.1	246	-9.4	234	6.6	146	36.6	537	6.1	1 849	13.6	2 208	16.5
Algeria	4 349	7.0	861	19.7	224	42.2	14	-53.9	618	40.4	1 750	2.2	821	-11.5
Tunisia	5 287	21.7	241	83.2	194	9.9	265	63.5	433	20.4	1 727	25.5	2 338	12.2
Libya	2 771	10.4	476	20.5	91	3.6	145	4.8	259	24.4	1 073	16.1	666	-0.9
Egypt	6 747	17.8	637	22.8	348	21.8	97	41.6	857	14.2	3 199	19.7	1 383	23.5
Ivory Coast	1 284	8.6	245	17.3	13	2.0	25	-12.1	259	9.9	412	8.2	319	5.0
Nigeria	2 712	14.3	219	36.9	21	-12.6	70	-69.0	421	14.3	1 180	31.3	710	17.6
South Africa	9 735	10.0	370	34.3	128	1.3	97	-16.6	1 520	15.0	5 137	10.8	2 164	6.7
<b>North America</b>	<b>155 703</b>	<b>24.1</b>	<b>7 292</b>	<b>22.6</b>	<b>1 725</b>	<b>17.3</b>	<b>3 967</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>19 555</b>	<b>28.8</b>	<b>76 960</b>	<b>30.0</b>	<b>42 118</b>	<b>20.1</b>
<i>of which</i> USA	141 293	23.5	6 269	23.5	1 490	18.6	3 582	3.0	17 835	29.9	69 998	27.7	38 397	20.3
Canada	14 104	31.8	956	17.8	232	10.3	373	3.9	1 703	19.0	6 874	59.4	3 612	18.2
<b>Latin America</b>	<b>45 126</b>	<b>27.0</b>	<b>2 397</b>	<b>18.2</b>	<b>574</b>	<b>17.2</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>22.8</b>	<b>6 849</b>	<b>19.8</b>	<b>23 424</b>	<b>29.7</b>	<b>9 897</b>	<b>31.5</b>
<i>of which</i> Mexico	7 426	44.8	405	32.6	115	104.8	20	154.4	1 047	24.2	4 040	52.4	1 608	44.7
Colombia	2 391	21.5	82	43.4	30	8.5	14	-59.9	448	16.7	1 180	28.3	543	18.0
Venezuela	2 395	37.4	245	12.5	30	11.9	21	57.3	329	19.6	1 108	49.2	579	43.9
Brazil	14 893	27.2	518	2.5	192	-9.7	270	38.1	2 321	17.1	8 149	33.9	2 885	30.7
Chile	3 439	25.9	93	21.3	43	5.3	34	48.5	461	20.7	1 785	23.6	907	35.4
Argentina	7 315	25.4	182	14.3	78	37.3	95	-17.7	1 051	22.0	4 256	25.9	1 463	32.7
<b>Near and Middle East</b>	<b>51 180</b>	<b>18.8</b>	<b>4 435</b>	<b>19.4</b>	<b>687</b>	<b>15.1</b>	<b>555</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>5 641</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>21 561</b>	<b>35.4</b>	<b>16 081</b>	<b>14.8</b>
<i>of which</i> Lebanon	3 091	13.9	406	30.2	70	10.5	270	16.4	366	13.3	997	14.2	944	6.9
Syria	1 351	-3.7	179	21.9	40	67.6	55	36.5	223	0.0	474	-20.7	341	1.9
Iran	4 904	26.8	393	68.0	80	6.0	45	222.5	714	7.8	2 468	41.8	978	3.2
Israel	11 504	10.5	509	20.6	193	24.6	47	-25.4	1 352	15.3	3 473	6.1	5 640	11.9
Saudi Arabia	13 175	27.5	1 182	-6.5	144	3.4	34	9.9	1 397	11.7	6 446	103.5	3 333	17.9
Kuwait	2 291	4.4	219	19.3	21	10.6	7	6.6	234	11.3	821	12.4	743	13.0
United Arab Emirates	7 915	18.4	602	21.1	51	20.3	61	8.7	745	20.9	3 308	9.8	2 591	18.6
<b>Other countries of Asia</b>	<b>163 035</b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>8 587</b>	<b>16.1</b>	<b>4 342</b>	<b>27.3</b>	<b>527</b>	<b>-15.1</b>	<b>19 066</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>81 983</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>41 922</b>	<b>4.7</b>
<i>of which</i> Pakistan	2 052	-4.1	51	46.3	70	-5.1	9	-67.5	400	-10.8	1 037	0.5	387	-6.7
India	10 246	3.4	52	74.6	333	48.2	137	-54.4	961	8.8	3 792	-8.0	4 666	17.0
China	16 478	11.9	258	30.6	471	47.7	18	56.5	1 383	16.0	11 246	8.9	2 489	19.9
Indonesia	8 280	18.2	163	29.9	243	14.5	47	34.7	918	11.5	5 375	27.7	1 211	26.6
Philippines	5 094	57.3	382	71.2	27	26.3	4	21.0	417	24.3	3 542	73.0	623	26.7
Thailand	7 802	-7.9	416	3.7	130	29.4	18	12.3	861	1.8	4 182	-13.3	1 530	-19.9
Malaysia	8 761	16.2	309	27.5	119	31.8	14	10.8	597	24.4	5 739	12.9	1 422	9.0
Singapore	13 521	10.2	708	48.6	59	30.1	128	67.9	1 435	11.4	7 616	10.6	3 236	2.1
South Korea	14 472	0.9	670	4.3	420	9.5	11	-43.5	1 891	12.9	6 903	-0.4	3 809	-6.7
Japan	36 101	1.2	3 223	8.9	1 174	19.8	32	0.0	5 795	6.1	14 210	-0.9	10 353	-3.1
Taiwan	12 652	27.2	749	24.7	409	39.6	53	43.2	1 659	12.0	6 038	34.9	2 881	15.5
Hong Kong	20 434	17.1	991	18.5	790	30.6	20	-7.2	2 028	6.4	8 698	30.7	7 414	8.2
<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>	<b>16 358</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>778</b>	<b>23.1</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>9.9</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>-3.1</b>	<b>2 527</b>	<b>17.8</b>	<b>7 644</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>4 639</b>	<b>18.3</b>
<i>of which</i> Australia	13 128	14.0	548	26.5	149	6.2	20	69.0	2 089	19.5	6 164	12.5	3 704	20.1
New Zealand	1 964	4.1	82	24.5	27	26.3	3	-58.9	306	11.5	887	0.5	592	15.7
<b>EFTA</b>	<b>77 989</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>3 687</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>1 931</b>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>3 219</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>10 639</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>27 569</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>27 732</b>	<b>5.2</b>
<b>CEEC</b>	<b>87 277</b>	<b>23.2</b>	<b>5 131</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>1 990</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>2 172</b>	<b>34.2</b>	<b>10 302</b>	<b>24.3</b>	<b>36 396</b>	<b>27.6</b>	<b>29 087</b>	<b>21.0</b>
<b>ACP</b>	<b>20 444</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>2 774</b>	<b>24.5</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>18.8</b>	<b>632</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>2 437</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>9 132</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>4 496</b>	<b>11.7</b>
<b>NAFTA</b>	<b>162 823</b>	<b>25.0</b>	<b>7 630</b>	<b>23.2</b>	<b>1 837</b>	<b>20.6</b>	<b>3 975</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>20 584</b>	<b>28.6</b>	<b>80 911</b>	<b>31.0</b>	<b>43 617</b>	<b>20.9</b>
<b>MERCOSUR</b>	<b>23 455</b>	<b>26.4</b>	<b>885</b>	<b>10.9</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>17.5</b>	<b>3 579</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>12 904</b>	<b>30.6</b>	<b>4 659</b>	<b>30.5</b>
<b>OPEC</b>	<b>52 241</b>	<b>21.8</b>	<b>4 611</b>	<b>17.3</b>	<b>932</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>-17.9</b>	<b>5 806</b>	<b>16.4</b>	<b>25 954</b>	<b>40.1</b>	<b>12 169</b>	<b>15.1</b>
<b>DAE</b>	<b>77 642</b>	<b>10.9</b>	<b>3 842</b>	<b>20.1</b>	<b>1 928</b>	<b>27.0</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>33.5</b>	<b>8 472</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>39 177</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>20 293</b>	<b>2.4</b>

**EXPORTS JANUARY – SEPTEMBER 1998**

Value (Mio ECU) and variation (%)

Main partners	TOTAL		Food, beverages and tobacco		Raw materials		Energy		Chemical products		Machinery and transport equipment		Miscellaneous manufactured goods	
	SITC 0-9		SITC 0+1		SITC 2+4		SITC 3		SITC 5		SITC 7		SITC 6+8	
	Value	98/97	Value	98/97	Value	98/97	Value	98/97	Value	98/97	Value	98/97	Value	98/97
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>546 949</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>32 708</b>	<b>-1.9</b>	<b>10 699</b>	<b>-7.4</b>	<b>10 561</b>	<b>-18.1</b>	<b>71 394</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>254 197</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>151 675</b>	<b>2.0</b>
<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>	<b>177 668</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>11 233</b>	<b>-2.4</b>	<b>4 218</b>	<b>-0.5</b>	<b>4 329</b>	<b>-10.5</b>	<b>22 323</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>71 955</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>57 076</b>	<b>9.3</b>
<i>of which</i> Norway	18 601	8.2	738	4.4	627	5.5	459	-20.0	1 582	2.4	7 950	6.9	6 189	12.1
Switzerland	41 886	7.0	1 961	2.9	784	-3.5	1 775	-3.5	6 747	10.1	13 759	11.4	15 137	4.1
Malta	1 451	-0.2	120	-1.5	16	-5.8	161	-18.3	97	-2.1	689	6.0	337	-1.3
Turkey	16 901	5.9	371	-7.1	665	-22.6	216	20.9	2 390	2.3	8 384	8.1	3 849	3.6
Poland	20 956	15.8	1 033	5.6	487	12.6	388	-24.1	2 857	12.5	8 775	18.2	6 738	18.4
Czech Republic	12 524	7.3	565	-4.2	259	11.2	157	-1.2	1 577	8.0	5 576	6.1	3 998	9.5
Slovakia	4 170	18.2	173	2.2	90	15.1	55	2.8	420	6.5	2 142	2.1	1 213	17.6
Hungary	12 288	28.2	300	9.0	167	0.2	86	-19.2	1 200	12.2	6 657	40.9	3 606	19.0
Romania	4 552	28.9	253	66.6	72	6.9	81	-22.6	431	34.5	1 571	39.5	2 047	21.8
Bulgaria	1 771	39.3	142	51.6	48	12.1	45	71.2	233	43.7	566	64.1	682	21.1
Ukraine	2 843	15.3	256	-17.1	55	41.1	45	-9.2	401	2.8	1 231	33.4	781	14.1
Russia	17 822	1.2	3 332	-9.5	392	-3.4	75	-8.9	2 039	5.2	6 520	6.3	4 949	1.0
Slovenia	4 967	7.0	262	2.9	167	0.9	130	8.5	544	6.8	1 899	7.1	1 859	7.5
Croatia	3 324	-0.8	253	-9.6	70	-7.6	49	27.4	381	2.9	1 270	-0.6	1 221	0.7
Cyprus	1 545	12.2	150	-12.0	24	23.3	50	4.3	158	-1.2	611	27.4	516	11.0
<b>Africa</b>	<b>42 752</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>4 349</b>	<b>18.9</b>	<b>1 303</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>1 057</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>5 088</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>19 348</b>	<b>20.2</b>	<b>10 657</b>	<b>9.1</b>
<i>of which</i> <b>North Africa</b>	<b>20 673</b>	<b>18.5</b>	<b>2 144</b>	<b>24.8</b>	<b>834</b>	<b>10.7</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>2 266</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>8 524</b>	<b>24.2</b>	<b>5 994</b>	<b>14.0</b>
<i>of which</i> Morocco	4 831	28.8	247	75.1	149	-12.5	107	5.1	446	11.3	2 059	57.7	1 764	13.1
Algeria	3 653	17.8	737	13.1	160	2.2	17	56.8	534	23.8	1 437	18.0	693	18.4
Tunisia	4 169	8.9	154	-14.3	157	16.3	155	-15.1	362	11.3	1 441	13.5	1 852	11.1
Libya	2 025	2.6	332	-2.4	91	55.3	121	11.9	177	-4.3	860	11.3	413	-11.5
Egypt	5 514	15.9	531	31.8	263	12.6	72	5.0	708	13.6	2 638	14.9	1 138	17.1
Ivory Coast	1 067	17.4	236	38.2	14	54.1	32	96.5	206	6.2	324	13.8	245	8.1
Nigeria	2 009	-0.2	193	24.6	17	5.4	93	66.3	312	-1.4	824	-3.0	485	-11.5
South Africa	7 912	9.8	230	-15.0	95	-2.0	143	75.1	1 129	-1.4	4 348	15.1	1 702	6.9
<b>North America</b>	<b>130 681</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>5 541</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>1 410</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>2 358</b>	<b>-28.3</b>	<b>17 263</b>	<b>21.1</b>	<b>66 468</b>	<b>18.8</b>	<b>34 008</b>	<b>10.4</b>
<i>of which</i> USA	118 939	15.1	4 744	4.3	1 210	10.5	2 178	-27.0	15 737	21.4	60 763	19.4	31 023	10.7
Canada	11 508	10.8	754	11.1	197	16.4	162	-44.1	1 513	18.6	5 636	12.0	2 905	8.6
<b>Latin America</b>	<b>36 556</b>	<b>12.6</b>	<b>1 774</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>-12.7</b>	<b>477</b>	<b>17.9</b>	<b>5 465</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>19 280</b>	<b>16.7</b>	<b>7 980</b>	<b>12.2</b>
<i>of which</i> Mexico	6 873	29.9	239	-27.3	64	-26.9	73	287.1	901	16.0	3 928	40.6	1 504	30.7
Colombia	1 901	12.3	79	36.5	21	-10.0	52	573.5	360	2.5	887	12.7	407	1.5
Venezuela	2 318	35.9	285	75.3	18	-23.1	31	102.3	296	19.7	1 134	45.5	479	15.7
Brazil	11 441	6.3	423	11.0	142	-0.8	205	4.9	1 802	1.2	6 181	6.8	2 194	5.6
Chile	2 553	4.3	82	25.1	32	1.9	15	-50.1	316	-8.6	1 280	3.0	754	16.9
Argentina	5 915	9.7	149	11.9	47	-15.8	52	-24.4	855	7.0	3 415	9.3	1 244	17.1
<b>Near and Middle East</b>	<b>36 745</b>	<b>-0.2</b>	<b>3 044</b>	<b>-5.6</b>	<b>459</b>	<b>-10.8</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>-35.2</b>	<b>4 408</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>15 568</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>11 476</b>	<b>-0.6</b>
<i>of which</i> Lebanon	2 055	-10.4	282	-3.3	53	6.2	136	-36.0	272	-0.1	620	-18.4	668	-0.9
Syria	1 065	14.4	148	51.4	18	-32.7	23	-42.5	191	18.9	396	17.6	253	3.9
Iran	3 294	-9.8	143	-57.3	28	-57.0	6	-80.7	488	-8.3	1 892	7.1	592	-20.2
Israel	8 324	-2.7	361	-1.0	133	-4.4	26	-11.2	1 084	7.8	2 479	-3.4	3 965	-6.4
Saudi Arabia	8 904	-4.9	783	-11.3	110	-6.1	25	-7.3	1 070	3.8	4 223	-8.1	2 255	1.1
Kuwait	1 583	-4.0	161	2.1	13	-11.2	5	-21.1	176	0.9	619	7.7	550	5.6
United Arab Emirates	6 469	12.3	410	-0.3	36	-4.6	26	-45.9	625	16.2	3 027	27.4	2 017	7.1
<b>Other countries of Asia</b>	<b>100 455</b>	<b>-17.3</b>	<b>5 337</b>	<b>-17.7</b>	<b>2 583</b>	<b>-21.4</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>-51.7</b>	<b>12 274</b>	<b>-15.1</b>	<b>50 302</b>	<b>-16.3</b>	<b>25 158</b>	<b>-20.7</b>
<i>of which</i> Pakistan	1 194	-26.9	33	-21.4	47	-14.2	3	-59.8	316	4.5	515	-40.3	222	-24.6
India	7 317	-5.6	43	40.3	199	-23.2	31	-75.2	655	-9.6	2 698	-1.4	3 281	-10.2
China	12 581	15.0	211	8.9	444	30.4	12	-6.2	1 044	2.9	8 490	17.5	1 991	14.9
Indonesia	3 010	-51.7	40	-68.9	76	-59.7	9	-76.1	391	-45.0	1 820	-54.9	438	-52.5
Philippines	2 433	-35.3	168	-41.4	16	-28.7	2	-49.7	240	-25.8	1 611	-37.7	335	-27.3
Thailand	3 626	-41.9	150	-53.2	67	-35.5	8	-46.4	441	-34.3	1 893	-43.2	815	-32.4
Malaysia	4 156	-39.0	167	-25.5	66	-31.2	5	-56.6	358	-20.9	2 822	-36.8	581	-46.3
Singapore	8 245	-17.6	375	-24.5	31	-27.9	32	-73.4	856	-22.8	4 893	-12.1	1 783	-25.9
South Korea	6 828	-36.9	268	-48.7	120	-62.2	10	26.0	968	-32.6	3 177	-38.2	1 418	-50.6
Japan	23 681	-13.6	2 450	-1.6	653	-26.7	38	49.4	4 030	-7.6	8 761	-18.5	6 950	-11.8
Taiwan	9 314	-1.6	383	-30.8	190	-39.4	37	-8.4	1 171	-7.5	5 064	13.9	1 844	-15.7
Hong Kong	13 363	-11.2	597	-18.0	597	2.2	11	-35.8	1 309	-16.0	6 218	-0.5	4 289	-22.6
<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>	<b>11 900</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>549</b>	<b>-4.8</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>-15.7</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>43.3</b>	<b>2 027</b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>5 434</b>	<b>-0.2</b>	<b>3 320</b>	<b>-2.7</b>
<i>of which</i> Australia	9 748	1.9	386	-4.8	94	-17.2	13	82.6	1 715	12.9	4 484	0.1	2 681	-1.1
New Zealand	1 330	-8.8	60	0.8	19	-11.0	1	-44.9	213	-6.8	607	-7.6	386	-12.1
<b>EFTA</b>	<b>61 940</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>2 779</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>1 438</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>2 243</b>	<b>-7.5</b>	<b>8 457</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>22 328</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>21 864</b>	<b>6.4</b>
<b>CEEC</b>	<b>72 828</b>	<b>16.2</b>	<b>3 947</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>1 579</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>1 320</b>	<b>-13.7</b>	<b>8 511</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>31 402</b>	<b>21.0</b>	<b>24 105</b>	<b>15.7</b>
<b>ACP</b>	<b>16 414</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>2 235</b>	<b>16.2</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>-11.0</b>	<b>1 865</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>7 804</b>	<b>24.7</b>	<b>3 368</b>	<b>3.0</b>
<b>NAFTA</b>	<b>137 320</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>5 737</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>1 471</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>2 413</b>	<b>-26.7</b>	<b>18 151</b>	<b>20.8</b>	<b>70 326</b>	<b>19.8</b>	<b>35 432</b>	<b>11.2</b>
<b>MERCOSUR</b>	<b>18 275</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>681</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>-5.1</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>-2.6</b>	<b>2 835</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>9 974</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>3 661</b>	<b>9.0</b>
<b>OPEC</b>	<b>35 463</b>	<b>-5.4</b>	<b>3 307</b>	<b>-2.8</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>-17.9</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>-1.5</b>	<b>4 223</b>	<b>-1.3</b>	<b>17 085</b>	<b>-6.7</b>	<b>8 348</b>	<b>-3.5</b>
<b>DAE</b>	<b>45 532</b>	<b>-22.0</b>	<b>1 940</b>	<b>-31.8</b>	<b>1 071</b>	<b>-26.6</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>-51.2</b>	<b>5 102</b>	<b>-21.4</b>	<b>24 068</b>	<b>-17.6</b>	<b>10 730</b>	<b>-29.8</b>

# PRODUCT BREAKDOWN OF EU TRADE BY MAIN PARTNER COUNTRY

## IMPORTS 1997

Value (Mio ECU) and variation (%)

Main partners	TOTAL		Food, beverages and tobacco		Raw materials		Energy		Chemical products		Machinery and transport equipment		Miscellaneous manufactured goods	
	SITC 0-9		SITC 0+1		SITC 2+4		SITC 3		SITC 5		SITC 7		SITC 6+8	
	Value	97/96	Value	97/96	Value	97/96	Value	97/96	Value	97/96	Value	97/96	Value	97/96
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>670 989</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>48 273</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>42 657</b>	<b>14.4</b>	<b>84 872</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>51 362</b>	<b>15.7</b>	<b>228 546</b>	<b>21.6</b>	<b>196 325</b>	<b>15.9</b>
<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>	<b>183 681</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>9 378</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>9 212</b>	<b>19.7</b>	<b>32 269</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>18 434</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>36 748</b>	<b>18.3</b>	<b>65 674</b>	<b>13.4</b>
<i>of which</i> Norway	33 620	9.8	1 903	7.9	1 068	6.7	17 692	13.4	1 749	17.2	2 728	9.3	5 712	9.1
Switzerland	45 070	5.6	980	1.0	719	13.3	365	8.8	10 977	4.6	12 455	5.0	16 210	1.5
Malta	701	-12.0	8	27.0	5	-40.3	2	-97.2	10	-41.7	316	-11.1	335	4.2
Turkey	11 859	16.4	1 750	17.8	513	6.8	125	2.8	257	27.1	1 872	6.3	7 247	19.2
Poland	14 208	16.0	996	11.4	562	14.0	922	7.1	703	7.6	3 490	26.0	7 210	12.7
Czech Republic	11 752	20.5	247	4.9	726	10.8	380	-6.1	761	9.0	4 350	35.1	5 066	15.5
Slovakia	3 981	16.4	69	37.4	191	17.6	81	-15.0	294	5.9	1 415	38.3	1 890	7.0
Hungary	11 630	31.8	861	0.6	407	3.3	250	-17.2	634	21.4	6 007	61.7	3 352	15.0
Romania	4 427	23.1	140	16.5	97	49.5	68	40.8	186	-4.4	475	16.8	3 440	25.8
Bulgaria	2 087	22.1	206	6.6	149	26.5	41	57.4	262	7.4	168	1.8	1 246	31.8
Ukraine	1 884	28.9	81	-3.9	558	79.3	108	-12.4	198	-2.7	121	10.8	673	31.4
Russia	27 020	16.0	419	6.0	2 584	23.0	11 392	17.4	1 494	16.7	407	-22.1	6 068	30.8
Slovenia	4 668	9.3	63	8.9	123	19.5	7	-19.3	192	10.0	1 762	10.7	2 484	7.8
Croatia	1 776	2.0	57	-14.8	174	5.1	46	-20.8	241	1.3	201	16.1	1 045	3.0
Cyprus	372	-34.0	84	-46.4	21	41.5	3	-47.8	10	7.1	120	-51.0	132	2.7
<b>Africa</b>	<b>56 564</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>8 226</b>	<b>-5.1</b>	<b>4 827</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>21 193</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>1 328</b>	<b>20.2</b>	<b>3 453</b>	<b>14.8</b>	<b>12 795</b>	<b>12.6</b>
<i>of which</i> <b>North Africa</b>	<b>27 402</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>1 179</b>	<b>-43.9</b>	<b>845</b>	<b>20.3</b>	<b>15 222</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>960</b>	<b>20.0</b>	<b>1 482</b>	<b>27.6</b>	<b>5 880</b>	<b>12.4</b>
<i>of which</i> Morocco	4 749	12.1	882	-3.8	423	24.2	17	-41.2	382	9.6	663	34.0	2 340	12.6
Algeria	8 366	53.5	26	-24.3	41	14.3	6 257	36.0	115	84.1	84	17.4	90	12.3
Tunisia	4 014	10.4	154	21.6	249	41.4	368	-1.3	213	-3.6	477	28.6	2 542	8.1
Libya	7 639	8.1	1	-22.6	13	14.8	7 394	7.0	183	57.2	12	88.9	34	57.7
Egypt	2 633	-5.1	115	-24.1	118	39.8	1 186	-30.9	66	65.0	246	127.5	876	34.1
Ivory Coast	1 980	-5.7	1 378	-1.6	315	8.1	24	59.4	3	-32.1	39	2.6	206	-21.9
Nigeria	4 341	-13.7	209	-1.9	164	-3.4	3 647	-16.8	25	39.8	123	20.2	164	19.4
South Africa	9 096	10.6	1 051	14.4	1 111	11.6	979	-6.8	284	22.7	790	36.8	2 456	22.1
<b>North America</b>	<b>150 496</b>	<b>20.9</b>	<b>6 644</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>10 575</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>2 824</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>17 570</b>	<b>20.9</b>	<b>75 684</b>	<b>32.7</b>	<b>30 941</b>	<b>17.7</b>
<i>of which</i> USA	137 745	22.1	5 437	1.6	7 290	6.1	2 438	-0.3	17 051	21.1	71 571	33.8	28 245	18.8
Canada	12 528	9.1	1 003	8.6	3 284	12.8	381	4.1	519	15.2	4 110	15.0	2 692	7.2
<b>Latin America</b>	<b>34 516</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>13 935</b>	<b>16.7</b>	<b>6 790</b>	<b>22.1</b>	<b>2 210</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>1 319</b>	<b>20.7</b>	<b>2 944</b>	<b>23.2</b>	<b>6 381</b>	<b>12.3</b>
<i>of which</i> Mexico	3 752	18.4	504	39.6	152	26.7	746	34.2	312	1.6	1 080	21.5	847	3.0
Colombia	2 534	15.8	1 467	23.1	110	6.7	479	2.7	24	58.7	27	-18.3	217	0.4
Venezuela	1 742	13.6	107	30.9	149	-13.2	945	12.7	141	10.5	61	31.8	326	32.0
Brazil	12 569	20.4	4 459	17.1	3 663	36.1	23	-43.4	440	22.0	1 350	30.6	2 471	16.0
Chile	3 465	9.4	829	7.3	962	16.4	0	:	179	86.3	14	-3.9	1 291	12.7
Argentina	3 823	-1.9	2 570	6.6	531	-33.9	10	-27.1	143	10.6	150	47.0	380	-5.9
<b>Near and Middle East</b>	<b>29 969</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>1 009</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>850</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>18 168</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>1 610</b>	<b>21.4</b>	<b>3 346</b>	<b>50.9</b>	<b>4 703</b>	<b>24.0</b>
<i>of which</i> Lebanon	153	24.8	9	9.4	27	20.1	3	:	18	-7.0	14	57.3	79	31.4
Syria	1 993	-1.6	11	-33.0	173	29.2	1 663	-5.1	1	155.6	5	-44.9	134	23.8
Iran	5 137	-14.3	342	5.0	138	8.3	4 144	-18.7	13	39.8	44	190.1	443	5.7
Israel	6 264	18.6	514	2.5	361	2.8	78	137.6	1 070	24.6	1 397	21.3	2 729	20.4
Saudi Arabia	10 950	8.2	8	74.0	40	23.1	9 099	5.2	431	13.9	938	73.2	406	60.2
Kuwait	1 480	-2.6	0	-69.1	7	160.6	1 332	-5.8	1	146.2	61	57.4	70	84.0
United Arab Emirates	1 480	55.7	69	48.6	9	119.7	214	38.3	23	43.5	536	146.4	583	26.1
<b>Other countries of Asia</b>	<b>198 515</b>	<b>18.4</b>	<b>5 481</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>6 383</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>1 120</b>	<b>31.4</b>	<b>8 810</b>	<b>16.5</b>	<b>99 511</b>	<b>18.9</b>	<b>72 973</b>	<b>18.1</b>
<i>of which</i> Pakistan	2 281	9.9	163	35.4	83	-21.7	:	:	4	10.9	47	71.6	1 980	9.8
India	9 474	10.2	987	8.8	510	15.5	20	-78.0	741	24.6	909	18.6	6 239	9.2
China	37 433	24.8	926	6.5	1 077	14.5	307	33.3	1 851	21.4	10 037	32.1	23 033	23.4
Indonesia	8 322	16.5	731	14.9	1 701	11.4	277	-5.0	187	2.5	803	25.4	4 568	19.4
Philippines	4 372	30.5	152	-11.9	333	-7.1	:	:	16	-30.5	2 187	46.1	922	14.6
Thailand	8 600	14.9	1 237	-5.2	321	-9.7	:	:	75	1.9	3 276	20.1	3 186	10.1
Malaysia	10 770	14.2	255	-7.2	1 043	-4.2	30	89.0	174	-16.9	6 630	15.2	2 051	12.8
Singapore	11 258	21.6	133	36.2	78	-14.3	2	-78.5	626	52.3	8 950	20.2	967	1.7
South Korea	13 095	17.5	100	15.6	118	48.1	9	197.9	729	21.6	8 982	18.8	2 926	12.2
Japan	59 584	13.5	91	14.2	296	20.5	56	-15.3	3 986	12.4	44 012	13.5	10 479	14.3
Taiwan	15 668	21.3	44	9.2	92	22.2	0	-88.1	298	-1.5	10 082	20.5	4 816	20.8
Hong Kong	8 361	16.6	57	8.4	25	-5.5	1	-8.6	60	28.4	2 698	21.9	5 290	12.1
<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>	<b>9 099</b>	<b>16.0</b>	<b>2 344</b>	<b>13.9</b>	<b>3 029</b>	<b>19.7</b>	<b>846</b>	<b>22.3</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>15.1</b>	<b>846</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>1 486</b>	<b>21.7</b>
<i>of which</i> Australia	6 262	19.7	682	26.6	2 408	24.3	830	20.0	220	15.6	704	3.0	1 209	26.2
New Zealand	2 069	9.7	1 382	9.3	308	12.6	2	196.7	101	12.3	124	20.5	141	8.8
<b>EFTA</b>	<b>80 326</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>3 700</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>1 846</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>18 070</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>12 794</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>15 370</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>22 368</b>	<b>3.8</b>
<b>CEEC</b>	<b>60 501</b>	<b>20.9</b>	<b>2 982</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>3 605</b>	<b>19.5</b>	<b>2 556</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>3 606</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>18 420</b>	<b>36.9</b>	<b>28 482</b>	<b>16.8</b>
<b>ACP</b>	<b>22 832</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>7 238</b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>3 471</b>	<b>11.6</b>	<b>5 065</b>	<b>-10.3</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>43.8</b>	<b>1 539</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>4 732</b>	<b>9.2</b>
<b>NAFTA</b>	<b>154 025</b>	<b>20.9</b>	<b>6 945</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>10 726</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>3 565</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>17 881</b>	<b>20.5</b>	<b>76 760</b>	<b>32.5</b>	<b>31 783</b>	<b>17.2</b>
<b>MERCOSUR</b>	<b>17 071</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>7 268</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>4 509</b>	<b>20.7</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>-39.3</b>	<b>597</b>	<b>19.2</b>	<b>1 505</b>	<b>29.8</b>	<b>2 938</b>	<b>12.3</b>
<b>OPEC</b>	<b>51 994</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>1 503</b>	<b>11.2</b>	<b>2 478</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>34 794</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>1 122</b>	<b>21.9</b>	<b>3 426</b>	<b>49.3</b>	<b>6 715</b>	<b>21.9</b>
<b>DAE</b>	<b>67 753</b>	<b>18.0</b>	<b>1 824</b>	<b>-1.7</b>	<b>1 678</b>	<b>-2.3</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>33.5</b>	<b>1 961</b>	<b>19.4</b>	<b>40 619</b>	<b>19.2</b>	<b>19 236</b>	<b>13.3</b>

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*Value (Mio ECU) and variation (%)*

Main partners	TOTAL		Food, beverages and tobacco		Raw materials		Energy		Chemical products		Machinery and transport equipment		Miscellaneous manufactured goods	
	SITC 0-9		SITC 0+1		SITC 2+4		SITC 3		SITC 5		SITC 7		SITC 6+8	
	Value	98/97	Value	98/97	Value	98/97	Value	98/97	Value	98/97	Value	98/97	Value	98/97
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>532 358</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>36 918</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>32 534</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>49 942</b>	<b>-20.4</b>	<b>41 639</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>191 597</b>	<b>15.8</b>	<b>159 275</b>	<b>9.3</b>
<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>	<b>144 114</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>7 227</b>	<b>9.9</b>	<b>6 948</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>18 217</b>	<b>-24.8</b>	<b>14 448</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>34 113</b>	<b>29.7</b>	<b>53 711</b>	<b>11.1</b>
<i>of which</i>														
Norway	22 630	-8.7	1 643	19.7	787	-2.0	9 914	-24.6	1 388	9.2	2 388	17.9	4 567	8.3
Switzerland	36 407	10.1	729	3.9	526	-0.1	259	-2.3	8 795	9.6	10 405	16.0	12 603	3.8
Malta	564	11.4	7	11.0	3	3.1	8	918.1	7	-5.3	265	17.6	253	3.7
Turkey	10 119	17.2	1 191	6.2	375	-0.7	72	-26.4	209	8.5	1 941	42.5	6 238	15.0
Poland	11 849	13.9	740	11.6	423	1.6	678	-3.8	577	12.9	3 056	22.4	6 134	14.4
Czech Republic	10 719	27.2	172	0.5	540	-0.8	267	1.7	597	5.3	4 607	51.3	4 346	18.3
Slovakia	3 896	34.8	44	-8.9	128	-10.6	55	-12.2	216	-0.1	1 845	83.8	1 566	13.0
Hungary	10 394	25.5	633	5.6	278	-1.6	183	-0.5	488	3.8	5 819	38.6	2 839	15.2
Romania	3 819	17.6	92	-10.1	110	69.6	37	-30.4	131	-5.5	436	27.1	2 999	18.5
Bulgaria	1 717	11.4	141	-5.7	109	6.9	21	-32.5	148	-26.4	153	26.1	1 131	22.3
Ukraine	1 715	24.6	60	8.9	392	-2.1	70	-20.1	172	22.2	174	87.9	746	52.9
Russia	17 655	-11.2	358	7.0	1 975	3.2	6 167	-28.9	1 038	-0.2	306	-2.6	4 379	4.1
Slovenia	3 811	11.1	51	18.3	95	5.3	4	-23.8	156	11.6	1 563	22.8	1 914	3.4
Croatia	1 354	2.3	38	-7.2	136	4.2	17	-53.1	174	-4.8	190	31.6	786	0.8
Cyprus	353	30.2	90	32.1	13	-26.6	1	-48.1	10	36.7	145	85.4	93	-4.9
<b>Africa</b>	<b>40 244</b>	<b>-4.0</b>	<b>6 796</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>3 862</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>12 241</b>	<b>-21.6</b>	<b>1 113</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>3 128</b>	<b>24.0</b>	<b>9 799</b>	<b>1.9</b>
<i>of which</i>														
<b>North Africa</b>	<b>18 581</b>	<b>-8.9</b>	<b>917</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>-10.8</b>	<b>8 683</b>	<b>-24.1</b>	<b>690</b>	<b>-2.8</b>	<b>1 557</b>	<b>54.5</b>	<b>4 688</b>	<b>6.6</b>
<i>of which</i>														
Morocco	3 986	14.5	677	3.0	296	-7.5	48	200.6	254	-10.6	769	79.0	1 896	8.4
Algeria	5 165	-18.0	12	-18.7	33	5.0	3 572	-25.3	78	-16.9	39	149.5	47	-33.7
Tunisia	3 115	5.8	103	17.1	136	-25.1	152	-46.8	179	16.1	421	24.9	2 117	12.0
Libya	4 414	-21.7	0	-65.2	3	-64.3	4 238	-22.4	129	-0.6	9	0.8	32	42.1
Egypt	1 893	-6.6	124	28.2	102	3.1	673	-24.1	50	3.1	314	45.8	595	-10.2
Ivory Coast	1 647	12.0	1 229	23.1	280	17.2	4	-76.3	2	-22.7	6	-80.5	112	-33.8
Nigeria	2 332	-22.1	215	46.8	79	-43.1	1 867	-24.1	25	43.4	16	-84.8	122	0.5
South Africa	7 385	9.2	991	16.0	888	6.7	780	11.9	220	0.1	822	36.9	2 178	22.8
<b>North America</b>	<b>123 907</b>	<b>12.3</b>	<b>4 932</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>7 642</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>1 702</b>	<b>-18.0</b>	<b>14 797</b>	<b>13.8</b>	<b>63 196</b>	<b>13.8</b>	<b>25 473</b>	<b>10.4</b>
<i>of which</i>														
USA	114 228	13.2	4 096	4.9	5 285	3.7	1 480	-17.0	14 349	13.7	59 930	14.1	23 419	11.5
Canada	9 541	3.4	708	4.7	2 356	0.3	222	-22.6	448	15.5	3 263	8.7	2 052	-1.2
<b>Latin America</b>	<b>26 739</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>10 054</b>	<b>-4.5</b>	<b>5 489</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>1 418</b>	<b>-13.0</b>	<b>1 015</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>2 919</b>	<b>37.8</b>	<b>4 853</b>	<b>-0.2</b>
<i>of which</i>														
Mexico	2 906	6.2	309	-18.1	98	-13.9	466	-8.9	268	16.4	1 001	29.0	657	1.2
Colombia	1 902	2.4	1 092	4.1	80	5.8	369	-2.8	21	8.4	23	11.0	163	-0.8
Venezuela	1 075	-19.3	67	-12.1	148	39.8	550	-24.4	88	-18.8	36	-0.5	172	-35.5
Brazil	10 201	5.7	2 963	-11.8	3 066	1.3	15	-27.2	382	21.2	1 583	69.7	1 992	5.7
Chile	2 763	3.5	759	12.0	606	-17.9	:	:	110	-18.8	18	64.7	1 115	15.9
Argentina	3 179	9.1	1 950	1.0	737	71.5	16	304.2	99	-7.5	100	-18.7	242	-16.9
<b>Near and Middle East</b>	<b>20 363</b>	<b>-6.4</b>	<b>708</b>	<b>-14.2</b>	<b>631</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>10 718</b>	<b>-18.7</b>	<b>1 354</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>2 839</b>	<b>21.4</b>	<b>3 804</b>	<b>12.9</b>
<i>of which</i>														
Lebanon	115	5.5	7	-0.8	16	-8.0	0	-98.9	15	12.1	18	92.8	58	1.0
Syria	1 129	-22.5	6	-28.4	116	-4.5	893	-27.0	0	-47.9	7	94.2	101	8.1
Iran	2 865	-23.9	112	-63.4	86	-13.0	2 253	-25.1	39	540.7	31	2.9	341	11.4
Israel	5 307	13.4	420	6.2	298	7.9	71	7.9	851	6.7	1 302	27.2	2 210	8.8
Saudi Arabia	6 104	-22.9	7	1.4	37	33.6	4 687	-29.3	343	7.2	720	7.2	287	20.5
Kuwait	980	-12.8	2	↗	3	-35.3	797	-21.6	35	↗	96	107.6	25	-46.1
United Arab Emirates	1 252	21.8	97	47.7	10	40.7	127	-20.8	31	91.9	400	25.3	554	31.2
<b>Other countries of Asia</b>	<b>163 431</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>4 405</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>5 008</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>937</b>	<b>18.6</b>	<b>7 626</b>	<b>17.0</b>	<b>81 466</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>59 056</b>	<b>8.8</b>
<i>of which</i>														
Pakistan	1 771	4.7	145	21.2	67	6.8	:	:	4	44.6	31	-4.2	1 516	3.2
India	7 658	6.5	684	-10.4	413	7.9	8	43.4	633	14.8	657	-4.0	5 179	8.9
China	31 026	14.5	748	6.4	850	5.3	269	22.0	1 520	10.2	8 573	24.4	18 741	10.5
Indonesia	6 757	10.7	510	-0.7	1 210	-4.0	258	26.1	213	48.8	850	63.8	3 616	5.5
Philippines	3 654	22.9	137	27.0	329	38.7	:	:	19	53.6	2 260	68.4	652	-6.6
Thailand	6 987	13.1	1 045	15.9	229	-5.2	0	:	110	105.4	2 680	16.1	2 464	2.4
Malaysia	8 495	7.5	166	-6.6	861	5.1	25	11.3	203	52.5	5 309	12.0	1 580	2.3
Singapore	9 081	10.8	94	1.9	58	-4.5	10	329.0	695	64.9	6 722	2.3	688	-7.3
South Korea	11 690	23.4	116	70.7	126	57.5	7	-6.0	702	29.8	7 599	19.0	2 808	27.6
Japan	48 619	12.0	69	9.2	246	14.6	44	-6.6	3 129	5.5	35 716	10.9	8 346	11.9
Taiwan	13 289	17.0	81	155.2	75	9.5	3	↗	287	26.0	8 401	17.5	4 046	10.9
Hong Kong	7 172	17.3	38	-2.4	72	323.3	3	579.6	44	0.5	2 377	25.4	4 101	3.5
<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>	<b>7 969</b>	<b>17.4</b>	<b>1 819</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>2 170</b>	<b>-3.7</b>	<b>610</b>	<b>-4.0</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>17.8</b>	<b>857</b>	<b>38.9</b>	<b>1 546</b>	<b>37.6</b>
<i>of which</i>														
Australia	5 693	23.4	538	8.7	1 697	-4.4	607	-1.9	207	23.1	668	30.9	1 306	42.6
New Zealand	1 741	7.5	1 149	3.4	250	7.6	2	14.5	79	8.4	106	15.3	146	41.1
<b>EFTA</b>	<b>60 418</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>3 055</b>	<b>14.4</b>	<b>1 355</b>	<b>-1.5</b>	<b>10 175</b>	<b>-24.2</b>	<b>10 228</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>13 000</b>	<b>16.9</b>	<b>17 540</b>	<b>5.1</b>
<b>CEEC</b>	<b>52 516</b>	<b>19.5</b>	<b>2 182</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>2 780</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>1 723</b>	<b>-10.7</b>	<b>2 743</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>18 199</b>	<b>39.8</b>	<b>24 161</b>	<b>15.3</b>
<b>ACP</b>	<b>16 263</b>	<b>-3.3</b>	<b>5 788</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>2 843</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>2 836</b>	<b>-20.1</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>56.7</b>	<b>1 011</b>	<b>-14.3</b>	<b>3 128</b>	<b>-14.1</b>
<b>NAFTA</b>	<b>126 675</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>5 112</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>7 739</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>2 168</b>	<b>-16.0</b>	<b>15 065</b>	<b>13.8</b>	<b>64 194</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>26 128</b>	<b>10.1</b>
<b>MERCOSUR</b>	<b>13 958</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>5 104</b>	<b>-6.7</b>	<b>4 099</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>24.8</b>	<b>493</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>1 687</b>	<b>59.2</b>	<b>2 295</b>	<b>2.3</b>
<b>OPEC</b>	<b>33 450</b>	<b>-11.8</b>	<b>1 034</b>	<b>-9.0</b>	<b>1 819</b>	<b>-1.3</b>	<b>20 170</b>	<b>-20.8</b>	<b>1 005</b>	<b>20.1</b>	<b>2 555</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>5 236</b>	<b>5.9</b>
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## Extra-EU trade by product

## EXPORTS

Value (Mio ECU) and variation (%)

Product list SITC Rev. 3	1994		1995		1996		1997		Jan-Sep 1998	
	Value	94/93	Value	95/94	Value	96/95	Value	97/96	Value	98/97
<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>	<b>523 641</b>	<b>11.1</b>	<b>572 840</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>625 116</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>720 492</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>546 949</b>	<b>4.2</b>
<b>0 Food and live animals</b>	<b>27 484</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>29 528</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>30 593</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>33 473</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>23 951</b>	<b>-1.9</b>
00 Live animals	609	16.9	782	28.5	752	-3.8	662	-12.0	418	5.8
01 Meat and meat preparations	4 102	12.2	3 999	-2.5	4 189	4.7	4 533	8.2	3 096	-8.2
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	3 996	-4.2	4 629	15.9	4 603	-0.6	4 935	7.2	3 553	-4.8
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	1 326	16.5	1 397	5.4	1 466	4.9	1 684	14.9	1 161	-5.8
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	4 636	-9.5	4 837	4.3	5 448	12.6	5 820	6.8	3 724	-14.3
05 Vegetables and fruit	3 883	23.1	4 020	3.5	4 186	4.1	4 537	8.4	3 427	7.0
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	2 432	13.4	2 468	1.5	2 184	-11.5	2 461	12.7	1 920	11.0
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	2 389	20.9	2 761	15.6	2 838	2.8	3 082	8.6	2 079	-4.1
08 Feeding stuff for animals	1 299	5.7	1 466	12.9	1 467	0.1	1 779	21.3	1 466	12.3
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>9 708</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>9 401</b>	<b>-3.2</b>	<b>10 347</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>12 363</b>	<b>19.5</b>	<b>8 757</b>	<b>-2.2</b>
11 Beverages	8 390	12.8	8 216	-2.1	8 672	5.5	9 977	15.0	7 021	-2.5
12 Tobacco	1 318	-25.8	1 185	-10.1	1 675	41.3	2 386	42.5	1 736	-0.7
<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>	<b>10 200</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>11 447</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>11 217</b>	<b>-2.0</b>	<b>13 086</b>	<b>16.7</b>	<b>8 655</b>	<b>-10.5</b>
21 Hides and skins, raw	784	23.5	834	6.3	1 012	21.5	1 011	-0.2	607	-18.8
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	146	-19.0	136	-6.9	200	47.3	225	12.7	260	49.5
23 Crude rubber	630	15.3	812	28.8	771	-5.0	719	-6.8	503	-8.3
24 Cork and wood	1 402	22.2	1 598	14.0	1 591	-0.5	1 994	25.3	1 446	-1.1
25 Pulp and waste paper	531	18.4	841	58.5	660	-21.5	759	14.9	509	-11.3
26 Textile fibres and their wastes	1 909	13.6	1 992	4.4	1 841	-7.6	1 914	3.9	1 197	-11.3
27 Crude fertilizers	1 084	11.6	1 165	7.5	1 172	0.6	1 435	22.4	1 014	-4.3
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	1 940	-2.6	2 118	9.1	2 063	-2.6	2 853	38.3	1 431	-33.1
<b>3 Energy</b>	<b>15 375</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>13 343</b>	<b>-13.2</b>	<b>15 339</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>17 022</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>10 561</b>	<b>-18.1</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	102	-2.3	105	2.9	103	-2.5	133	29.5	109	6.6
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	13 908	8.0	11 664	-16.1	13 311	14.1	14 898	11.9	9 252	-18.4
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	451	3.2	460	1.9	509	10.7	807	58.5	306	-46.2
35 Electric current	909	10.1	1 115	22.7	1 416	27.0	1 185	-16.3	893	1.9
<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>	<b>1 805</b>	<b>32.7</b>	<b>2 209</b>	<b>22.4</b>	<b>2 004</b>	<b>-9.3</b>	<b>2 569</b>	<b>28.2</b>	<b>2 044</b>	<b>8.3</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	76	21.0	89	16.7	87	-1.5	124	42.7	96	7.8
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	1 420	35.7	1 800	26.8	1 666	-7.4	2 086	25.2	1 687	9.3
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	286	24.3	321	12.3	251	-21.9	358	42.8	261	2.9
<b>5 Chemical products</b>	<b>68 099</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>73 430</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>79 061</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>93 022</b>	<b>17.7</b>	<b>71 394</b>	<b>3.8</b>
51 Organic chemicals	15 361	17.3	16 264	5.9	17 656	8.6	20 281	14.9	15 114	0.5
52 Inorganic chemicals	3 514	6.2	4 002	13.9	4 045	1.1	4 305	6.4	3 080	-3.9
53 Tanning and colouring materials	5 549	7.2	5 804	4.6	6 219	7.1	7 287	17.2	5 325	-2.5
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	15 528	12.8	16 937	9.1	18 107	6.9	23 181	28.0	19 444	15.0
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	6 537	13.8	7 118	8.9	8 084	13.6	9 336	15.5	7 127	3.6
56 Fertilizers	823	-0.7	868	5.5	920	6.0	913	-0.7	540	-24.9
57 Plastics in primary forms	7 771	17.6	8 256	6.2	8 619	4.4	9 896	14.8	6 904	-5.7
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	3 548	14.9	4 483	26.3	4 680	4.4	5 517	17.9	4 489	11.7
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>	<b>87 801</b>	<b>10.8</b>	<b>95 794</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>102 797</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>114 723</b>	<b>11.6</b>	<b>85 285</b>	<b>1.0</b>
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	2 565	22.4	2 765	7.8	3 334	20.6	3 555	6.6	2 401	-2.7
62 Rubber manufactures	3 415	2.4	3 545	3.8	4 002	12.9	4 549	13.6	3 598	8.9
63 Cork and wood manufactures	1 417	20.9	2 103	48.4	2 423	15.2	2 907	20.0	2 375	13.1
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	5 833	16.2	12 152	108.3	12 305	1.3	13 598	10.5	10 271	2.2
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	15 565	12.1	16 780	7.8	17 740	5.7	19 826	11.8	15 056	4.2
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	18 635	12.2	19 542	4.9	21 281	8.9	23 904	12.3	17 232	-4.5
67 Iron and steel	16 533	2.9	16 612	0.5	17 108	3.0	18 491	8.1	13 590	0.4
68 Non-ferrous metals	6 108	13.6	6 976	14.2	7 407	6.2	8 579	15.8	6 259	-1.6
69 Manufactures of metals	13 052	11.0	14 872	13.9	16 231	9.1	18 321	12.9	14 514	8.4
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>	<b>231 487</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>255 820</b>	<b>10.5</b>	<b>281 923</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>330 842</b>	<b>17.4</b>	<b>254 197</b>	<b>6.6</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	18 542	5.3	18 544	0.0	21 199	14.3	29 079	37.2	24 232	15.5
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	35 175	10.4	38 244	8.7	41 654	8.9	46 359	11.3	33 450	0.1
73 Metalworking machinery	6 232	3.5	7 411	18.9	8 430	13.7	8 732	3.6	6 363	2.6
74 General industry machinery and equipment	32 811	12.7	36 430	11.0	41 087	12.8	45 985	11.9	35 246	5.4
75 Office machines and computers	13 396	17.3	15 326	14.4	16 314	6.5	19 524	19.7	15 361	8.8
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	10 756	20.8	17 374	61.5	20 316	16.9	27 282	34.3	20 288	4.1
77 Electrical machinery	33 013	17.7	38 313	16.1	43 152	12.6	51 690	19.8	39 930	6.5
78 Road vehicles	47 343	19.3	52 049	9.9	56 850	9.2	65 597	15.4	50 577	7.7
79 Other transport equipment	27 507	-6.6	28 853	4.9	29 707	3.0	36 594	23.2	28 750	9.2
<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>	<b>66 322</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>71 580</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>79 036</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>88 718</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>66 390</b>	<b>3.4</b>
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	2 205	11.8	2 531	14.8	2 855	12.8	3 387	18.6	2 475	4.3
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	5 513	19.0	6 255	13.5	6 954	11.2	7 975	14.7	5 846	3.7
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	1 672	30.3	1 902	13.8	2 129	11.9	2 062	-3.2	1 352	-13.8
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	10 628	15.6	11 383	7.1	12 925	13.6	13 883	7.4	10 800	5.3
85 Footwear	4 789	20.2	5 020	4.8	5 639	12.3	6 032	7.0	4 423	-2.3
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	12 113	5.9	13 311	9.9	14 761	10.9	17 669	19.7	13 533	6.9
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	5 777	12.8	6 449	11.6	6 959	7.9	8 007	15.1	5 690	-2.1
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	23 257	12.5	24 574	5.7	26 703	8.7	29 703	11.2	22 271	4.3
<b>9 Articles not classified elsewhere</b>	<b>5 360</b>	<b>-25.0</b>	<b>10 287</b>	<b>91.9</b>	<b>12 799</b>	<b>24.4</b>	<b>14 674</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>15 715</b>	<b>41.8</b>





## IMPORTS

Value (Mio ECU) and variation (%)

Product list SITC Rev. 3	1994		1995		1996		1997		Jan-Sep 1998	
	Value	94/93	Value	95/94	Value	96/95	Value	97/96	Value	98/97
<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>	<b>518 499</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>545 130</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>581 501</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>670 989</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>532 358</b>	<b>8.1</b>
<b>0 Food and live animals</b>	<b>39 648</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>40 147</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>41 630</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>44 215</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>33 627</b>	<b>3.3</b>
00 Live animals	553	6.0	506	-8.5	522	3.2	584	11.8	400	1.6
01 Meat and meat preparations	2 890	4.4	2 748	-4.9	2 935	6.8	3 238	10.3	2 243	-5.3
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	674	-3.5	692	2.6	731	5.6	804	10.1	595	1.1
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	7 654	11.9	7 686	0.4	8 024	4.4	8 923	11.2	7 633	19.3
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	1 486	23.7	1 777	19.6	1 851	4.2	1 957	5.7	1 439	-3.2
05 Vegetables and fruit	12 131	11.5	12 134	0.0	13 007	7.2	12 336	-5.2	9 381	2.2
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	1 508	5.9	1 576	4.5	1 797	14.0	1 633	-9.1	1 175	-3.9
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	7 034	43.2	7 981	13.5	6 802	-14.8	8 844	30.0	6 702	3.7
08 Feeding stuff for animals	5 095	7.7	4 445	-12.8	5 331	19.9	5 165	-3.1	3 483	-11.4
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>3 766</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>3 073</b>	<b>-18.4</b>	<b>3 615</b>	<b>17.7</b>	<b>4 059</b>	<b>12.3</b>	<b>3 292</b>	<b>12.4</b>
11 Beverages	1 088	7.6	1 109	1.9	1 435	29.3	1 861	29.7	1 550	18.9
12 Tobacco	2 678	5.1	1 964	-26.7	2 180	11.0	2 197	0.8	1 742	7.1
<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>	<b>33 037</b>	<b>23.0</b>	<b>37 580</b>	<b>13.8</b>	<b>34 808</b>	<b>-7.4</b>	<b>40 103</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>30 434</b>	<b>2.0</b>
21 Hides and skins, raw	1 041	55.6	1 052	1.1	1 027	-2.4	1 076	4.8	785	-2.8
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	4 265	20.2	4 498	5.5	4 980	10.7	5 096	2.3	3 776	1.8
23 Crude rubber	1 333	23.1	1 915	43.7	1 805	-5.8	1 766	-2.2	1 295	-2.7
24 Cork and wood	5 558	21.9	5 750	3.5	5 036	-12.4	6 209	23.3	4 943	5.4
25 Pulp and waste paper	3 523	32.9	5 379	52.7	3 623	-32.7	3 890	7.4	3 022	4.8
26 Textile fibres and their wastes	4 016	37.8	4 093	1.9	3 783	-7.6	4 436	17.3	3 077	-7.8
27 Crude fertilizers	2 436	1.1	2 535	4.1	2 498	-1.4	2 848	14.0	2 473	17.3
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	8 505	23.4	9 977	17.3	9 457	-5.2	12 000	26.9	8 811	-1.2
<b>3 Energy</b>	<b>69 113</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>64 752</b>	<b>-6.3</b>	<b>77 130</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>84 872</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>49 942</b>	<b>-20.4</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	5 087	11.3	5 989	17.7	6 076	1.5	6 373	4.9	4 625	-3.5
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	57 107	-0.3	52 391	-8.3	63 690	21.6	65 449	2.8	36 723	-23.9
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	5 747	3.6	5 847	1.8	6 819	16.6	12 484	83.1	8 149	-11.7
35 Electric current	562	8.9	526	-6.4	545	3.7	566	3.9	445	9.6
<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>	<b>2 400</b>	<b>32.1</b>	<b>2 641</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>2 463</b>	<b>-6.7</b>	<b>2 553</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>2 100</b>	<b>9.1</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	266	20.3	298	12.2	245	-17.9	233	-4.9	140	-18.3
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	1 718	33.4	1 974	14.9	1 914	-3.0	2 035	6.3	1 720	11.8
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	345	33.2	370	7.2	304	-17.7	285	-6.2	241	11.4
<b>5 Chemical products</b>	<b>37 545</b>	<b>16.9</b>	<b>43 057</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>44 379</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>51 362</b>	<b>15.7</b>	<b>41 639</b>	<b>10.1</b>
51 Organic chemicals	10 538	26.5	11 990	13.8	11 980	-0.1	15 149	26.5	11 884	6.8
52 Inorganic chemicals	3 272	21.7	4 128	26.1	4 144	0.4	4 685	13.1	3 720	8.7
53 Tanning and colouring materials	2 014	5.2	2 282	13.3	2 317	1.6	2 736	18.0	2 251	10.6
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	7 417	10.4	8 309	12.0	9 590	15.4	10 755	12.1	9 166	17.4
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	1 883	14.6	2 054	9.1	2 186	6.4	2 445	11.9	2 040	11.9
56 Fertilizers	1 608	36.2	1 994	24.1	1 901	-4.7	1 772	-6.8	1 304	1.3
57 Plastics in primary forms	4 263	14.9	5 447	27.8	4 864	-10.7	5 553	14.2	4 672	12.8
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	2 125	10.9	2 433	14.5	2 493	2.5	2 853	14.4	2 312	8.0
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>	<b>67 404</b>	<b>20.6</b>	<b>77 706</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>75 495</b>	<b>-2.8</b>	<b>87 640</b>	<b>16.1</b>	<b>72 753</b>	<b>12.0</b>
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	2 285	47.5	2 297	0.5	2 399	4.5	2 685	11.9	1 947	-3.1
62 Rubber manufactures	2 806	13.8	3 330	18.7	3 618	8.6	3 904	7.9	3 423	17.4
63 Cork and wood manufactures	3 387	16.2	3 891	14.9	3 806	-2.2	4 473	17.5	3 598	7.3
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	4 168	17.5	5 271	26.5	5 269	-0.0	5 685	7.9	4 675	8.1
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	12 787	15.0	13 001	1.7	12 984	-0.1	15 499	19.4	12 418	8.9
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	12 823	8.2	13 491	5.2	14 679	8.8	16 758	14.2	12 657	0.8
67 Iron and steel	6 735	38.0	10 000	48.5	8 353	-16.5	9 273	11.0	9 754	43.5
68 Non-ferrous metals	13 114	38.9	16 285	24.2	13 479	-17.2	16 999	26.1	13 903	11.0
69 Manufactures of metals	8 764	14.2	10 140	15.7	10 620	4.7	12 445	17.2	10 670	16.7
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>	<b>164 738</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>173 320</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>187 884</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>228 546</b>	<b>21.6</b>	<b>191 597</b>	<b>15.8</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	13 213	11.3	13 402	1.4	15 468	15.4	19 460	25.8	17 416	24.5
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	8 922	11.9	10 085	13.0	10 446	3.6	11 946	14.4	9 896	13.1
73 Metalworking machinery	2 986	20.3	3 907	30.8	4 442	13.7	4 913	10.6	4 318	27.7
74 General industry machinery and equipment	12 750	11.7	14 687	15.2	16 506	12.4	18 239	10.5	15 790	16.7
75 Office machines and computers	32 321	14.5	34 515	6.8	36 994	7.2	45 605	23.3	36 733	14.6
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	15 896	6.3	17 790	11.9	19 665	10.5	22 865	16.3	18 487	15.4
77 Electrical machinery	35 243	26.9	41 099	16.6	42 252	2.8	50 146	18.7	39 258	7.7
78 Road vehicles	21 102	-1.2	22 224	5.3	24 147	8.7	29 968	24.1	27 170	21.9
79 Other transport equipment	20 606	-5.0	15 611	-24.2	17 962	15.1	25 404	41.4	22 530	18.6
<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>	<b>86 611</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>87 096</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>93 905</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>108 685</b>	<b>15.7</b>	<b>86 522</b>	<b>7.2</b>
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	1 477	12.2	1 619	9.6	1 692	4.5	1 985	17.3	1 609	13.3
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	3 950	13.7	4 573	15.7	5 132	12.2	6 173	20.3	5 251	15.7
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	2 123	3.9	2 237	5.4	2 467	10.3	2 811	14.0	2 376	10.2
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	31 303	4.7	31 078	-0.7	33 592	8.1	38 743	15.3	31 149	5.6
85 Footwear	5 454	8.4	5 249	-3.8	5 918	12.7	7 028	18.8	5 498	0.3
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	10 859	6.8	11 471	5.6	12 566	9.5	14 555	15.8	11 847	11.7
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	7 524	8.6	8 213	9.2	8 603	4.8	9 429	9.6	7 257	6.4
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	23 309	2.4	22 657	-2.8	23 935	5.6	27 960	16.8	21 535	6.5
<b>9 Articles not classified elsewhere</b>	<b>14 237</b>	<b>-8.9</b>	<b>15 759</b>	<b>10.7</b>	<b>20 192</b>	<b>28.1</b>	<b>18 954</b>	<b>-6.1</b>	<b>20 452</b>	<b>52.6</b>





















# MAIN EU TRADING PARTNERS BY MAIN PRODUCT

## FOOD PRODUCTS

### EXPORTS

### IMPORTS

*Value (Mio ECU), share and variation (%)*

Partner	1997		Jan-Sep 1998		Partner	1997		Jan-Sep 1998	
	Value	%	Value	98/97		Value	%	Value	98/97

#### Fish, crustaceans, molluscs – SITC 03

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>1 684</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1 161</b>	<b>-5.8</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>8 923</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>7 633</b>	<b>19.3</b>
Japan	314	18.6	149	-37.6	Norway	1 679	18.8	1 439	18.5
Switzerland	153	9.1	119	9.4	Iceland	651	7.3	551	18.9
Ivory Coast	78	4.6	82	46.5	Thailand	428	4.8	426	44.9
USA	99	5.9	75	2.6	Russia	361	4.0	321	9.9
Russia	89	5.3	57	-11.0	Argentina	304	3.4	306	33.7
Poland	57	3.4	54	40.1	Morocco	356	4.0	290	9.2
Nigeria	62	3.7	52	34.8	USA	386	4.3	283	5.5
Norway	56	3.3	44	5.4	Ecuador	289	3.2	256	32.2
Hong Kong	82	4.9	36	-49.5	Faroe Islands	282	3.2	219	5.2
Egypt	30	1.8	31	54.6	China	219	2.5	206	29.6
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>1 019</b>	<b>60.5</b>	<b>699</b>	<b>-7.0</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>4 953</b>	<b>55.5</b>	<b>4 298</b>	<b>19.8</b>

#### Cereals and cereal preparations – SITC 04

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>5 820</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3 724</b>	<b>-14.3</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>1 957</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1 439</b>	<b>-3.2</b>
USA	413	7.1	353	25.7	USA	742	37.9	484	-17.7
Russia	506	8.7	289	-19.5	Canada	294	15.0	180	-14.9
Algeria	342	5.9	173	-36.1	Argentina	152	7.8	163	37.4
Japan	216	3.7	159	0.1	Switzerland	110	5.6	93	21.8
Libya	245	4.2	145	-28.5	India	108	5.5	76	-6.1
Switzerland	185	3.2	140	1.7	Thailand	111	5.6	73	-16.6
Egypt	175	3.0	139	25.5	Hungary	52	2.6	71	122.1
Morocco	121	2.1	133	125.2	Australia	62	3.2	49	-3.2
Norway	158	2.7	113	-5.6	Turkey	11	0.6	24	227.5
Cuba	126	2.2	108	11.2	Guiana	18	0.9	23	246.3
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>2 485</b>	<b>42.7</b>	<b>1 753</b>	<b>-2.5</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>1 659</b>	<b>84.8</b>	<b>1 236</b>	<b>-1.9</b>

#### Vegetables and fruit – SITC 05

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>4 537</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3 427</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>12 336</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>9 381</b>	<b>2.2</b>
Russia	698	15.4	510	4.1	USA	1 353	11.0	993	13.4
USA	644	14.2	487	5.5	Turkey	1 447	11.7	944	5.5
Switzerland	512	11.3	362	-4.2	South Africa	708	5.7	695	13.6
Poland	296	6.5	251	14.8	Brazil	692	5.6	532	0.8
Czech Republic	232	5.1	158	-7.4	Chile	403	3.3	420	11.0
Japan	186	4.1	143	8.9	Costa Rica	494	4.0	411	10.9
Norway	159	3.5	110	-6.3	Morocco	493	4.0	362	-2.3
Brazil	82	1.8	105	81.6	Poland	435	3.5	353	18.5
Canada	123	2.7	83	9.2	Israel	404	3.3	328	5.2
Slovenia	76	1.7	63	6.7	Argentina	345	2.8	324	4.6
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>3 009</b>	<b>66.3</b>	<b>2 273</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>6 773</b>	<b>54.9</b>	<b>5 362</b>	<b>8.3</b>

#### Beverages – SITC 11

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>9 977</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>7 021</b>	<b>-2.5</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>1 861</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1 550</b>	<b>18.9</b>
USA	3 360	33.7	2 487	-0.3	USA	402	21.6	350	29.7
Japan	1 012	10.1	1 049	44.0	Australia	278	14.9	244	34.1
Switzerland	634	6.4	474	6.2	South Africa	141	7.6	118	24.7
Canada	401	4.0	347	14.7	Chile	142	7.6	115	18.4
Russia	308	3.1	182	-15.9	Bahamas	88	4.7	101	56.3
Hong Kong	341	3.4	144	-43.9	Trinidad and Tobago	122	6.6	91	7.4
Australia	182	1.8	132	-2.5	Bulgaria	74	4.0	50	-11.2
Taiwan	355	3.6	116	-53.6	Mexico	50	2.7	44	8.8
Venezuela	99	1.0	110	73.1	Hungary	48	2.6	43	11.9
Singapore	252	2.5	107	-36.7	Switzerland	56	3.0	42	2.6
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>6 945</b>	<b>69.6</b>	<b>5 149</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>1 402</b>	<b>75.3</b>	<b>1 199</b>	<b>23.6</b>

**RAW MATERIALS**
**EXPORTS**
**IMPORTS**
*Value (Mio ECU), share and variation (%)*

Partner	1997		Jan-Sep 1998		Partner	1997		Jan-Sep 1998	
	Value	%	Value	98/97		Value	%	Value	98/97

**Cork and wood – SITC 24**

Extra EU-15	1994	100.0	1 446	-1.1	Extra EU-15	6 209	100.0	4 943	5.4
Norway	302	15.2	235	4.3	USA	872	14.0	655	-0.5
Egypt	226	11.3	169	13.6	Russia	674	10.9	544	6.7
Japan	419	21.0	164	-53.2	Latvia	399	6.4	370	21.8
Switzerland	185	9.3	143	3.0	Cameroon	351	5.7	338	27.1
Hong Kong	95	4.7	121	109.1	Canada	464	7.5	329	-8.1
USA	62	3.1	76	78.8	Malaysia	359	5.8	233	-17.0
Algeria	79	4.0	59	21.8	Czech Republic	311	5.0	233	-2.8
China	24	1.2	53	230.5	Brazil	281	4.5	211	7.6
Israel	75	3.8	50	-4.0	Estonia	228	3.7	187	9.1
Saudi Arabia	44	2.2	40	12.7	Poland	204	3.3	167	5.4
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>1 511</b>	<b>75.8</b>	<b>1 110</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>4 143</b>	<b>66.7</b>	<b>3 268</b>	<b>4.0</b>

**Pulp and waste paper – SITC 25**

Extra EU-15	759	100.0	509	-11.3	Extra EU-15	3 890	100.0	3 022	4.8
Switzerland	140	18.4	89	-15.5	Canada	1 222	31.4	931	2.1
Indonesia	66	8.8	43	-22.3	USA	1 181	30.3	906	3.7
Japan	59	7.7	41	-5.0	Brazil	332	8.5	280	12.4
Norway	50	6.6	34	-7.5	Chile	260	6.7	191	-0.9
USA	33	4.3	28	12.9	Norway	212	5.5	166	6.5
Slovenia	42	5.5	25	-16.9	Indonesia	49	1.3	85	130.9
Czech Republic	23	3.1	22	34.5	Russia	102	2.6	71	-11.7
Poland	34	4.4	20	-14.9	South Africa	76	2.0	52	3.0
Taiwan	38	5.0	18	-41.1	Czech Republic	52	1.3	50	34.5
China	26	3.5	18	-12.4	Switzerland	63	1.6	45	-1.3
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>510</b>	<b>67.2</b>	<b>338</b>	<b>-12.6</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>3 548</b>	<b>91.2</b>	<b>2 776</b>	<b>5.5</b>

**Textile fibres and their wastes – SITC 26**

Extra EU-15	1 914	100.0	1 197	-11.3	Extra EU-15	4 436	100.0	3 077	-7.8
Turkey	302	15.8	176	-19.1	Australia	1 052	23.7	690	-6.2
USA	153	8.0	98	-9.7	Uzbekistan	399	9.0	270	-19.3
Poland	100	5.2	77	12.5	USA	381	8.6	254	-13.1
Czech Republic	76	4.0	51	-1.4	China	330	7.4	222	-11.1
China	63	3.3	43	5.5	New Zealand	183	4.1	149	13.6
Switzerland	68	3.6	37	-23.5	South Africa	109	2.5	101	23.0
Kenya	33	1.7	36	49.3	Turkey	127	2.9	92	-3.5
Japan	63	3.3	35	-23.0	Syria	137	3.1	86	-8.6
Tunisia	42	2.2	31	11.5	Japan	107	2.4	82	-1.2
Morocco	49	2.6	26	-25.4	Mali	71	1.6	72	22.9
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>950</b>	<b>49.7</b>	<b>609</b>	<b>-8.7</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>2 898</b>	<b>65.3</b>	<b>2 017</b>	<b>-6.4</b>

**Metalliferous ores and metal scrap – SITC 28**

Extra EU-15	2 853	100.0	1 431	-33.1	Extra EU-15	12 000	100.0	8 811	-1.2
USA	217	7.6	191	19.9	Brazil	1 301	10.8	1 100	14.3
Turkey	422	14.8	180	-43.9	Russia	1 295	10.8	973	2.4
Norway	199	7.0	159	10.5	USA	1 057	8.8	859	9.1
Japan	190	6.7	111	-8.4	Australia	1 120	9.3	792	-7.6
India	169	5.9	83	-34.9	Canada	1 102	9.2	762	-3.5
Switzerland	88	3.1	79	20.3	South Africa	561	4.7	474	11.1
Taiwan	183	6.4	71	-48.7	Chile	614	5.1	339	-28.6
China	145	5.1	70	-33.3	Indonesia	509	4.2	308	-18.6
Canada	73	2.5	59	25.5	Ukraine	236	2.0	201	27.3
Russia	113	4.0	51	-42.0	Switzerland	273	2.3	196	-4.1
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>1 799</b>	<b>63.1</b>	<b>1 055</b>	<b>-19.9</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>8 068</b>	<b>67.2</b>	<b>6 004</b>	<b>0.3</b>

## FUEL PRODUCTS AND OTHER COMBUSTIBLES

### EXPORTS

### IMPORTS

*Value (Mio ECU), share and variation (%)*

Partner	1997		Jan-Sep 1998		Partner	1997		Jan-Sep 1998	
	Value	%	Value	98/97		Value	%	Value	98/97
<b>Petroleum oils, crude – SITC 333</b>									
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>2 258</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1 293</b>	<b>-30.2</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>54 751</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>30 778</b>	<b>-23.9</b>
USA	1 585	70.2	854	-36.0	Norway	14 067	25.7	7 547	-28.0
Norway	234	10.4	103	-43.6	Saudi Arabia	8 688	15.9	4 470	-29.2
South Africa	36	1.6	98	173.7	Russia	6 967	12.7	3 809	-29.3
Poland	206	9.1	88	-43.9	Libya	6 159	11.2	3 515	-22.6
Canada	136	6.0	63	-37.5	Iran	4 143	7.6	2 251	-25.2
Form.Yug.Rep.Maced	41	1.8	54	84.4	Nigeria	3 628	6.6	1 831	-25.4
Virgin Islands of USA	11	0.5	22	107.2	Iraq	1 352	2.5	1 640	82.7
Morocco	:	:	7	:	Algeria	2 411	4.4	1 419	-23.7
Russia	:	:	3	:	Syria	1 574	2.9	824	-28.6
Serbia+Montenegro	:	:	1	:	Kuwait	1 079	2.0	592	-30.1
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>2 248</b>	<b>99.6</b>	<b>1 293</b>	<b>-30.2</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>50 068</b>	<b>91.4</b>	<b>27 899</b>	<b>-24.5</b>
<b>Petroleum products – SITC 334+335</b>									
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>12 640</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>7 959</b>	<b>-16.1</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>10 699</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>5 945</b>	<b>-24.1</b>
USA	1 941	15.4	1 280	-20.5	Russia	2 921	27.3	1 322	-39.5
Switzerland	1 279	10.1	894	-10.3	Libya	1 086	10.2	641	-21.1
Poland	518	4.1	282	-17.1	Norway	910	8.5	548	-14.7
Norway	395	3.1	263	-6.9	Algeria	1 159	10.8	544	-37.4
Turkey	237	1.9	210	25.0	USA	903	8.4	511	-19.0
Brazil	251	2.0	197	11.8	Kuwait	253	2.4	189	11.1
Gibraltar	369	2.9	172	-38.0	Latvia	330	3.1	185	-32.1
Malta	264	2.1	154	-17.8	Estonia	266	2.5	164	-7.2
Czech Republic	184	1.5	140	3.7	Egypt	260	2.4	158	-10.3
Tunisia	243	1.9	139	-16.9	Saudi Arabia	191	1.8	157	11.0
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>5 680</b>	<b>44.9</b>	<b>3 731</b>	<b>-14.1</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>8 279</b>	<b>77.4</b>	<b>4 420</b>	<b>-27.2</b>

## CHEMICALS

### EXPORTS

### IMPORTS

Value (Mio ECU), share and variation (%)

Partner	1997		Jan-Sep 1998		Partner	1997		Jan-Sep 1998	
	Value	%	Value	98/97		Value	%	Value	98/97

### Organic chemicals – SITC 51

Partner	1997 Value	1997 %	Jan-Sep 1998 Value	Jan-Sep 1998 98/97	Partner	1997 Value	1997 %	Jan-Sep 1998 Value	Jan-Sep 1998 98/97
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>20 281</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>15 114</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>15 149</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>11 884</b>	<b>6.8</b>
USA	6 555	32.3	5 538	17.9	USA	4 615	30.5	3 802	11.8
Switzerland	1 890	9.3	1 673	21.2	Switzerland	2 943	19.4	2 228	4.0
Japan	1 552	7.7	1 189	1.8	Japan	1 475	9.7	1 222	10.6
Brazil	695	3.4	590	8.5	Singapore	547	3.6	611	68.4
Canada	386	1.9	348	20.4	China	711	4.7	536	-4.7
Turkey	478	2.4	342	-7.1	India	417	2.7	337	8.7
China	365	1.8	320	16.6	Norway	311	2.1	265	30.1
Australia	375	1.8	287	4.9	South Korea	295	2.0	252	15.8
Mexico	351	1.7	284	6.8	Israel	257	1.7	197	4.2
Taiwan	382	1.9	272	-9.0	Russia	300	2.0	190	-13.6
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>13 028</b>	<b>64.2</b>	<b>10 844</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>11 872</b>	<b>78.4</b>	<b>9 639</b>	<b>10.6</b>

### Medicinal and pharmaceutical products – SITC 54

Partner	1997 Value	1997 %	Jan-Sep 1998 Value	Jan-Sep 1998 98/97	Partner	1997 Value	1997 %	Jan-Sep 1998 Value	Jan-Sep 1998 98/97
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>23 181</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>19 444</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>10 755</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>9 166</b>	<b>17.4</b>
USA	4 753	20.5	4 948	46.2	USA	4 208	39.1	3 940	28.6
Switzerland	2 634	11.4	2 154	16.7	Switzerland	4 118	38.3	3 428	15.7
Japan	1 785	7.7	1 168	-15.6	Japan	743	6.9	479	-9.4
Australia	837	3.6	719	18.6	China	340	3.2	310	26.0
Canada	651	2.8	628	29.1	Australia	119	1.1	110	22.9
Poland	702	3.0	581	15.5	Canada	108	1.0	89	6.5
Russia	670	2.9	474	6.7	Norway	124	1.1	86	-5.5
Brazil	567	2.4	412	-4.2	Israel	113	1.0	70	-10.1
Turkey	438	1.9	383	20.9	India	50	0.5	39	2.7
Saudi Arabia	478	2.1	373	4.8	Czech Republic	44	0.4	34	1.7
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>13 517</b>	<b>58.3</b>	<b>11 841</b>	<b>21.3</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>9 967</b>	<b>92.7</b>	<b>8 585</b>	<b>19.0</b>

### Fertilizers – SITC 56

Partner	1997 Value	1997 %	Jan-Sep 1998 Value	Jan-Sep 1998 98/97	Partner	1997 Value	1997 %	Jan-Sep 1998 Value	Jan-Sep 1998 98/97
<b>Extra EU-15 (*)</b>	<b>913</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>-24.9</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>1 772</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1 304</b>	<b>1.3</b>
China	123	13.5	34	-63.9	Russia	274	15.5	207	11.0
Norway	24	2.7	24	26.5	Norway	162	9.1	133	12.3
USA	37	4.1	23	-23.4	Israel	154	8.7	128	20.6
Thailand	31	3.4	22	-7.6	Poland	169	9.5	125	6.7
Poland	27	2.9	20	-8.7	Tunisia	149	8.4	122	16.8
Turkey	19	2.1	19	44.6	Morocco	191	10.8	113	-16.2
Switzerland	27	3.0	19	-13.1	Lithuania	124	7.0	106	13.2
Brazil	55	6.0	17	-63.3	Bulgaria	100	5.6	47	-41.7
Australia	19	2.0	17	22.4	Czech Republic	59	3.3	41	-14.8
Malaysia	25	2.7	16	-19.9	Ukraine	18	1.0	32	177.6
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>42.4</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>-30.5</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>1 400</b>	<b>79.0</b>	<b>1 054</b>	<b>5.2</b>

### Plastics in primary forms – SITC 57

Partner	1997 Value	1997 %	Jan-Sep 1998 Value	Jan-Sep 1998 98/97	Partner	1997 Value	1997 %	Jan-Sep 1998 Value	Jan-Sep 1998 98/97
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>9 896</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6 904</b>	<b>-5.7</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>5 553</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>4 672</b>	<b>12.8</b>
USA	1 047	10.6	855	12.4	USA	1 894	34.1	1 491	4.9
Switzerland	859	8.7	639	1.4	Switzerland	657	11.8	514	5.5
Turkey	822	8.3	555	-8.6	Japan	493	8.9	398	7.6
Poland	547	5.5	429	8.8	Norway	436	7.9	336	4.2
Hong Kong	365	3.7	237	-15.2	South Korea	167	3.0	213	69.7
Japan	318	3.2	194	-15.5	Saudi Arabia	237	4.3	184	3.8
Czech Republic	244	2.5	187	3.8	Hungary	220	4.0	178	8.8
Israel	226	2.3	187	9.5	Czech Republic	169	3.0	130	2.9
Brazil	259	2.6	181	-5.8	Taiwan	105	1.9	111	32.3
Norway	244	2.5	168	-6.0	Israel	127	2.3	110	14.5
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>4 932</b>	<b>49.8</b>	<b>3 632</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>4 504</b>	<b>81.1</b>	<b>3 665</b>	<b>8.6</b>

(\*) For the period Jan-Sep 1998 the confidential trade exceeded 10% of the total extra EU-15 trade.

## MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT

### EXPORTS

### IMPORTS

*Value (Mio ECU), share and variation (%)*

Partner	1997		Jan-Sep 1998		Partner	1997		Jan-Sep 1998	
	Value	%	Value	98/97		Value	%	Value	98/97

#### Power generating machinery and equipment – SITC 71

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>29 079</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>24 232</b>	<b>15.5</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>19 460</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>17 416</b>	<b>24.5</b>
USA	9 531	32.8	8 830	24.0	USA	9 746	50.1	8 834	25.4
Canada	972	3.3	920	40.1	Japan	2 109	10.8	1 788	19.8
China	1 025	3.5	773	8.7	Hungary	1 549	8.0	1 726	61.2
Switzerland	905	3.1	751	12.5	Switzerland	919	4.7	756	14.6
Turkey	738	2.5	717	37.7	Canada	726	3.7	694	28.8
Brazil	769	2.6	642	18.6	China	372	1.9	329	27.1
Hungary	712	2.4	638	37.4	Czech Republic	257	1.3	274	49.3
Saudi Arabia	558	1.9	480	30.0	Brazil	305	1.6	256	13.8
Norway	473	1.6	465	41.1	Mexico	292	1.5	234	8.5
Hong Kong	638	2.2	438	-2.9	Norway	190	1.0	199	46.2
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>16 321</b>	<b>56.1</b>	<b>14 654</b>	<b>23.9</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>16 467</b>	<b>84.6</b>	<b>15 090</b>	<b>27.6</b>

#### Machinery specialized for particular industries – SITC 72

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>46 359</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>33 450</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>11 946</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>9 896</b>	<b>13.1</b>
USA	8 936	19.3	7 816	19.2	USA	4 077	34.1	3 284	7.3
China	2 361	5.1	1 660	10.7	Switzerland	2 551	21.4	2 076	13.5
Turkey	2 310	5.0	1 557	-5.8	Japan	1 865	15.6	1 606	18.6
Poland	1 577	3.4	1 373	17.0	Czech Republic	418	3.5	377	25.8
Switzerland	1 624	3.5	1 314	9.2	Norway	394	3.3	318	6.6
Russia	1 293	2.8	1 183	42.0	Canada	356	3.0	287	14.0
Brazil	1 673	3.6	1 043	-5.3	Poland	237	2.0	193	6.8
Japan	1 509	3.3	911	-19.7	Hungary	216	1.8	193	21.6
Norway	1 008	2.2	862	20.6	South Korea	180	1.5	185	45.6
Mexico	942	2.0	831	21.9	Taiwan	260	2.2	169	-12.2
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>23 233</b>	<b>50.1</b>	<b>18 550</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>10 553</b>	<b>88.3</b>	<b>8 688</b>	<b>12.1</b>

#### General industry machinery and equipment – SITC 74

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>45 985</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35 246</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>18 239</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>15 790</b>	<b>16.7</b>
USA	7 482	16.3	6 217	13.9	USA	6 404	35.1	5 563	18.6
Switzerland	2 420	5.3	1 942	9.0	Japan	3 342	18.3	2 787	11.3
Poland	1 868	4.1	1 641	21.1	Switzerland	2 448	13.4	1 957	10.4
Norway	1 536	3.3	1 367	19.1	Czech Republic	638	3.5	625	39.9
China	1 675	3.6	1 272	14.4	China	694	3.8	604	5.5
Brazil	1 432	3.1	1 093	6.3	Norway	423	2.3	360	13.4
Russia	1 630	3.5	1 082	-8.9	Taiwan	404	2.2	332	5.4
Turkey	1 383	3.0	1 056	7.9	South Korea	321	1.8	310	22.8
Czech Republic	1 226	2.7	968	6.1	Canada	349	1.9	301	17.8
Japan	1 364	3.0	926	-9.0	Poland	318	1.7	289	23.8
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>22 014</b>	<b>47.9</b>	<b>17 563</b>	<b>9.9</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>15 342</b>	<b>84.1</b>	<b>13 128</b>	<b>15.6</b>

#### Telecommunication, sound, TV, video – SITC 76

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>27 282</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>20 288</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>22 865</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>18 487</b>	<b>15.4</b>
USA	2 647	9.7	2 249	21.0	USA	5 834	25.5	4 935	16.5
China	1 722	6.3	1 790	54.6	Japan	4 294	18.8	3 303	8.2
Hong Kong	2 051	7.5	1 314	-7.3	China	2 651	11.6	1 982	12.5
South Africa	821	3.0	1 005	66.9	Malaysia	1 363	6.0	918	-3.7
Switzerland	1 216	4.5	921	4.2	Hungary	959	4.2	901	45.2
Taiwan	946	3.5	866	17.7	South Korea	1 054	4.6	721	-7.2
Hungary	994	3.6	833	19.1	Taiwan	818	3.6	597	3.1
Turkey	778	2.9	771	36.4	Israel	507	2.2	549	53.9
Poland	897	3.3	723	16.3	Thailand	592	2.6	522	30.9
Russia	1 091	4.0	653	-8.6	Singapore	772	3.4	504	-12.6
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>13 162</b>	<b>48.2</b>	<b>11 124</b>	<b>20.2</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>18 843</b>	<b>82.4</b>	<b>14 932</b>	<b>12.2</b>



**MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT**

**EXPORTS**

**IMPORTS**

*Value (Mio ECU), share and variation (%)*

Partner	1997		Jan-Sep 1998		Partner	1997		Jan-Sep 1998	
	Value	%	Value	98/97		Value	%	Value	98/97

**Office machines and computers – SITC 75**

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>19 524</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>15 361</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>45 605</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>36 733</b>	<b>14.6</b>
USA	6 163	31.6	4 755	5.5	USA	13 003	28.5	9 681	3.6
Switzerland	1 807	9.3	1 621	25.6	Japan	8 159	17.9	6 384	8.0
Japan	1 678	8.6	962	-26.4	Taiwan	5 109	11.2	4 332	24.2
Norway	902	4.6	730	17.7	Singapore	5 410	11.9	3 952	-0.6
Hungary	556	2.8	648	63.5	China	2 646	5.8	2 398	37.8
Russia	683	3.5	505	11.4	Malaysia	2 640	5.8	2 258	26.3
Singapore	795	4.1	493	-21.2	South Korea	2 174	4.8	1 880	22.7
South Africa	428	2.2	459	51.9	Philippines	1 240	2.7	1 329	112.6
Poland	491	2.5	454	36.2	Thailand	1 256	2.8	882	3.6
Turkey	486	2.5	366	11.0	Hong Kong	911	2.0	851	35.1
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>13 989</b>	<b>71.7</b>	<b>10 993</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>42 549</b>	<b>93.3</b>	<b>33 948</b>	<b>13.6</b>

**of which computer equipment – SITC 752**

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>10 056</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>8 016</b>	<b>10.5</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>25 231</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>20 546</b>	<b>14.9</b>
USA	2 461	24.5	1 947	6.7	USA	5 984	23.7	4 934	11.7
Switzerland	1 280	12.7	1 188	30.6	Japan	4 658	18.5	3 646	8.9
Japan	898	8.9	589	-14.3	Singapore	3 915	15.5	2 987	3.7
Norway	614	6.1	491	17.5	Taiwan	3 114	12.3	2 450	14.5
Russia	471	4.7	322	4.1	China	1 279	5.1	1 342	61.1
Poland	323	3.2	300	37.9	South Korea	1 246	4.9	1 135	36.1
South Africa	227	2.3	278	67.8	Malaysia	1 418	5.6	906	-8.6
Singapore	489	4.9	267	-33.3	Thailand	1 004	4.0	757	14.3
Turkey	312	3.1	231	12.0	Philippines	668	2.6	595	41.6
Czech Republic	199	2.0	179	27.8	Hungary	533	2.1	520	45.3
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>7 275</b>	<b>72.3</b>	<b>5 792</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>23 819</b>	<b>94.4</b>	<b>19 273</b>	<b>14.1</b>

**Electrical machinery – SITC 77**

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>51 690</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>39 930</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>50 146</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>39 258</b>	<b>7.7</b>
USA	8 863	17.1	7 341	13.1	USA	11 843	23.6	9 179	5.7
Switzerland	2 375	4.6	1 955	12.4	Japan	8 765	17.5	6 548	2.4
Singapore	2 183	4.2	1 635	0.7	China	3 184	6.3	2 768	25.3
Czech Republic	1 775	3.4	1 474	12.5	Switzerland	2 733	5.4	2 146	8.6
Hong Kong	2 082	4.0	1 413	-8.3	Singapore	2 331	4.6	1 860	10.5
Poland	1 616	3.1	1 377	24.6	South Korea	2 274	4.5	1 758	7.7
Hungary	1 481	2.9	1 279	21.4	Taiwan	2 345	4.7	1 750	3.5
Japan	1 760	3.4	1 279	-0.7	Malaysia	2 097	4.2	1 709	7.4
Taiwan	1 544	3.0	1 259	13.9	Hungary	1 513	3.0	1 239	14.7
Russia	1 714	3.3	1 230	10.8	Czech Republic	1 088	2.2	1 073	40.0
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>25 392</b>	<b>49.1</b>	<b>20 242</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>38 172</b>	<b>76.1</b>	<b>30 031</b>	<b>8.4</b>

**of which valves, transistors etc. – SITC 776**

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>12 861</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>10 356</b>	<b>11.1</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>19 114</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>14 146</b>	<b>0.7</b>
USA	2 491	19.4	2 145	17.8	USA	4 430	23.2	3 330	2.1
Singapore	1 242	9.7	1 017	10.4	Japan	3 287	17.2	2 385	-0.5
Taiwan	1 000	7.8	844	21.6	Singapore	1 844	9.6	1 474	11.1
Malaysia	1 319	10.3	810	-22.4	Malaysia	1 542	8.1	1 316	10.7
Hong Kong	812	6.3	617	3.8	South Korea	1 371	7.2	1 091	12.0
Philippines	523	4.1	427	20.3	Taiwan	943	4.9	716	8.2
South Korea	946	7.4	421	-33.9	Philippines	578	3.0	496	12.6
Japan	399	3.1	363	31.7	Canada	428	2.2	335	13.2
Malta	346	2.7	285	9.5	Hong Kong	288	1.5	323	64.9
Hungary	251	2.0	247	43.8	Morocco	294	1.5	249	18.5
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>9 329</b>	<b>72.5</b>	<b>7 177</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>15 005</b>	<b>78.5</b>	<b>11 715</b>	<b>7.0</b>

## TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT

### EXPORTS

### IMPORTS

*Value (Mio ECU), share and variation (%)*

Partner	1997		Jan-Sep 1998		Partner	1997		Jan-Sep 1998	
	Value	%	Value	98/97		Value	%	Value	98/97

### Road vehicles – SITC 78

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>65 597</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>50 577</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>29 968</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>27 170</b>	<b>21.9</b>
USA	16 398	25.0	13 914	20.9	Japan	14 020	46.8	11 930	13.6
Japan	5 863	8.9	3 299	-24.7	USA	4 423	14.8	3 561	5.3
Switzerland	4 177	6.4	3 288	7.1	South Korea	2 190	7.3	2 021	27.3
Poland	3 065	4.7	2 535	11.3	Czech Republic	1 493	5.0	1 759	71.0
Turkey	3 028	4.6	2 015	0.8	Slovakia	637	2.1	1 093	133.6
Hungary	1 561	2.4	1 827	86.0	Poland	1 283	4.3	1 093	13.6
Norway	2 278	3.5	1 763	4.4	Taiwan	816	2.7	875	36.4
Brazil	1 644	2.5	1 397	9.6	Slovenia	722	2.4	703	36.7
Argentina	1 461	2.2	1 254	12.4	Brazil	418	1.4	629	168.5
Russia	1 454	2.2	1 228	23.9	Hungary	669	2.2	626	25.2
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>40 929</b>	<b>62.4</b>	<b>32 521</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>26 671</b>	<b>89.0</b>	<b>24 290</b>	<b>22.6</b>

### of which passenger cars etc. – SITC 781

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>37 668</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>28 308</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>16 591</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>15 497</b>	<b>26.9</b>
USA	12 260	32.5	10 387	22.0	Japan	9 169	55.3	7 922	16.9
Japan	5 055	13.4	2 744	-27.2	South Korea	1 926	11.6	1 804	29.7
Switzerland	2 948	7.8	2 317	7.5	USA	1 902	11.5	1 561	5.0
Norway	1 446	3.8	1 088	0.9	Czech Republic	813	4.9	1 051	92.6
Turkey	1 471	3.9	955	2.7	Slovakia	411	2.5	891	193.9
Australia	981	2.6	786	12.4	Poland	608	3.7	543	16.9
Russia	903	2.4	764	27.1	Slovenia	566	3.4	442	9.8
Poland	1 097	2.9	754	-8.9	Brazil	189	1.1	402	511.0
Canada	636	1.7	556	23.3	Hungary	251	1.5	221	12.9
Brazil	442	1.2	513	41.3	South Africa	3	0.0	114	↗
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>27 239</b>	<b>72.3</b>	<b>20 865</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>15 838</b>	<b>95.5</b>	<b>14 953</b>	<b>28.5</b>

### Aircraft, spacecraft etc. – SITC 792

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>27 209</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>21 552</b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>22 110</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>19 419</b>	<b>17.6</b>
USA	6 772	24.9	6 972	41.6	USA	14 719	66.6	13 604	24.1
Saudi Arabia	2 718	10.0	1 453	-25.1	Switzerland	767	3.5	881	51.7
Switzerland	1 653	6.1	1 401	18.9	Canada	885	4.0	576	-13.7
Canada	1 725	6.3	1 388	4.8	Turkey	366	1.7	446	49.9
Hong Kong	354	1.3	818	141.7	Morocco	167	0.8	322	302.6
Morocco	223	0.8	677	466.1	Brazil	140	0.6	280	154.1
China	1 390	5.1	644	-13.4	Cayman Islands	303	1.4	240	0.9
South Korea	283	1.0	472	84.3	Egypt	166	0.8	236	51.7
Singapore	625	2.3	466	21.3	Gabon	573	2.6	222	-45.1
Turkey	497	1.8	451	21.8	Bermuda	832	3.8	174	-71.0
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>16 240</b>	<b>59.7</b>	<b>14 741</b>	<b>27.3</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>18 918</b>	<b>85.6</b>	<b>16 981</b>	<b>20.5</b>

### Ships, boats etc. – SITC 793

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>7 845</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>5 927</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>2 860</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>2 708</b>	<b>25.3</b>
Liberia	405	5.2	1 333	237.2	South Korea	561	19.6	463	52.0
Norway	1 296	16.5	807	-27.9	Norway	213	7.4	341	75.6
USA	1 003	12.8	782	-11.1	USA	324	11.3	267	8.0
Bahamas	399	5.1	634	588.3	Cayman Islands	307	10.7	218	-8.9
Panama	206	2.6	374	134.2	Japan	170	6.0	213	43.2
Cayman Islands	359	4.6	314	6.1	Australia	7	0.3	140	↗
Singapore	160	2.0	190	177.8	Liberia	112	3.9	131	21.0
Bermuda	213	2.7	178	18.9	Bahamas	126	4.4	103	9.1
Cyprus	193	2.5	133	31.6	Bermuda	166	5.8	98	-32.7
Malta	138	1.8	113	26.0	Marshall Islands	:	:	64	:
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>4 372</b>	<b>55.7</b>	<b>4 858</b>	<b>44.9</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>1 986</b>	<b>69.4</b>	<b>2 038</b>	<b>37.0</b>

## OTHER MANUFACTURED GOODS

### EXPORTS

### IMPORTS

Value (Mio ECU), share and variation (%)

Partner	1997		Jan-Sep 1998		Partner	1997		Jan-Sep 1998	
	Value	%	Value	98/97		Value	%	Value	98/97

#### Non-metallic mineral manufactures – SITC 66

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>23 904</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>17 232</b>	<b>-4.5</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>16 758</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>12 657</b>	<b>0.8</b>
USA	4 966	20.8	4 144	12.4	Switzerland	3 406	20.3	2 604	-11.2
India	2 917	12.2	2 076	-12.8	USA	1 658	9.9	1 460	18.3
Israel	3 049	12.8	1 971	-15.0	Israel	1 299	7.8	1 007	2.3
Switzerland	1 744	7.3	1 262	-5.2	India	870	5.2	857	30.7
Hong Kong	1 241	5.2	683	-28.3	Russia	935	5.6	623	75.4
Japan	952	4.0	576	-21.6	China	623	3.7	556	25.2
Poland	578	2.4	491	14.3	Japan	527	3.1	445	16.6
Russia	420	1.8	272	-7.2	Czech Republic	507	3.0	421	15.2
Australia	349	1.5	264	1.5	Zaire	480	2.9	403	13.5
Canada	311	1.3	261	16.7	South Africa	625	3.7	400	-5.6
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>16 527</b>	<b>69.1</b>	<b>12 001</b>	<b>-4.8</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>10 932</b>	<b>65.2</b>	<b>8 774</b>	<b>7.9</b>

#### Iron and steel – SITC 67

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>18 491</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>13 590</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>9 273</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>9 754</b>	<b>43.5</b>
USA	3 701	20.0	2 820	4.0	Russia	850	9.2	725	15.7
Switzerland	1 295	7.0	1 081	12.7	Norway	809	8.7	673	13.3
Norway	1 071	5.8	875	12.3	South Africa	551	5.9	594	41.7
Poland	567	3.1	664	69.6	Switzerland	636	6.9	534	15.9
Turkey	842	4.6	526	-12.6	Poland	542	5.8	507	28.0
Czech Republic	463	2.5	455	32.9	Czech Republic	569	6.1	506	26.4
Canada	579	3.1	448	5.2	Brazil	378	4.1	437	59.7
Mexico	341	1.8	343	34.2	Turkey	370	4.0	434	60.6
India	538	2.9	298	-22.7	South Korea	72	0.8	427	707.4
China	356	1.9	283	14.0	USA	541	5.8	423	3.6
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>9 753</b>	<b>52.7</b>	<b>7 793</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>5 319</b>	<b>57.4</b>	<b>5 260</b>	<b>34.8</b>

#### Textile yarn, fabrics and related products – SITC 65

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>19 826</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>15 056</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>15 499</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>12 418</b>	<b>8.9</b>
USA	2 080	10.5	1 682	9.6	India	1 679	10.8	1 263	1.2
Poland	1 681	8.5	1 355	12.3	Turkey	1 440	9.3	1 219	18.2
Tunisia	1 101	5.6	917	18.0	USA	1 435	9.3	1 178	10.1
Switzerland	1 078	5.4	827	4.0	China	1 256	8.1	1 087	15.7
Morocco	988	5.0	785	12.3	Switzerland	1 168	7.5	893	4.7
Romania	911	4.6	782	20.0	Pakistan	931	6.0	723	7.1
Turkey	944	4.8	722	8.0	South Korea	680	4.4	568	11.6
Hungary	708	3.6	576	11.3	Indonesia	650	4.2	517	7.4
Hong Kong	864	4.4	555	-16.7	Japan	595	3.8	494	14.6
Japan	863	4.4	543	-18.7	Taiwan	531	3.4	493	22.2
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>11 218</b>	<b>56.6</b>	<b>8 743</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>10 364</b>	<b>66.9</b>	<b>8 433</b>	<b>10.4</b>

#### Clothing and clothing accessories – SITC 84

<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>13 883</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>10 800</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>38 743</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>31 149</b>	<b>5.6</b>
USA	2 034	14.7	1 751	15.8	China	6 243	16.1	4 874	2.4
Switzerland	2 067	14.9	1 667	2.9	Turkey	4 171	10.8	3 494	9.5
Japan	1 660	12.0	1 237	-8.1	Hong Kong	2 647	6.8	2 074	-0.0
Russia	773	5.6	584	28.4	Tunisia	2 030	5.2	1 704	12.6
Norway	663	4.8	530	3.8	India	1 956	5.0	1 584	0.4
Hong Kong	698	5.0	414	-23.2	Morocco	1 896	4.9	1 539	7.7
Poland	393	2.8	321	13.4	Poland	1 667	4.3	1 396	9.4
Tunisia	393	2.8	276	-1.6	Romania	1 498	3.9	1 370	22.4
Hungary	320	2.3	259	12.3	Bangladesh	1 460	3.8	1 270	17.0
Romania	252	1.8	253	40.2	Indonesia	1 323	3.4	1 040	4.4
<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>9 253</b>	<b>66.7</b>	<b>7 291</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>Total for all 10</b>	<b>24 890</b>	<b>64.2</b>	<b>20 345</b>	<b>7.0</b>



## Member States and EU trade



Value (Mio ECU)

Period	Reporter													
	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
<b>INTRA EU-15 + EXTRA EU-15</b>														
1993	4 288	5 573	32 011	-11 589	-11 035	4 012	6 675	18 048	11 934	-7 189	-7 501	4 523	6 523	-25 042
1994	10 615	4 928	38 290	-10 175	-10 228	4 533	7 049	18 660	8 868	-8 665	-7 626	5 409	8 062	-24 378
1995	9 928	4 022	45 557	-11 349	-11 351	9 000	9 453	21 235	13 715	-6 498	-7 513	8 425	11 777	-23 530
1996	7 421	4 823	51 625	-13 027	-10 608	9 279	11 041	34 676	10 137	-8 099	-8 336	7 640	14 165	-22 685
1997	11 111	3 854	59 222	-13 629	-12 595	15 093	14 341	26 559	15 080	-5 448	-9 788	8 693	15 182	-23 171
1997 Nov	834	377	5 771	-1 124	-850	824	1 211	2 014	1 327	-480	-816	906	1 198	-2 311
Dec	-177	264	6 032	-1 090	-1 385	1 288	1 461	1 064	1 731	-385	-1 086	545	1 084	-1 010
1998 Jan	1 050	17	3 027	-949	-1 130	572	1 104	0	645	-506	-688	794	1 012	-2 492
Feb	819	150	6 046	-1 133	-1 233	932	1 158	891	1 132	-571	-914	1 043	1 427	-3 327
Mar	1 186	62	6 439	-1 270	-1 588	1 374	1 548	2 171	1 213	-297	-927	639	1 369	-3 374
Apr	1 052	-5	5 886	-1 283	-766	1 414	1 284	1 454	1 151	-441	-969	1 019	1 286	-3 214
May	1 375	-49	7 364	-883	-1 353	956	1 406	2 797	1 045	-319	-929	618	1 270	-3 529
Jun	1 487	349	5 656	-1 376	-1 691	1 204	2 310	2 506	1 041	-296	-1 055	931	1 620	-3 444
Jul	1 757	346	7 192	-1 193	-1 096	1 502	1 728	5 395	1 378	-595	-590	851	1 296	-4 567
Aug	214	161	4 318	-864	-1 627	-12	1 480	2 701	738	-807	-839	533	698	-3 194
Sep	1 599	267	5 824	-1 026	-2 287	1 050	2 586	27	1 306	-714	-767	908	1 443	-4 065
Oct	1 208	87	6 423	-1 192	-1 598	1 347	:	:	1 000	:	:	980	:	:
Nov	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
<b>INTRA EU-15</b>														
1993	6 656	3 086	17 278	-7 596	-7 563	-4 134	5 780	7 249	23 721	-6 396	-4 876	2 946	2 492	-8 578
1994	10 466	2 194	18 209	-7 760	-6 641	-4 402	6 793	6 265	27 960	-7 271	-4 623	3 813	3 289	-8 091
1995	12 935	1 240	18 604	-8 799	-7 996	-6 438	9 296	6 538	34 672	-9 403	-4 484	3 140	2 503	-6 644
1996	10 544	1 813	18 998	-9 352	-8 841	-6 986	9 106	9 972	37 311	-10 724	-5 529	1 500	2 078	-5 454
1997	12 988	1 033	18 647	-10 354	-6 558	-417	11 082	3 418	46 341	-9 872	-6 512	1 517	1 428	-7 744
1997 Nov	943	145	2 077	-843	-532	-343	953	-44	4 092	-775	-589	121	29	-492
Dec	-3	-51	1 563	-835	-969	-355	1 271	-1 116	4 061	-863	-827	-77	-102	-83
1998 Jan	1 447	135	1 281	-694	-273	142	1 013	231	4 148	-574	-407	350	323	-70
Feb	1 176	17	3 036	-712	-563	-7	928	116	4 014	-852	-608	197	291	-328
Mar	1 643	-118	2 504	-956	-735	-154	1 237	-199	4 597	-590	-679	163	187	-457
Apr	1 522	-82	2 721	-1 025	-491	-168	1 062	-63	3 738	-756	-625	337	175	-1 093
May	1 636	-85	3 039	-571	-590	-913	1 316	619	3 720	-753	-552	226	161	-624
Jun	1 940	36	2 999	-813	-1 054	-761	1 977	468	3 676	-706	-700	162	378	-1 727
Jul	1 880	62	2 736	-887	-791	-843	1 199	2 444	3 541	-1 053	-383	132	144	-2 554
Aug	847	80	1 081	-708	-861	-1 016	1 397	-1 150	3 391	-1 067	-554	58	-5	-419
Sep	1 858	8	3 521	-813	-1 358	-257	2 058	-322	3 880	-1 096	-452	303	184	-414
Oct	1 631	-107	3 713	-774	-1 146	-435	:	641	3 948	:	:	323	:	:
Nov	:	:	:	:	:	-488	:	-201	3 769	:	:	:	:	:
<b>EXTRA EU-15</b>														
1993	-2 368	2 486	14 733	-3 993	-3 472	8 146	895	10 799	-11 788	-792	-2 625	1 577	4 031	-16 464
1994	149	2 733	20 081	-2 415	-3 587	8 936	256	12 395	-19 092	-1 394	-3 003	1 596	4 773	-16 287
1995	-3 006	2 783	26 953	-2 550	-3 355	15 438	158	14 697	-20 957	2 905	-3 029	5 285	9 274	-16 886
1996	-3 123	3 010	32 627	-3 674	-1 767	16 265	1 935	24 703	-27 175	2 625	-2 806	6 140	12 087	-17 232
1997	-1 877	2 821	40 574	-3 276	-6 037	15 510	3 259	23 141	-31 262	4 424	-3 276	7 175	13 755	-15 428
1997 Nov	-109	232	3 694	-281	-319	1 166	258	2 058	-2 764	295	-227	785	1 169	-1 819
Dec	-174	315	4 469	-255	-416	1 643	191	2 180	-2 330	479	-258	622	1 186	-927
1998 Jan	-397	-118	1 746	-255	-857	429	91	-231	-3 503	69	-281	444	689	-2 421
Feb	-357	133	3 010	-421	-670	939	231	775	-2 882	281	-306	846	1 137	-2 999
Mar	-458	180	3 935	-315	-853	1 529	311	2 370	-3 384	293	-248	476	1 182	-2 917
Apr	-470	77	3 165	-258	-275	1 582	222	1 517	-2 587	315	-343	682	1 110	-2 122
May	-260	36	4 324	-312	-762	1 869	90	2 177	-2 675	434	-377	392	1 109	-2 905
Jun	-453	313	2 656	-563	-638	1 965	334	2 039	-2 635	410	-355	769	1 242	-1 718
Jul	-123	284	4 455	-306	-304	2 345	529	2 951	-2 163	458	-207	719	1 152	-2 014
Aug	-633	81	3 236	-156	-766	1 005	83	2 851	-2 653	260	-285	475	703	-2 776
Sep	-260	259	2 302	-213	-929	1 306	529	349	-2 574	382	-315	605	1 259	-3 651
Oct	-423	194	2 710	-419	-453	1 782	259	:	-2 948	323	-280	657	1 095	-2 805
Nov	-266	106	:	:	:	:	184	:	:	:	-274	463	:	:







**BREAKDOWN BY MEMBER STATE OF EXTRA-EU TRADE  
BY MAIN PARTNER COUNTRY**

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Value (Mio ECU)

Partner	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>720 492</b>	<b>39 143</b>	<b>14 609</b>	<b>201 020</b>	<b>4 885</b>	<b>27 707</b>	<b>101 175</b>	<b>14 665</b>
<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>	<b>223 887</b>	<b>9 799</b>	<b>6 303</b>	<b>78 197</b>	<b>3 023</b>	<b>6 063</b>	<b>23 974</b>	<b>2 381</b>
of which Norway	23 318	620	2 486	3 939	24	395	1 426	507
Switzerland	52 984	2 604	614	20 281	182	948	9 391	797
Malta	2 004	46	39	216	98	79	376	26
Turkey	22 329	1 284	154	7 005	386	1 052	2 899	160
Poland	25 058	1 230	783	10 517	82	700	2 065	180
Czech Republic	15 848	584	157	8 397	44	370	1 066	114
Slovakia	4 816	145	42	2 323	12	89	337	20
Hungary	13 581	610	101	5 934	50	247	821	75
Romania	5 014	173	41	1 601	156	60	543	18
Bulgaria	1 846	72	29	561	283	22	146	5
Ukraine	3 433	200	86	1 359	115	79	317	29
Russia	25 546	1 398	798	8 359	372	739	2 338	301
Slovenia	6 318	147	45	1 819	17	167	883	16
Croatia	4 783	115	47	1 517	24	87	197	18
Cyprus	1 948	70	42	287	348	148	179	39
<b>Africa</b>	<b>52 037</b>	<b>3 214</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>8 881</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>3 160</b>	<b>14 635</b>	<b>756</b>
of which North Africa	24 499	1 326	217	3 891	205	1 984	7 888	233
of which Morocco	5 319	229	32	545	15	730	2 344	26
Algeria	4 349	300	24	309	20	518	2 045	33
Tunisia	5 287	322	25	890	37	302	1 851	22
Libya	2 771	201	16	477	39	144	312	24
Egypt	6 747	274	120	1 670	93	289	1 325	128
Ivory Coast	1 284	103	4	96	3	67	695	21
Nigeria	2 712	143	19	644	17	79	475	67
South Africa	9 735	533	100	2 995	10	254	960	295
<b>North America</b>	<b>155 703</b>	<b>8 141</b>	<b>2 454</b>	<b>42 397</b>	<b>483</b>	<b>4 424</b>	<b>20 297</b>	<b>5 566</b>
of which USA	141 293	7 598	1 989	38 984	429	4 018	17 981	5 259
Canada	14 104	542	199	3 411	50	405	2 294	306
<b>Latin America</b>	<b>45 126</b>	<b>1 971</b>	<b>602</b>	<b>11 920</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>5 620</b>	<b>5 881</b>	<b>462</b>
of which Mexico	7 426	327	74	2 750	7	771	1 026	143
Colombia	2 391	87	25	596	1	303	405	22
Venezuela	2 395	101	32	498	1	263	296	15
Brazil	14 893	738	167	4 635	21	1 135	1 461	123
Chile	3 439	147	53	740	2	585	423	34
Argentina	7 315	296	81	1 525	8	1 134	1 171	39
<b>Near and Middle East</b>	<b>51 180</b>	<b>4 694</b>	<b>758</b>	<b>9 481</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>2 081</b>	<b>6 742</b>	<b>608</b>
of which Lebanon	3 091	209	47	546	95	137	722	32
Syria	1 351	127	15	275	39	83	186	6
Iran	4 904	270	52	1 520	15	285	677	5
Israel	11 504	2 823	116	2 223	114	627	950	124
Saudi Arabia	13 175	572	235	1 870	72	447	1 449	246
Kuwait	2 291	71	45	462	11	84	297	33
United Arab Emirates	7 915	308	124	1 501	39	255	1 007	101
<b>Other countries of Asia</b>	<b>163 035</b>	<b>9 916</b>	<b>3 503</b>	<b>45 072</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>4 675</b>	<b>24 048</b>	<b>3 764</b>
of which Pakistan	2 052	105	22	601	7	69	264	24
India	10 246	2 541	114	2 268	18	175	849	44
China	16 478	765	297	5 406	50	421	3 107	44
Indonesia	8 280	286	125	2 651	29	325	1 364	36
Philippines	5 094	179	61	1 138	4	102	1 569	213
Thailand	7 802	521	144	2 309	12	471	866	106
Malaysia	8 761	354	124	2 434	5	223	1 134	420
Singapore	13 521	605	159	3 148	38	454	2 391	285
South Korea	14 472	548	368	4 701	14	388	1 740	663
Japan	36 101	1 829	1 404	10 426	65	955	4 376	1 466
Taiwan	12 652	591	150	4 156	16	268	2 173	142
Hong Kong	20 434	1 295	411	4 022	50	716	2 621	257
<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>	<b>16 358</b>	<b>723</b>	<b>322</b>	<b>3 540</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>2 188</b>	<b>339</b>
of which Australia	13 128	582	256	3 054	54	346	1 168	294
New Zealand	1 964	112	45	412	5	43	156	37
<b>EFTA</b>	<b>77 989</b>	<b>3 265</b>	<b>3 284</b>	<b>24 619</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>1 370</b>	<b>10 940</b>	<b>1 328</b>
<b>CEEC</b>	<b>87 277</b>	<b>3 422</b>	<b>1 685</b>	<b>35 383</b>	<b>1 406</b>	<b>1 872</b>	<b>6 525</b>	<b>486</b>
<b>ACP</b>	<b>20 444</b>	<b>1 434</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>2 298</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>1 125</b>	<b>6 212</b>	<b>265</b>
<b>NAFTA</b>	<b>162 823</b>	<b>8 467</b>	<b>2 262</b>	<b>45 145</b>	<b>486</b>	<b>5 194</b>	<b>21 301</b>	<b>5 708</b>
<b>MERCOSUR</b>	<b>23 455</b>	<b>1 066</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>6 356</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>2 460</b>	<b>2 820</b>	<b>181</b>
<b>OPEC</b>	<b>52 241</b>	<b>2 352</b>	<b>692</b>	<b>10 187</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>2 481</b>	<b>9 501</b>	<b>573</b>
<b>DAE</b>	<b>77 642</b>	<b>3 914</b>	<b>1 355</b>	<b>20 771</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>2 520</b>	<b>10 926</b>	<b>1 873</b>

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*Value (Mio ECU)*

I	Reporter						Partner
	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	
<b>95 470</b>	<b>38 398</b>	<b>19 829</b>	<b>4 053</b>	<b>17 112</b>	<b>32 398</b>	<b>110 029</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>
<b>30 610</b>	<b>11 849</b>	<b>12 765</b>	<b>802</b>	<b>7 374</b>	<b>12 111</b>	<b>18 636</b>	<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>
1 204	1 259	292	178	1 083	6 081	3 825	<i>of which</i> Norway
7 204	2 411	2 531	269	368	1 189	4 196	Switzerland
665	64	14	6	4	10	361	Malta
3 876	1 408	481	88	286	727	2 523	Turkey
3 289	1 565	859	41	643	1 170	1 932	Poland
1 333	670	1 527	20	254	315	997	Czech Republic
591	222	701	9	55	82	188	Slovakia
1 469	600	2 588	58	178	234	615	Hungary
1 507	193	281	5	22	113	303	Romania
330	89	129	10	25	35	110	Bulgaria
393	230	195	3	105	101	221	Ukraine
3 397	1 891	738	68	2 663	806	1 678	Russia
1 749	200	946	5	31	89	205	Slovenia
1 552	201	748	3	25	104	145	Croatia
290	80	18	12	13	44	379	Cyprus
<b>7 615</b>	<b>2 855</b>	<b>522</b>	<b>898</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>1 132</b>	<b>7 013</b>	<b>Africa</b>
4 652	1 021	241	140	279	541	1 881	<i>of which</i> <b>North Africa</b>
500	181	20	75	26	83	512	<i>of which</i> Morocco
624	185	32	22	55	53	129	Algeria
1 361	169	26	27	38	62	154	Tunisia
892	117	66	3	7	94	379	Libya
1 260	369	98	13	152	249	707	Egypt
111	81	3	3	7	7	83	Ivory Coast
322	259	36	8	16	26	601	Nigeria
1 009	524	157	66	180	348	2 303	South Africa
<b>18 333</b>	<b>7 104</b>	<b>2 281</b>	<b>1 121</b>	<b>2 922</b>	<b>6 793</b>	<b>33 387</b>	<b>North America</b>
16 680	6 545	1 922	987	2 571	6 052	30 277	<i>of which</i> USA
1 651	556	360	134	352	736	3 108	Canada
<b>8 480</b>	<b>2 099</b>	<b>673</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>580</b>	<b>1 903</b>	<b>4 451</b>	<b>Latin America</b>
991	286	103	23	60	249	617	<i>of which</i> Mexico
343	126	21	14	41	161	245	Colombia
555	104	58	12	32	107	321	Venezuela
3 103	713	287	205	201	625	1 479	Brazil
553	186	38	47	105	224	303	Chile
1 534	269	104	34	93	325	701	Argentina
<b>7 622</b>	<b>2 611</b>	<b>760</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>667</b>	<b>1 232</b>	<b>13 266</b>	<b>Near and Middle East</b>
784	103	24	16	34	72	270	<i>of which</i> Lebanon
335	80	30	3	20	33	119	Syria
746	276	241	3	78	162	572	Iran
1 710	596	116	92	140	214	1 661	Israel
1 512	600	155	40	103	330	5 543	Saudi Arabia
356	115	34	9	14	43	715	Kuwait
1 278	429	95	15	234	187	2 343	United Arab Emirates
<b>19 354</b>	<b>9 402</b>	<b>2 526</b>	<b>441</b>	<b>4 442</b>	<b>8 115</b>	<b>27 437</b>	<b>Other countries of Asia</b>
287	147	18	5	17	96	389	<i>of which</i> Pakistan
936	450	109	14	217	263	2 246	India
2 231	758	302	42	647	1 084	1 322	China
828	516	222	1	435	450	1 011	Indonesia
352	237	36	7	81	247	868	Philippines
679	508	109	21	343	468	1 243	Thailand
1 081	400	81	16	251	481	1 758	Malaysia
1 407	869	135	78	358	652	2 941	Singapore
1 971	997	260	25	419	593	1 786	South Korea
4 161	1 753	660	133	690	2 134	6 050	Japan
1 277	1 410	182	27	182	539	1 539	Taiwan
3 532	1 026	282	49	673	898	4 600	Hong Kong
<b>1 812</b>	<b>754</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>532</b>	<b>1 072</b>	<b>4 232</b>	<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>
1 517	604	244	77	459	943	3 530	<i>of which</i> Australia
214	121	39	12	67	123	579	New Zealand
<b>8 493</b>	<b>3 786</b>	<b>3 052</b>	<b>456</b>	<b>1 481</b>	<b>7 448</b>	<b>8 259</b>	<b>EFTA</b>
<b>13 215</b>	<b>4 241</b>	<b>8 200</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>2 792</b>	<b>2 936</b>	<b>4 953</b>	<b>CEEC</b>
<b>2 425</b>	<b>1 538</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>698</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>3 430</b>	<b>ACP</b>
<b>19 323</b>	<b>7 388</b>	<b>2 385</b>	<b>1 144</b>	<b>2 982</b>	<b>7 037</b>	<b>34 002</b>	<b>NAFTA</b>
4 921	1 029	398	252	299	990	2 383	<b>MERCOSUR</b>
7 360	2 759	949	116	980	1 519	12 521	<b>OPEC</b>
9 949	5 210	1 049	216	2 226	3 632	13 868	<b>DAE</b>

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Partner	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>546 949</b>	<b>29 501</b>	<b>10 473</b>	<b>156 980</b>	<b>3 598</b>	<b>20 490</b>	<b>79 742</b>	<b>13 193</b>
<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>	<b>177 668</b>	<b>7 773</b>	<b>4 673</b>	<b>63 930</b>	<b>2 271</b>	<b>4 823</b>	<b>19 127</b>	<b>2 110</b>
<i>of which</i> Norway	18 601	521	1 793	3 152	28	421	970	417
Switzerland	41 886	1 997	435	15 798	282	759	7 409	822
Malta	1 451	36	14	174	72	81	310	18
Turkey	16 901	982	112	5 303	279	806	2 295	134
Poland	20 956	1 063	612	9 095	63	607	1 872	169
Czech Republic	12 524	443	110	6 915	35	251	821	82
Slovakia	4 170	132	33	2 235	9	69	259	15
Hungary	12 288	648	91	5 655	37	247	790	69
Romania	4 552	152	39	1 486	136	46	492	21
Bulgaria	1 771	81	30	522	291	28	153	6
Ukraine	2 843	142	53	1 194	56	64	291	15
Russia	17 822	926	523	6 170	181	506	1 512	228
Slovenia	4 967	119	36	1 474	10	137	785	15
Croatia	3 324	101	39	1 115	14	65	212	11
Cyprus	1 545	46	43	249	289	113	151	17
<b>Africa</b>	<b>42 752</b>	<b>2 530</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>6 868</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>2 966</b>	<b>12 672</b>	<b>640</b>
<i>of which</i> <b>North Africa</b>	<b>20 673</b>	<b>1 083</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>3 063</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>2 053</b>	<b>6 972</b>	<b>226</b>
<i>of which</i> Morocco	4 831	216	18	398	12	648	2 409	20
Algeria	3 653	265	21	360	10	369	1 661	42
Tunisia	4 169	251	12	729	24	241	1 479	18
Libya	2 025	112	16	356	29	139	177	8
Egypt	5 514	239	79	1 207	62	241	1 242	137
Ivory Coast	1 067	79	4	89	5	64	584	6
Nigeria	2 009	80	18	407	27	76	353	57
South Africa	7 912	454	67	2 400	17	264	787	260
<b>North America</b>	<b>130 681</b>	<b>6 970</b>	<b>1 830</b>	<b>36 250</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>3 372</b>	<b>18 480</b>	<b>6 068</b>
<i>of which</i> USA	118 939	6 448	1 441	33 425	311	3 051	16 488	5 809
Canada	11 508	521	185	2 822	41	318	1 977	259
<b>Latin America</b>	<b>36 556</b>	<b>1 555</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>10 212</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>4 424</b>	<b>4 990</b>	<b>366</b>
<i>of which</i> Mexico	6 873	301	59	2 594	3	766	909	113
Colombia	1 901	58	27	483	0	324	267	16
Venezuela	2 318	91	41	468	1	267	288	21
Brazil	11 441	588	138	3 603	45	827	1 288	77
Chile	2 553	89	44	533	5	406	439	23
Argentina	5 915	225	60	1 309	10	858	1 066	39
<b>Near and Middle East</b>	<b>36 745</b>	<b>3 395</b>	<b>572</b>	<b>7 051</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>1 589</b>	<b>5 062</b>	<b>576</b>
<i>of which</i> Lebanon	2 055	164	29	324	75	91	461	32
Syria	1 065	96	17	245	25	62	152	5
Iran	3 294	259	23	933	7	208	451	3
Israel	8 324	1 861	94	1 510	84	465	763	171
Saudi Arabia	8 904	382	170	1 550	47	369	1 004	216
Kuwait	1 583	52	36	366	9	55	225	25
United Arab Emirates	6 469	274	101	1 207	31	197	1 018	74
<b>Other countries of Asia</b>	<b>100 455</b>	<b>6 248</b>	<b>2 259</b>	<b>28 659</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>2 307</b>	<b>15 431</b>	<b>2 660</b>
<i>of which</i> Pakistan	1 194	77	14	291	2	32	184	23
India	7 317	1 894	84	1 464	6	150	645	37
China	12 581	563	163	4 410	13	343	1 967	52
Indonesia	3 010	111	40	1 310	9	64	307	10
Philippines	2 433	104	31	586	3	46	615	208
Thailand	3 626	255	76	1 159	6	73	693	65
Malaysia	4 156	176	66	1 398	2	82	564	183
Singapore	8 245	334	268	1 979	10	248	1 482	270
South Korea	6 828	260	183	1 900	26	79	1 183	284
Japan	23 681	1 155	844	6 916	48	616	3 226	1 083
Taiwan	9 314	387	102	3 312	9	177	1 568	101
Hong Kong	13 363	718	299	2 643	34	336	2 210	219
<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>	<b>11 900</b>	<b>514</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>2 719</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>1 509</b>	<b>373</b>
<i>of which</i> Australia	9 748	427	169	2 347	39	284	828	335
New Zealand	1 330	68	35	315	7	27	113	29
<b>EFTA</b>	<b>61 940</b>	<b>2 550</b>	<b>2 381</b>	<b>19 412</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>1 208</b>	<b>8 449</b>	<b>1 265</b>
<b>CEEC</b>	<b>72 828</b>	<b>3 003</b>	<b>1 388</b>	<b>30 779</b>	<b>1 055</b>	<b>1 553</b>	<b>5 801</b>	<b>422</b>
<b>ACP</b>	<b>16 414</b>	<b>1 054</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>1 699</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>849</b>	<b>5 154</b>	<b>175</b>
<b>NAFTA</b>	<b>137 320</b>	<b>7 271</b>	<b>1 686</b>	<b>38 842</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>4 135</b>	<b>19 374</b>	<b>6 180</b>
<b>MERCOSUR</b>	<b>18 275</b>	<b>833</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>5 067</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>1 823</b>	<b>2 501</b>	<b>134</b>
<b>OPEC</b>	<b>35 463</b>	<b>1 716</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>7 181</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>1 803</b>	<b>6 559</b>	<b>467</b>
<b>DAE</b>	<b>45 532</b>	<b>2 131</b>	<b>994</b>	<b>12 390</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>995</b>	<b>7 701</b>	<b>1 122</b>

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Reporter							Partner
I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	
<b>71 188</b>	<b>29 711</b>	<b>14 935</b>	<b>3 032</b>	<b>12 931</b>	<b>23 566</b>	<b>77 607</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>
<b>23 277</b>	<b>9 731</b>	<b>9 722</b>	<b>593</b>	<b>6 077</b>	<b>9 589</b>	<b>13 971</b>	<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>
871	1 123	202	131	1 007	4 849	3 116	<i>of which</i> Norway
5 664	2 007	2 044	206	347	997	3 120	Switzerland
478	46	11	4	2	6	199	Malta
2 859	1 106	368	50	272	541	1 794	Turkey
2 606	1 441	664	44	525	886	1 308	Poland
954	563	1 151	14	174	235	777	Czech Republic
479	182	511	6	53	75	112	Slovakia
1 232	500	2 067	46	172	216	517	Hungary
1 319	199	275	7	25	102	253	Romania
291	89	132	8	26	35	79	Bulgaria
333	167	135	2	99	106	186	Ukraine
2 243	1 358	456	35	1 929	554	1 202	Russia
1 295	179	673	3	23	69	152	Slovenia
1 011	114	442	1	24	59	117	Croatia
237	56	21	10	8	33	272	Cyprus
<b>6 398</b>	<b>2 327</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>645</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>1 023</b>	<b>5 150</b>	<b>Africa</b>
3 733	845	194	100	209	497	1 414	<i>of which</i> <b>North Africa</b>
401	143	17	51	22	85	391	<i>of which</i> Morocco
532	135	32	20	39	45	123	Algeria
1 065	133	22	14	24	47	112	Tunisia
693	130	46	2	3	59	255	Libya
1 028	285	77	11	120	257	529	Egypt
103	56	5	6	6	7	55	Ivory Coast
225	231	29	2	8	16	480	Nigeria
693	517	127	45	195	314	1 773	South Africa
<b>15 121</b>	<b>5 801</b>	<b>1 924</b>	<b>904</b>	<b>2 291</b>	<b>5 218</b>	<b>26 096</b>	<b>North America</b>
13 777	5 330	1 670	813	2 073	4 620	23 682	<i>of which</i> USA
1 344	470	255	91	217	595	2 412	Canada
<b>6 638</b>	<b>1 534</b>	<b>505</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>545</b>	<b>1 477</b>	<b>3 454</b>	<b>Latin America</b>
899	235	118	20	88	170	600	<i>of which</i> Mexico
264	85	19	5	36	96	219	Colombia
536	94	33	11	32	136	300	Venezuela
2 271	533	183	148	164	571	1 006	Brazil
445	95	23	41	67	136	207	Chile
1 169	200	84	49	100	182	565	Argentina
<b>5 693</b>	<b>2 064</b>	<b>598</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>442</b>	<b>967</b>	<b>8 251</b>	<b>Near and Middle East</b>
491	71	26	12	32	58	190	<i>of which</i> Lebanon
258	53	21	3	11	35	84	Syria
584	186	137	3	37	100	364	Iran
1 191	507	97	71	111	181	1 217	Israel
1 071	433	160	28	106	240	3 128	Saudi Arabia
268	100	20	5	32	36	353	Kuwait
1 057	390	79	12	72	201	1 758	United Arab Emirates
<b>11 157</b>	<b>6 038</b>	<b>1 557</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>2 744</b>	<b>4 581</b>	<b>16 364</b>	<b>Other countries of Asia</b>
156	88	11	5	7	41	264	<i>of which</i> Pakistan
761	335	74	8	111	142	1 606	India
1 386	555	281	14	897	988	951	China
199	147	84	1	170	156	403	Indonesia
167	141	27	4	64	77	359	Philippines
270	297	80	12	87	113	440	Thailand
338	230	54	12	58	216	777	Malaysia
700	546	68	41	149	342	1 807	Singapore
645	552	125	7	182	236	1 168	South Korea
2 837	1 225	372	91	440	1 161	3 669	Japan
897	1 098	132	15	103	391	1 022	Taiwan
2 114	622	164	41	380	610	2 972	Hong Kong
<b>1 353</b>	<b>551</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>676</b>	<b>3 051</b>	<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>
1 151	463	170	56	270	606	2 603	<i>of which</i> Australia
142	67	22	9	34	66	398	New Zealand
<b>6 607</b>	<b>3 219</b>	<b>2 434</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>1 382</b>	<b>5 958</b>	<b>6 418</b>	<b>EFTA</b>
<b>10 311</b>	<b>3 683</b>	<b>6 250</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>2 362</b>	<b>2 357</b>	<b>3 724</b>	<b>CEEC</b>
<b>2 544</b>	<b>1 180</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>507</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>2 419</b>	<b>ACP</b>
<b>16 019</b>	<b>6 034</b>	<b>2 042</b>	<b>924</b>	<b>2 379</b>	<b>5 385</b>	<b>26 694</b>	<b>NAFTA</b>
<b>3 659</b>	<b>761</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>785</b>	<b>1 695</b>	<b>MERCOSUR</b>
<b>5 332</b>	<b>1 935</b>	<b>635</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>507</b>	<b>1 030</b>	<b>7 560</b>	<b>OPEC</b>
<b>4 964</b>	<b>3 345</b>	<b>623</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>959</b>	<b>1 908</b>	<b>8 186</b>	<b>DAE</b>

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	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>670 989</b>	<b>41 020</b>	<b>11 788</b>	<b>160 446</b>	<b>8 161</b>	<b>33 744</b>	<b>85 665</b>	<b>11 406</b>
<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>	<b>183 681</b>	<b>6 648</b>	<b>5 097</b>	<b>65 198</b>	<b>2 489</b>	<b>4 837</b>	<b>19 390</b>	<b>1 024</b>
of which Norway	33 620	1 028	2 649	7 659	57	570	3 917	503
Switzerland	45 070	1 592	532	15 010	413	1 427	6 758	232
Malta	701	59	2	186	8	10	218	5
Turkey	11 859	497	160	4 920	262	439	1 340	65
Poland	14 208	474	665	7 208	77	254	1 029	67
Czech Republic	11 752	379	123	6 992	88	158	558	40
Slovakia	3 981	117	20	2 115	32	60	170	6
Hungary	11 630	387	73	5 407	79	266	676	25
Romania	4 427	144	18	1 341	180	89	420	4
Bulgaria	2 087	96	23	447	369	127	144	2
Ukraine	1 884	87	24	552	53	107	135	1
Russia	27 020	1 325	257	8 334	561	1 077	2 990	16
Slovenia	4 668	96	49	2 055	21	47	410	4
Croatia	1 776	42	3	636	6	7	73	20
Cyprus	372	14	3	35	47	5	56	4
<b>Africa</b>	<b>56 564</b>	<b>4 970</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>7 673</b>	<b>787</b>	<b>6 221</b>	<b>11 187</b>	<b>299</b>
of which <b>North Africa</b>	<b>27 402</b>	<b>1 307</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>3 637</b>	<b>553</b>	<b>3 200</b>	<b>6 277</b>	<b>63</b>
of which Morocco	4 749	290	5	423	32	575	2 259	36
Algeria	8 366	538	5	658	11	1 370	1 951	3
Tunisia	4 014	368	14	755	30	179	1 263	19
Libya	7 639	26	:	1 578	98	938	421	0
Egypt	2 633	84	11	222	384	138	382	5
Ivory Coast	1 980	238	8	159	55	170	649	44
Nigeria	4 341	50	1	776	1	1 174	690	1
South Africa	9 096	796	178	1 637	58	408	613	36
<b>North America</b>	<b>150 496</b>	<b>12 068</b>	<b>2 250</b>	<b>25 618</b>	<b>913</b>	<b>6 183</b>	<b>20 716</b>	<b>4 895</b>
of which USA	137 745	11 070	1 918	23 323	812	5 740	19 282	4 625
Canada	12 528	998	131	2 294	101	443	1 432	270
<b>Latin America</b>	<b>34 516</b>	<b>2 764</b>	<b>710</b>	<b>6 618</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>4 145</b>	<b>3 885</b>	<b>156</b>
of which Mexico	3 752	297	40	602	27	895	446	51
Colombia	2 534	318	139	596	15	160	234	11
Venezuela	1 742	117	52	295	3	229	184	3
Brazil	12 569	950	229	2 563	157	1 071	1 564	50
Chile	3 465	151	45	627	66	329	497	8
Argentina	3 823	288	156	520	73	628	404	5
<b>Near and Middle East</b>	<b>29 969</b>	<b>1 738</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>3 011</b>	<b>1 061</b>	<b>2 929</b>	<b>5 506</b>	<b>178</b>
of which Lebanon	153	35	1	17	7	6	33	0
Syria	1 993	16	2	503	19	203	442	1
Iran	5 137	56	5	575	452	586	816	1
Israel	6 264	1 348	57	838	98	313	604	148
Saudi Arabia	10 950	104	3	720	425	1 140	2 466	5
Kuwait	1 480	3	15	89	2	3	141	0
United Arab Emirates	1 480	90	3	138	18	224	204	21
<b>Other countries of Asia</b>	<b>198 515</b>	<b>11 781</b>	<b>3 198</b>	<b>49 464</b>	<b>2 444</b>	<b>8 658</b>	<b>21 247</b>	<b>4 616</b>
of which Pakistan	2 281	179	45	500	45	136	250	13
India	9 474	1 135	173	2 009	97	446	957	61
China	37 433	2 288	805	10 277	420	2 156	4 581	282
Indonesia	8 322	761	191	1 907	101	926	729	49
Philippines	4 372	133	31	1 091	9	87	264	65
Thailand	8 600	781	195	1 557	94	437	944	170
Malaysia	10 770	535	132	2 371	64	303	1 021	236
Singapore	11 258	253	56	2 253	28	181	1 980	1 021
South Korea	13 095	479	209	3 185	479	805	1 417	340
Japan	59 584	3 512	752	16 502	781	2 205	5 333	1 850
Taiwan	15 668	542	294	3 986	170	556	1 495	376
Hong Kong	8 361	396	174	1 686	43	139	485	117
<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>	<b>9 099</b>	<b>847</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>1 382</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>382</b>	<b>1 048</b>	<b>49</b>
of which Australia	6 262	542	75	859	21	297	728	32
New Zealand	2 069	264	39	311	31	58	156	16
<b>EFTA</b>	<b>80 326</b>	<b>2 646</b>	<b>3 290</b>	<b>23 137</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>2 016</b>	<b>10 807</b>	<b>742</b>
<b>CEEC</b>	<b>60 501</b>	<b>1 971</b>	<b>1 238</b>	<b>27 774</b>	<b>1 059</b>	<b>1 130</b>	<b>3 740</b>	<b>190</b>
<b>ACP</b>	<b>22 832</b>	<b>2 965</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>2 883</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>2 818</b>	<b>4 807</b>	<b>209</b>
<b>NAFTA</b>	<b>154 025</b>	<b>12 365</b>	<b>2 090</b>	<b>26 219</b>	<b>940</b>	<b>7 078</b>	<b>21 160</b>	<b>4 946</b>
<b>MERCOSUR</b>	<b>17 071</b>	<b>1 255</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>3 190</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>1 792</b>	<b>2 002</b>	<b>58</b>
<b>OPEC</b>	<b>51 994</b>	<b>1 764</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>6 751</b>	<b>1 142</b>	<b>6 989</b>	<b>9 063</b>	<b>84</b>
<b>DAE</b>	<b>67 753</b>	<b>2 986</b>	<b>1 060</b>	<b>15 039</b>	<b>878</b>	<b>2 420</b>	<b>7 343</b>	<b>2 260</b>

**IMPORTS 1997**

Reporter							Value (Mio ECU)
I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	Partner
<b>72 329</b>	<b>69 659</b>	<b>15 405</b>	<b>7 328</b>	<b>9 937</b>	<b>18 644</b>	<b>125 457</b>	<b>Extra EU-15</b>
<b>22 075</b>	<b>12 576</b>	<b>9 064</b>	<b>1 195</b>	<b>4 644</b>	<b>7 843</b>	<b>21 599</b>	<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>
742	4 066	79	226	995	4 244	6 885	<i>of which</i> Norway
7 123	1 742	2 185	391	429	887	6 350	Switzerland
82	14	3	2	1	2	109	Malta
1 330	772	292	99	49	150	1 484	Turkey
1 350	873	449	29	297	565	870	Poland
755	368	1 287	34	91	207	673	Czech Republic
521	133	594	9	36	45	122	Slovakia
1 151	725	1 888	11	73	165	705	Hungary
1 500	189	184	13	6	47	293	Romania
536	95	71	17	7	19	135	Bulgaria
530	127	157	26	10	7	69	Ukraine
3 773	2 404	774	258	2 151	801	2 298	Russia
1 068	112	582	11	17	56	140	Slovenia
647	51	221	2	1	16	53	Croatia
18	11	4	1	3	4	168	Cyprus
<b>13 402</b>	<b>3 219</b>	<b>886</b>	<b>1 400</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>5 781</b>	<b>Africa</b>
8 744	1 213	486	357	60	56	1 412	<i>of which</i> <b>North Africa</b>
364	169	9	53	14	24	495	<i>of which</i> Morocco
2 619	760	228	59	31	8	124	Algeria
1 050	146	69	27	1	7	86	Tunisia
3 936	19	174	110	2	13	323	Libya
774	117	7	108	12	5	384	Egypt
237	275	18	28	3	1	94	Ivory Coast
474	325	184	438	0	55	171	Nigeria
2 430	556	143	107	39	40	2 057	South Africa
<b>10 673</b>	<b>17 345</b>	<b>2 398</b>	<b>1 070</b>	<b>1 909</b>	<b>3 949</b>	<b>40 510</b>	<b>North America</b>
9 138	16 275	2 085	975	1 745	3 682	37 076	<i>of which</i> USA
1 529	1 070	314	95	164	267	3 418	Canada
<b>4 395</b>	<b>4 663</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>932</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>746</b>	<b>4 408</b>	<b>Latin America</b>
262	304	37	87	16	54	634	<i>of which</i> Mexico
237	261	7	77	110	103	265	Colombia
228	222	1	60	14	88	245	Venezuela
1 679	2 037	93	520	117	215	1 325	Brazil
458	403	18	18	105	81	659	Chile
735	509	8	57	19	30	391	Argentina
<b>5 127</b>	<b>4 652</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>714</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>672</b>	<b>3 885</b>	<b>Near and Middle East</b>
22	6	1	0	0	3	22	<i>of which</i> Lebanon
677	33	11	30	1	1	56	Syria
1 579	574	20	219	1	202	51	Iran
584	796	52	49	33	96	1 249	Israel
1 898	1 978	129	341	1	354	1 384	Saudi Arabia
4	944	1	2	0	1	275	Kuwait
48	79	30	4	1	11	610	United Arab Emirates
<b>14 840</b>	<b>25 631</b>	<b>2 465</b>	<b>1 894</b>	<b>2 418</b>	<b>5 015</b>	<b>44 843</b>	<b>Other countries of Asia</b>
215	171	28	86	15	71	527	<i>of which</i> Pakistan
1 175	723	95	127	50	176	2 250	India
3 896	3 148	570	220	395	1 053	7 340	China
828	1 014	67	40	95	86	1 527	Indonesia
108	1 369	21	16	21	34	1 123	Philippines
604	1 322	85	110	83	180	2 038	Thailand
563	2 098	63	75	62	167	3 080	Malaysia
376	1 592	57	44	50	111	3 256	Singapore
1 120	989	146	247	72	339	3 269	South Korea
3 721	7 252	798	740	1 144	1 825	13 169	Japan
1 077	2 974	268	109	163	519	3 139	Taiwan
213	2 396	129	28	64	299	2 192	Hong Kong
<b>1 294</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>2 986</b>	<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>
1 069	357	18	29	171	118	1 947	<i>of which</i> Australia
195	125	9	17	11	27	810	New Zealand
<b>7 911</b>	<b>5 962</b>	<b>2 451</b>	<b>659</b>	<b>1 447</b>	<b>5 161</b>	<b>13 612</b>	<b>EFTA</b>
<b>8 340</b>	<b>3 215</b>	<b>5 362</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>968</b>	<b>1 711</b>	<b>3 660</b>	<b>CEEC</b>
<b>2 328</b>	<b>1 698</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>973</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>3 265</b>	<b>ACP</b>
<b>10 930</b>	<b>17 648</b>	<b>2 436</b>	<b>1 157</b>	<b>1 925</b>	<b>4 003</b>	<b>41 128</b>	<b>NAFTA</b>
<b>2 522</b>	<b>2 714</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>585</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>1 836</b>	<b>MERCOSUR</b>
<b>11 822</b>	<b>6 085</b>	<b>950</b>	<b>1 369</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>818</b>	<b>4 735</b>	<b>OPEC</b>
<b>3 952</b>	<b>11 371</b>	<b>747</b>	<b>614</b>	<b>495</b>	<b>1 615</b>	<b>16 974</b>	<b>DAE</b>

# BREAKDOWN BY MEMBER STATE OF EXTRA-EU TRADE BY MAIN PARTNER COUNTRY

## IMPORTS JANUARY – SEPTEMBER 1998

Value (Mio ECU)

Partner	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
<b>Extra EU-15</b>	<b>532 358</b>	<b>32 910</b>	<b>9 228</b>	<b>128 150</b>	<b>6 396</b>	<b>26 546</b>	<b>66 774</b>	<b>10 774</b>
<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>	<b>144 114</b>	<b>5 188</b>	<b>3 986</b>	<b>51 950</b>	<b>1 826</b>	<b>4 015</b>	<b>15 387</b>	<b>853</b>
<i>of which</i> Norway	22 630	742	2 014	4 938	65	433	2 466	358
Switzerland	36 407	1 164	382	11 912	319	1 209	5 728	222
Malta	564	52	2	134	2	22	171	3
Turkey	10 119	486	138	3 910	236	356	1 335	49
Poland	11 849	473	510	6 013	61	231	815	48
Czech Republic	10 719	357	101	6 328	79	184	539	36
Slovakia	3 896	92	14	2 180	24	77	182	9
Hungary	10 394	419	76	5 093	58	224	617	70
Romania	3 819	159	17	1 140	128	60	346	4
Bulgaria	1 717	141	19	380	261	105	125	2
Ukraine	1 715	49	35	460	49	111	148	2
Russia	17 655	747	197	5 434	328	763	1 819	9
Slovenia	3 811	57	48	1 547	16	43	543	2
Croatia	1 354	35	2	491	4	7	77	16
Cyprus	353	22	4	28	46	10	36	4
<b>Africa</b>	<b>40 244</b>	<b>3 530</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>5 341</b>	<b>496</b>	<b>4 300</b>	<b>8 416</b>	<b>219</b>
<i>of which</i> North Africa	18 581	991	18	2 471	332	2 131	4 666	43
<i>of which</i> Morocco	3 986	256	2	318	26	498	2 013	23
Algeria	5 165	342	3	436	13	846	1 031	2
Tunisia	3 115	314	8	593	14	124	1 033	13
Libya	4 414	18	0	939	61	594	214	0
Egypt	1 893	61	4	185	218	61	374	5
Ivory Coast	1 647	135	15	180	41	128	572	14
Nigeria	2 332	39	0	223	1	660	543	1
South Africa	7 385	690	101	1 460	47	407	470	33
<b>North America</b>	<b>123 907</b>	<b>9 721</b>	<b>1 778</b>	<b>22 165</b>	<b>970</b>	<b>4 729</b>	<b>17 565</b>	<b>4 870</b>
<i>of which</i> USA	114 228	8 977	1 554	20 392	881	4 404	16 474	4 608
Canada	9 541	745	93	1 772	89	325	1 091	263
<b>Latin America</b>	<b>26 739</b>	<b>2 351</b>	<b>478</b>	<b>4 924</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>3 159</b>	<b>2 938</b>	<b>109</b>
<i>of which</i> Mexico	2 906	191	37	528	14	585	402	46
Colombia	1 902	240	70	436	10	120	179	5
Venezuela	1 075	78	33	185	5	164	104	3
Brazil	10 201	997	176	1 969	73	879	1 235	22
Chile	2 763	155	30	458	37	253	397	6
Argentina	3 179	244	101	418	50	624	269	4
<b>Near and Middle East</b>	<b>20 363</b>	<b>1 408</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>2 150</b>	<b>616</b>	<b>1 871</b>	<b>3 703</b>	<b>165</b>
<i>of which</i> Lebanon	115	19	1	14	3	5	32	2
Syria	1 129	18	1	391	6	77	251	0
Iran	2 865	36	4	296	248	318	484	0
Israel	5 307	1 058	39	766	75	275	493	139
Saudi Arabia	6 104	85	1	370	257	686	1 321	17
Kuwait	980	19	16	58	0	12	132	0
United Arab Emirates	1 252	97	5	117	6	77	250	4
<b>Other countries of Asia</b>	<b>163 431</b>	<b>9 769</b>	<b>2 580</b>	<b>39 266</b>	<b>2 174</b>	<b>7 894</b>	<b>16 616</b>	<b>4 385</b>
<i>of which</i> Pakistan	1 771	158	37	376	28	127	200	12
India	7 658	1 085	131	1 576	79	392	764	52
China	31 026	1 796	644	8 018	358	1 848	3 815	331
Indonesia	6 757	616	159	1 361	92	696	694	37
Philippines	3 654	102	24	917	7	63	329	118
Thailand	6 987	556	159	1 291	83	380	779	78
Malaysia	8 495	406	101	1 768	77	273	873	197
Singapore	9 081	159	45	1 708	19	169	1 297	1 051
South Korea	11 690	496	234	2 459	467	837	1 117	327
Japan	48 619	2 915	556	13 383	667	2 046	4 184	1 579
Taiwan	13 289	556	231	3 135	140	692	1 191	449
Hong Kong	7 172	290	143	1 366	31	124	411	117
<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>	<b>7 969</b>	<b>787</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>1 070</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>42</b>
<i>of which</i> Australia	5 693	515	107	705	46	226	499	27
New Zealand	1 741	246	35	252	26	64	121	15
<b>EFTA</b>	<b>60 418</b>	<b>1 923</b>	<b>2 471</b>	<b>17 267</b>	<b>388</b>	<b>1 664</b>	<b>8 323</b>	<b>583</b>
<b>CEEC</b>	<b>52 516</b>	<b>1 879</b>	<b>1 033</b>	<b>24 518</b>	<b>772</b>	<b>1 050</b>	<b>3 488</b>	<b>203</b>
<b>ACP</b>	<b>16 263</b>	<b>1 933</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>1 734</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>1 894</b>	<b>3 677</b>	<b>150</b>
<b>NAFTA</b>	<b>126 675</b>	<b>9 913</b>	<b>1 685</b>	<b>22 692</b>	<b>984</b>	<b>5 314</b>	<b>17 967</b>	<b>4 916</b>
<b>MERCOSUR</b>	<b>13 958</b>	<b>1 260</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>2 461</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>1 571</b>	<b>1 530</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>OPEC</b>	<b>33 450</b>	<b>1 349</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>4 049</b>	<b>702</b>	<b>4 499</b>	<b>5 874</b>	<b>65</b>
<b>DAE</b>	<b>56 714</b>	<b>2 463</b>	<b>913</b>	<b>11 726</b>	<b>816</b>	<b>2 475</b>	<b>5 667</b>	<b>2 219</b>



**IMPORTS JANUARY – SEPTEMBER 1998**

Reporter							Value (Mio ECU)	Partner
I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK		
<b>56 391</b>	<b>54 769</b>	<b>12 033</b>	<b>5 751</b>	<b>7 523</b>	<b>13 984</b>	<b>101 130</b>		<b>Extra EU-15</b>
<b>17 446</b>	<b>9 485</b>	<b>7 449</b>	<b>1 051</b>	<b>3 364</b>	<b>6 003</b>	<b>16 111</b>		<b>Europe excluding EU-15</b>
446	2 753	60	284	773	3 196	4 101		<i>of which</i> Norway
5 810	1 503	1 771	278	312	667	5 128		Switzerland
70	12	3	5	1	2	85		Malta
1 111	702	242	108	41	132	1 271		Turkey
1 136	758	396	27	181	479	720		Poland
663	367	1 099	45	89	219	613		Czech Republic
534	126	477	9	26	42	104		Slovakia
916	560	1 554	42	65	139	561		Hungary
1 294	175	179	13	8	33	263		Romania
429	69	61	14	7	15	90		Bulgaria
502	91	156	22	20	9	62		Ukraine
2 513	1 554	529	117	1 392	416	1 838		Russia
769	80	523	9	13	46	115		Slovenia
465	39	153	3	1	13	48		Croatia
7	12	4	0	2	4	174		Cyprus
<b>8 948</b>	<b>2 531</b>	<b>464</b>	<b>916</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>4 558</b>		<b>Africa</b>
5 527	838	222	165	20	57	1 103		<i>of which</i> <b>North Africa</b>
247	127	9	37	7	12	411		<i>of which</i> Morocco
1 780	486	84	32	7	19	84		Algeria
764	128	18	21	2	9	74		Tunisia
2 241	15	103	32	1	13	183		Libya
494	81	7	44	3	5	350		Egypt
216	220	8	18	3	1	95		Ivory Coast
280	100	67	197	0	38	182		Nigeria
1 710	675	116	114	15	39	1 510		South Africa
<b>8 595</b>	<b>13 040</b>	<b>1 731</b>	<b>814</b>	<b>1 538</b>	<b>2 938</b>	<b>33 452</b>		<b>North America</b>
7 459	12 192	1 520	733	1 453	2 758	30 822		<i>of which</i> USA
1 136	848	211	81	85	180	2 625		Canada
<b>3 637</b>	<b>3 653</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>782</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>554</b>	<b>3 411</b>		<b>Latin America</b>
151	238	27	85	12	42	547		<i>of which</i> Mexico
236	183	9	52	66	69	229		Colombia
145	117	1	11	8	71	150		Venezuela
1 557	1 599	90	380	103	148	973		Brazil
453	318	15	16	52	57	517		Chile
532	496	4	137	41	30	229		Argentina
<b>3 125</b>	<b>2 946</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>508</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>3 130</b>		<b>Near and Middle East</b>
12	6	1	0	0	3	18		<i>of which</i> Lebanon
297	9	13	31	0	1	33		Syria
856	259	7	140	4	160	53		Iran
542	689	49	57	25	91	1 009		Israel
969	994	64	188	1	137	1 016		Saudi Arabia
17	494	1	0	8	6	216		Kuwait
65	79	3	6	0	7	535		United Arab Emirates
<b>13 086</b>	<b>21 879</b>	<b>1 969</b>	<b>1 596</b>	<b>1 911</b>	<b>3 754</b>	<b>36 553</b>		<b>Other countries of Asia</b>
155	149	22	75	12	48	371		<i>of which</i> Pakistan
1 001	615	70	100	43	131	1 620		India
3 337	2 892	438	197	310	908	6 133		China
758	909	63	31	64	62	1 215		Indonesia
95	854	15	13	21	17	1 079		Philippines
564	1 008	65	98	84	142	1 700		Thailand
413	1 772	48	58	48	115	2 345		Malaysia
339	1 536	39	26	33	84	2 574		Singapore
1 177	1 145	127	185	87	214	2 820		South Korea
3 153	5 835	641	664	911	1 277	10 807		Japan
1 070	2 591	209	86	128	382	2 429		Taiwan
203	2 048	93	28	95	236	1 987		Hong Kong
<b>1 237</b>	<b>486</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>2 768</b>		<b>Oceania and polar regions</b>
962	350	19	18	139	78	2 003		<i>of which</i> Australia
183	109	6	13	10	22	640		New Zealand
<b>6 300</b>	<b>4 403</b>	<b>1 952</b>	<b>614</b>	<b>1 099</b>	<b>3 893</b>	<b>9 540</b>		<b>EFTA</b>
<b>6 868</b>	<b>2 643</b>	<b>4 540</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>804</b>	<b>1 538</b>	<b>2 998</b>		<b>CEEC</b>
<b>1 792</b>	<b>1 255</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>674</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>2 585</b>		<b>ACP</b>
<b>8 747</b>	<b>13 277</b>	<b>1 758</b>	<b>898</b>	<b>1 551</b>	<b>2 980</b>	<b>33 995</b>		<b>NAFTA</b>
<b>2 170</b>	<b>2 290</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>524</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>1 295</b>		<b>MERCOSUR</b>
<b>7 405</b>	<b>3 761</b>	<b>474</b>	<b>736</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>514</b>	<b>3 705</b>		<b>OPEC</b>
<b>3 766</b>	<b>10 100</b>	<b>582</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>475</b>	<b>1 172</b>	<b>13 856</b>		<b>DAE</b>

**BREAKDOWN BY MEMBER STATE OF GOODS  
TRADED INTRA-EU**

**DISPATCHES 1997**

Value (Mio ECU)

Product list SITC Rev. 3	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>	<b>1 165 670</b>	<b>114 759</b>	<b>28 840</b>	<b>251 249</b>	<b>5 078</b>	<b>60 718</b>	<b>165 256</b>	<b>32 384</b>
<b>0 Food and live animals</b>	<b>97 687</b>	<b>11 786</b>	<b>6 441</b>	<b>12 947</b>	<b>1 055</b>	<b>8 783</b>	<b>19 179</b>	<b>3 549</b>
00 Live animals	3 285	352	154	399	2	190	1 335	138
01 Meat and meat preparations	16 984	2 343	2 260	1 497	6	826	2 857	1 079
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	14 378	1 635	848	3 404	70	293	2 836	897
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	7 525	400	1 833	650	185	876	733	219
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	11 765	1 015	405	1 811	138	410	4 005	223
05 Vegetables and fruit	22 350	3 142	170	1 345	618	5 529	2 729	154
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	3 574	350	125	623	9	165	1 268	97
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	6 520	1 225	44	1 507	7	197	953	165
08 Feeding stuff for animals	5 591	712	328	892	4	138	972	97
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>16 630</b>	<b>1 026</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>1 677</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>1 062</b>	<b>4 017</b>	<b>503</b>
11 Beverages	11 654	665	197	936	81	1 020	3 842	455
12 Tobacco	4 976	360	102	741	153	42	175	47
<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>	<b>35 636</b>	<b>3 123</b>	<b>1 173</b>	<b>5 641</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>1 235</b>	<b>4 456</b>	<b>600</b>
21 Hides and skins, raw	1 420	76	184	192	22	77	323	70
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	1 490	103	12	139	6	13	711	1
23 Crude rubber	1 723	412	4	308	0	9	401	1
24 Cork and wood	5 895	379	103	640	5	133	514	57
25 Pulp and waste paper	3 355	156	33	213	0	177	244	7
26 Textile fibres and their wastes	2 999	297	3	859	95	197	520	126
27 Crude fertilizers	3 229	472	58	623	55	218	412	17
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	7 732	823	130	2 136	65	154	866	241
<b>3 Energy</b>	<b>38 589</b>	<b>3 140</b>	<b>1 389</b>	<b>3 432</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>1 252</b>	<b>3 798</b>	<b>169</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	927	145	7	268	1	17	63	37
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	28 241	2 627	1 173	1 541	145	1 160	1 640	128
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	6 462	265	13	1 204	0	14	212	3
35 Electric current	2 958	104	195	419	:	61	1 884	1
<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>	<b>4 760</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>754</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>901</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>35</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	496	76	52	89	0	17	78	29
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	3 388	353	39	445	309	861	228	4
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	876	51	56	220	0	24	48	2
<b>5 Chemical products</b>	<b>145 999</b>	<b>20 636</b>	<b>2 527</b>	<b>32 318</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>4 589</b>	<b>22 640</b>	<b>7 610</b>
51 Organic chemicals	32 559	4 740	276	6 270	4	599	4 611	3 469
52 Inorganic chemicals	7 139	1 019	29	1 592	4	199	1 441	124
53 Tanning and colouring materials	9 227	1 229	265	2 918	8	369	1 088	36
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	24 308	2 318	1 064	4 120	51	831	3 846	1 742
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	13 165	1 314	193	1 976	14	552	3 650	1 177
56 Fertilizers	2 331	545	39	536	7	91	151	51
57 Plastics in primary forms	25 859	5 610	78	5 575	17	1 032	3 751	78
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	12 785	1 774	299	3 448	31	398	1 145	120
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>	<b>200 933</b>	<b>24 529</b>	<b>3 482</b>	<b>40 185</b>	<b>937</b>	<b>10 358</b>	<b>26 653</b>	<b>1 380</b>
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	2 823	89	30	294	32	255	182	23
62 Rubber manufactures	12 539	999	113	2 638	12	1 098	2 816	76
63 Cork and wood manufactures	7 102	895	500	1 071	8	332	838	88
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	31 702	2 272	377	5 990	19	828	3 676	127
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	31 098	4 926	536	5 208	289	1 700	4 068	398
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	22 614	3 731	371	3 517	129	1 564	2 555	164
67 Iron and steel	38 253	6 532	445	8 150	105	1 807	5 921	120
68 Non-ferrous metals	22 833	2 780	238	5 317	288	1 236	2 950	69
69 Manufactures of metals	32 607	2 141	873	7 888	45	1 537	3 546	315
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>	<b>450 830</b>	<b>33 504</b>	<b>7 202</b>	<b>116 992</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>26 655</b>	<b>69 512</b>	<b>11 779</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	26 984	763	519	7 097	24	1 348	5 189	161
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	30 877	2 084	908	9 660	31	504	3 120	145
73 Metalworking machinery	6 999	482	64	2 302	4	341	778	16
74 General industry machinery and equipment	50 620	3 102	1 693	15 147	42	1 703	6 540	500
75 Office machines and computers	60 497	1 930	546	7 758	12	697	6 943	7 967
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	33 666	2 271	1 199	5 723	52	1 248	3 968	618
77 Electrical machinery	71 805	4 268	1 102	19 309	144	2 697	10 191	2 034
78 Road vehicles	144 747	18 189	638	43 023	14	17 269	22 622	216
79 Other transport equipment	24 635	415	532	6 975	12	849	10 162	123
<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>	<b>133 380</b>	<b>12 091</b>	<b>4 646</b>	<b>24 562</b>	<b>1 491</b>	<b>5 304</b>	<b>14 361</b>	<b>4 698</b>
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	6 385	704	225	1 145	11	297	786	67
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	14 392	1 312	1 322	2 489	10	705	1 244	107
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	1 569	309	18	135	1	69	253	8
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	30 665	2 886	1 000	4 353	1 326	818	2 765	400
85 Footwear	10 334	1 133	125	727	11	1 151	522	24
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	18 066	986	527	5 123	19	444	2 382	741
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	9 483	1 149	157	2 429	6	161	1 336	240
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	42 488	3 613	1 272	8 163	106	1 660	5 074	3 111
<b>Miscellaneous and adjustments</b>	<b>41 226</b>	<b>4 442</b>	<b>1 534</b>	<b>12 741</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>577</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>2 061</b>

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I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	SITC Rev. 3
<b>114 764</b>	<b>144 870</b>	<b>32 692</b>	<b>17 071</b>	<b>19 451</b>	<b>40 583</b>	<b>137 954</b>	<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>
<b>6 840</b>	<b>17 293</b>	<b>1 353</b>	<b>652</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>1 052</b>	<b>6 469</b>	<b>0 Food and live animals</b>
41	373	70	12	0	5	216	00 Live animals
772	3 753	315	9	40	122	1 105	01 Meat and meat preparations
619	2 504	254	118	86	138	676	02 Dairy products and birds' eggs
259	1 104	2	205	3	258	797	03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs
1 141	710	187	48	36	201	1 435	04 Cereals and cereal preparations
3 035	4 634	230	185	15	73	490	05 Vegetables and fruit
136	355	69	11	31	59	276	06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey
348	1 252	120	26	59	83	533	07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices
85	1 806	58	12	5	15	467	08 Feeding stuff for animals
<b>1 586</b>	<b>2 915</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>2 624</b>	<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>
1 499	515	174	380	20	39	1 829	11 Beverages
88	2 400	36	4	25	9	794	12 Tobacco
<b>1 159</b>	<b>8 118</b>	<b>1 391</b>	<b>781</b>	<b>1 969</b>	<b>3 613</b>	<b>2 123</b>	<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>
39	133	35	6	84	42	137	21 Hides and skins, raw
13	397	18	5	0	2	72	22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits
54	275	15	1	0	13	230	23 Crude rubber
145	171	764	112	1 088	1 734	51	24 Cork and wood
3	286	96	400	618	1 048	75	25 Pulp and waste paper
134	88	156	36	51	30	408	26 Textile fibres and their wastes
181	428	115	44	51	60	496	27 Crude fertilizers
133	1 654	159	147	73	656	494	28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap
<b>951</b>	<b>10 807</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>1 145</b>	<b>11 446</b>	<b>3 Energy</b>
10	267	3	3	5	7	94	32 Coal, coke and briquettes
929	6 738	34	158	393	1 117	10 459	33 Petroleum and petroleum products
12	3 793	1	26	6	21	892	34 Gas, natural and manufactured
.	9	248	.	36	.	1	35 Electric current
<b>389</b>	<b>973</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>
43	63	7	1	1	11	29	41 Animal oils and fats
297	616	3	33	6	21	171	42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils
49	294	11	2	20	22	78	43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes
<b>9 883</b>	<b>19 336</b>	<b>2 732</b>	<b>763</b>	<b>1 193</b>	<b>3 771</b>	<b>17 824</b>	<b>5 Chemical products</b>
1 233	5 708	355	149	206	531	4 246	51 Organic chemicals
280	943	159	32	196	100	1 022	52 Inorganic chemicals
522	1 074	89	31	110	203	1 284	53 Tanning and colouring materials
2 186	1 842	586	92	99	1 569	3 960	54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products
995	826	123	54	23	153	2 115	55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics
19	580	92	31	14	37	136	56 Fertilizers
1 621	5 137	171	128	235	569	1 859	57 Plastics in primary forms
1 954	1 266	560	87	194	296	1 212	58 Plastics in non-primary forms
<b>26 381</b>	<b>16 740</b>	<b>9 026</b>	<b>3 600</b>	<b>8 252</b>	<b>10 468</b>	<b>18 942</b>	<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>
1 251	117	205	32	24	25	263	61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins
1 561	843	331	152	77	369	1 454	62 Rubber manufactures
538	378	623	583	591	395	263	63 Cork and wood manufactures
2 229	2 624	1 705	466	4 912	4 473	2 002	64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof
6 542	2 001	1 056	1 132	192	394	2 657	65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products
3 902	990	712	622	210	320	3 825	66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures
3 811	2 707	1 747	142	1 213	2 463	3 089	67 Iron and steel
1 440	3 926	867	36	751	733	2 203	68 Non-ferrous metals
5 106	5 032	1 548	435	281	1 094	2 768	69 Manufactures of metals
<b>42 121</b>	<b>41 710</b>	<b>12 860</b>	<b>5 612</b>	<b>5 983</b>	<b>15 953</b>	<b>60 609</b>	<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>
2 310	813	2 020	69	306	1 526	4 840	71 Power generating machinery and equipment
5 477	1 752	1 396	96	719	1 538	3 445	72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.
1 373	330	285	13	78	318	613	73 Metalworking machinery
9 152	2 580	1 823	332	586	2 252	5 169	74 General industry machinery and equipment
2 478	17 818	284	77	656	461	12 870	75 Office machines and computers
1 737	2 589	1 020	563	2 077	3 190	7 410	76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video
7 435	8 564	2 307	1 413	778	1 874	9 690	77 Electrical machinery
11 344	6 752	3 146	2 913	544	4 384	13 695	78 Road vehicles
816	512	579	137	237	409	2 876	79 Other transport equipment
<b>24 566</b>	<b>12 233</b>	<b>4 782</b>	<b>5 041</b>	<b>1 034</b>	<b>3 145</b>	<b>15 426</b>	<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>
1 372	522	311	95	179	258	413	81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting
4 120	592	648	252	117	612	861	82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses
436	158	11	12	3	7	149	83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods
7 371	2 599	867	2 818	120	301	3 042	84 Clothing and clothing accessories
3 813	528	365	1 437	29	28	441	85 Footwear
1 287	1 962	379	136	232	775	3 074	87 Professional, scientific, controlling material
852	1 373	146	45	16	118	1 455	88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks
5 314	4 499	2 055	246	339	1 046	5 990	89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles
<b>888</b>	<b>14 745</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>1 334</b>	<b>2 213</b>	<b>Miscellaneous and adjustments</b>

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	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>	<b>921 756</b>	<b>92 215</b>	<b>21 632</b>	<b>202 217</b>	<b>3 440</b>	<b>48 995</b>	<b>131 469</b>	<b>29 442</b>
<b>0 Food and live animals</b>	<b>71 495</b>	<b>9 542</b>	<b>4 674</b>	<b>9 529</b>	<b>711</b>	<b>6 561</b>	<b>13 823</b>	<b>2 791</b>
00 Live animals	2 345	247	118	293	0	126	1 022	85
01 Meat and meat preparations	11 499	1 670	1 514	1 129	3	654	1 913	791
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	11 219	1 396	609	2 653	64	240	2 058	695
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	5 534	284	1 387	428	113	738	542	163
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	8 632	845	294	1 243	46	302	2 964	183
05 Vegetables and fruit	16 970	2 816	130	1 002	465	3 966	2 124	218
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	2 552	384	88	401	8	133	875	52
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	4 639	936	37	1 064	4	150	722	135
08 Feeding stuff for animals	4 005	493	272	642	1	119	762	70
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>11 960</b>	<b>741</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>1 232</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>779</b>	<b>3 042</b>	<b>323</b>
11 Beverages	8 395	491	152	650	47	744	2 882	292
12 Tobacco	3 565	250	84	582	91	35	160	31
<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>	<b>25 715</b>	<b>2 264</b>	<b>756</b>	<b>3 723</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>1 003</b>	<b>3 388</b>	<b>430</b>
21 Hides and skins, raw	1 007	53	135	121	12	57	222	46
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	1 178	69	10	72	4	13	588	1
23 Crude rubber	1 309	358	2	242	0	8	310	1
24 Cork and wood	4 320	254	75	503	3	115	400	39
25 Pulp and waste paper	2 454	125	20	147	0	170	194	3
26 Textile fibres and their wastes	2 103	242	2	556	60	149	361	84
27 Crude fertilizers	2 356	380	41	430	35	168	313	13
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	4 860	460	86	1 244	40	96	640	174
<b>3 Energy</b>	<b>21 867</b>	<b>1 945</b>	<b>655</b>	<b>2 300</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>876</b>	<b>2 553</b>	<b>103</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	1 383	117	5	902	4	34	43	31
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	15 780	1 626	556	1 046	37	834	1 075	69
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	2 736	106	6	57	0	8	88	2
35 Electric current	1 968	96	87	295	:	0	1 346	1
<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>	<b>3 449</b>	<b>408</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>623</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>566</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>24</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	355	39	41	73	0	8	63	18
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	2 379	236	29	388	172	538	158	3
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	714	133	41	163	0	19	35	2
<b>5 Chemical products</b>	<b>117 126</b>	<b>17 612</b>	<b>1 998</b>	<b>25 131</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>3 752</b>	<b>18 689</b>	<b>9 731</b>
51 Organic chemicals	26 914	4 239	206	4 464	5	590	3 691	5 914
52 Inorganic chemicals	5 544	845	35	1 276	2	134	1 139	107
53 Tanning and colouring materials	7 263	1 037	220	2 330	6	303	874	29
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	20 755	2 037	870	3 628	35	740	3 485	1 584
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	10 650	1 000	135	1 728	15	507	2 976	1 074
56 Fertilizers	1 891	505	21	387	2	79	111	37
57 Plastics in primary forms	18 988	4 521	82	4 130	12	798	2 877	60
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	11 465	1 645	241	3 524	19	326	973	104
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>	<b>156 944</b>	<b>20 738</b>	<b>2 627</b>	<b>31 193</b>	<b>915</b>	<b>8 513</b>	<b>21 141</b>	<b>1 053</b>
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	2 106	66	23	225	24	194	137	25
62 Rubber manufactures	9 874	836	93	2 039	9	961	2 230	56
63 Cork and wood manufactures	5 535	728	364	841	1	284	669	73
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	25 366	2 095	245	4 936	9	693	2 952	92
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	24 264	3 984	424	3 927	183	1 370	3 220	287
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	17 115	2 949	256	2 665	86	1 349	1 925	134
67 Iron and steel	32 176	6 210	358	6 647	334	1 557	4 876	104
68 Non-ferrous metals	17 058	2 098	186	3 966	244	873	2 120	49
69 Manufactures of metals	26 896	1 772	678	5 932	26	1 233	3 015	233
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>	<b>359 835</b>	<b>28 236</b>	<b>5 494</b>	<b>94 558</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>22 109</b>	<b>56 573</b>	<b>9 845</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	23 015	844	306	5 626	3	1 204	5 057	112
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	24 069	1 928	688	7 695	17	384	2 499	91
73 Metalworking machinery	5 420	421	58	1 796	2	244	578	10
74 General industry machinery and equipment	40 816	2 966	1 340	11 894	31	1 482	5 576	419
75 Office machines and computers	44 296	1 460	390	5 852	5	704	5 317	6 828
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	27 729	2 030	972	4 126	35	986	3 363	478
77 Electrical machinery	55 045	3 301	861	14 755	108	2 253	8 147	1 575
78 Road vehicles	119 291	14 908	518	35 920	17	14 386	18 717	276
79 Other transport equipment	20 155	378	361	6 893	6	466	7 320	56
<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>	<b>100 277</b>	<b>10 002</b>	<b>3 779</b>	<b>18 998</b>	<b>869</b>	<b>4 359</b>	<b>11 660</b>	<b>3 374</b>
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	4 687	528	163	929	7	230	629	46
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	10 652	978	1 018	1 842	6	616	1 041	83
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	1 196	265	15	103	1	52	200	6
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	24 081	2 705	898	3 517	772	730	2 453	309
85 Footwear	8 241	1 084	137	611	2	946	404	14
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	13 814	791	422	4 143	13	340	1 883	485
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	6 906	846	122	1 805	2	141	1 069	193
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	30 701	2 805	1 004	6 049	66	1 303	3 980	2 238
<b>Miscellaneous and adjustments</b>	<b>53 088</b>	<b>726</b>	<b>1 302</b>	<b>14 931</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>477</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>1 769</b>

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I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	SITC Rev. 3
<b>90 414</b>	<b>110 115</b>	<b>25 120</b>	<b>13 042</b>	<b>16 133</b>	<b>32 510</b>	<b>105 011</b>	<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>
<b>5 230</b>	<b>11 280</b>	<b>1 057</b>	<b>498</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>769</b>	<b>4 829</b>	<b>0 Food and live animals</b>
34	260	49	7	0	2	101	00 Live animals
558	2 267	224	5	19	65	690	01 Meat and meat preparations
543	1 898	200	101	66	114	583	02 Dairy products and birds' eggs
189	667	1	137	2	214	670	03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs
864	410	147	32	22	140	1 141	04 Cereals and cereal preparations
2 292	3 204	221	133	11	58	329	05 Vegetables and fruit
82	177	52	34	27	29	212	06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey
258	735	80	18	41	58	401	07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices
77	1 179	38	5	4	15	328	08 Feeding stuff for animals
<b>1 240</b>	<b>1 981</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>1 799</b>	<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>
1 161	318	115	251	14	28	1 249	11 Beverages
79	1 662	20	6	11	4	550	12 Tobacco
<b>854</b>	<b>5 868</b>	<b>1 117</b>	<b>559</b>	<b>1 446</b>	<b>2 501</b>	<b>1 647</b>	<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>
24	85	30	2	93	25	102	21 Hides and skins, raw
6	343	11	3	0	1	58	22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits
39	131	11	0	0	6	202	23 Crude rubber
113	111	613	89	800	1 160	45	24 Cork and wood
4	199	83	284	434	754	37	25 Pulp and waste paper
89	65	126	25	37	21	285	26 Textile fibres and their wastes
142	250	82	37	41	43	379	27 Crude fertilizers
74	893	127	95	38	469	423	28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap
<b>630</b>	<b>5 597</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>583</b>	<b>6 011</b>	<b>3 Energy</b>
7	175	2	3	5	5	50	32 Coal, coke and briquettes
616	3 323	27	82	311	570	5 606	33 Petroleum and petroleum products
8	2 093	0	7	1	7	353	34 Gas, natural and manufactured
:	7	128	:	6	:	2	35 Electric current
<b>269</b>	<b>730</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>
27	49	5	1	0	10	20	41 Animal oils and fats
199	480	3	22	7	17	125	42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils
42	201	8	2	17	13	38	43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes
<b>7 788</b>	<b>11 623</b>	<b>2 102</b>	<b>624</b>	<b>988</b>	<b>2 638</b>	<b>14 326</b>	<b>5 Chemical products</b>
948	2 823	252	99	178	196	3 307	51 Organic chemicals
158	662	129	21	163	84	791	52 Inorganic chemicals
425	645	75	28	96	152	1 041	53 Tanning and colouring materials
1 763	1 186	471	89	76	1 410	3 382	54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products
811	514	83	38	16	113	1 641	55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics
24	460	92	22	12	19	119	56 Fertilizers
1 265	3 130	149	123	175	207	1 458	57 Plastics in primary forms
1 534	907	692	87	167	243	1 002	58 Plastics in non-primary forms
<b>21 063</b>	<b>10 832</b>	<b>7 092</b>	<b>2 837</b>	<b>6 730</b>	<b>7 813</b>	<b>14 397</b>	<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>
942	65	164	30	19	20	171	61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins
1 259	548	246	125	65	285	1 123	62 Rubber manufactures
408	215	522	454	447	337	193	63 Cork and wood manufactures
1 742	1 684	1 364	376	4 167	3 516	1 494	64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof
5 090	1 379	844	870	147	285	2 255	65 Textile yam, fabrics and related products
3 085	632	464	428	170	230	2 742	66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures
3 297	1 896	1 474	151	990	1 788	2 496	67 Iron and steel
1 159	2 782	733	66	526	527	1 729	68 Non-ferrous metals
4 080	5 092	1 282	337	199	823	2 195	69 Manufactures of metals
<b>34 274</b>	<b>27 867</b>	<b>9 835</b>	<b>4 448</b>	<b>5 411</b>	<b>12 779</b>	<b>48 180</b>	<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>
1 978	620	1 510	79	283	1 342	4 051	71 Power generating machinery and equipment
4 394	1 228	1 059	71	518	813	2 685	72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.
1 110	189	193	9	76	232	501	73 Metalworking machinery
7 566	1 661	1 339	233	504	1 718	4 086	74 General industry machinery and equipment
1 812	11 025	194	41	474	382	9 812	75 Office machines and computers
1 358	1 720	778	449	2 178	2 864	6 391	76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video
5 852	5 590	1 773	1 125	593	1 599	7 512	77 Electrical machinery
9 347	5 557	2 549	2 357	461	3 503	10 774	78 Road vehicles
855	277	439	85	324	326	2 368	79 Other transport equipment
<b>18 295</b>	<b>7 977</b>	<b>3 181</b>	<b>3 696</b>	<b>803</b>	<b>2 264</b>	<b>11 022</b>	<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>
938	346	180	65	139	187	300	81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting
2 819	368	501	196	94	473	618	82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses
308	111	8	8	2	5	110	83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods
5 756	1 810	694	2 078	96	242	2 020	84 Clothing and clothing accessories
2 970	368	301	1 045	22	22	316	85 Footwear
991	1 316	249	105	191	564	2 321	87 Professional, scientific, controlling material
648	756	113	29	10	92	1 079	88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks
3 864	2 901	1 135	170	248	678	4 258	89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles
<b>771</b>	<b>26 360</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>3 092</b>	<b>2 617</b>	<b>Miscellaneous and adjustments</b>

# BREAKDOWN BY MEMBER STATE OF GOODS TRADED INTRA-EU

## ARRIVALS 1997

Value (Mio ECU)

Product list SITC Rev. 3	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>	<b>1 110 669</b>	<b>101 770</b>	<b>27 807</b>	<b>232 601</b>	<b>15 432</b>	<b>67 275</b>	<b>165 673</b>	<b>21 302</b>
<b>0 Food and live animals</b>	<b>96 620</b>	<b>8 858</b>	<b>2 387</b>	<b>20 870</b>	<b>2 275</b>	<b>5 359</b>	<b>14 066</b>	<b>1 869</b>
00 Live animals	3 069	281	10	279	38	333	247	100
01 Meat and meat preparations	15 818	810	454	3 557	679	512	2 542	200
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	14 468	1 777	208	3 208	478	723	1 711	212
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	7 107	517	182	835	121	1 023	1 560	70
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	11 668	1 444	274	1 631	274	907	1 380	341
05 Vegetables and fruit	23 091	1 547	521	7 243	217	583	3 373	345
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	3 630	621	167	587	58	337	420	127
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	6 592	617	171	1 404	104	231	1 427	157
08 Feeding stuff for animals	5 284	717	245	913	118	196	663	171
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>16 041</b>	<b>1 504</b>	<b>392</b>	<b>2 862</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>1 016</b>	<b>2 612</b>	<b>324</b>
11 Beverages	11 267	1 167	374	2 281	227	807	1 229	262
12 Tobacco	4 774	337	18	581	169	209	1 383	63
<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>	<b>34 626</b>	<b>3 739</b>	<b>1 036</b>	<b>7 874</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>2 138</b>	<b>3 927</b>	<b>308</b>
21 Hides and skins, raw	1 474	51	43	104	46	127	67	8
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	1 275	201	24	527	7	63	69	10
23 Crude rubber	1 878	245	29	380	11	174	328	9
24 Cork and wood	5 827	410	524	890	79	301	478	107
25 Pulp and waste paper	3 342	128	26	1 068	11	154	412	3
26 Textile fibres and their wastes	3 330	339	22	449	48	235	388	45
27 Crude fertilizers	3 452	471	76	665	31	144	396	50
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	7 576	1 512	61	1 755	4	651	742	21
<b>3 Energy</b>	<b>36 304</b>	<b>7 100</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>11 606</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>844</b>	<b>4 958</b>	<b>667</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	919	119	8	231	5	43	185	22
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	28 505	5 900	516	8 425	108	718	4 011	541
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	4 874	754	2	2 526	3	73	617	103
35 Electric current	2 005	327	36	424	:	10	145	2
<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>	<b>4 921</b>	<b>507</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>539</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>755</b>	<b>105</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	511	66	35	61	2	41	64	8
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	3 435	336	81	294	45	69	539	61
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	974	106	55	184	9	53	152	36
<b>5 Chemical products</b>	<b>142 191</b>	<b>15 954</b>	<b>3 437</b>	<b>24 152</b>	<b>2 415</b>	<b>9 316</b>	<b>21 542</b>	<b>3 000</b>
51 Organic chemicals	32 245	5 282	283	5 554	292	2 103	4 332	504
52 Inorganic chemicals	7 311	1 084	176	1 251	57	431	1 300	130
53 Tanning and colouring materials	8 707	816	351	1 173	190	608	1 284	125
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	24 420	2 198	650	3 890	684	1 707	3 690	494
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	12 032	932	380	1 901	323	872	1 630	573
56 Fertilizers	2 496	274	65	442	61	166	643	147
57 Plastics in primary forms	26 822	2 931	693	5 207	367	1 553	3 722	395
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	11 651	1 009	427	2 019	151	737	2 096	241
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>	<b>188 298</b>	<b>18 747</b>	<b>5 542</b>	<b>37 481</b>	<b>2 808</b>	<b>11 510</b>	<b>29 707</b>	<b>3 079</b>
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	2 566	114	34	494	144	235	397	9
62 Rubber manufactures	11 772	915	275	2 683	142	977	1 573	135
63 Cork and wood manufactures	6 152	468	267	1 553	84	328	809	105
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	30 738	2 665	1 168	5 604	507	1 839	5 005	720
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	29 720	2 281	766	5 762	684	1 727	4 800	483
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	20 915	4 263	430	3 867	321	933	3 175	338
67 Iron and steel	38 528	3 422	1 143	7 907	426	2 589	6 178	416
68 Non-ferrous metals	21 287	2 044	482	4 900	119	1 124	3 353	309
69 Manufactures of metals	30 089	2 575	977	4 711	372	1 758	4 418	563
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>	<b>421 061</b>	<b>32 132</b>	<b>10 322</b>	<b>79 682</b>	<b>4 918</b>	<b>30 148</b>	<b>67 849</b>	<b>7 147</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	24 425	2 313	517	5 304	223	2 903	4 127	124
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	28 190	1 974	1 044	3 499	692	2 303	5 039	695
73 Metalworking machinery	5 822	589	125	748	82	374	1 092	58
74 General industry machinery and equipment	45 946	4 072	1 408	7 864	745	3 198	7 596	618
75 Office machines and computers	52 597	2 766	1 655	8 950	360	2 323	7 044	1 850
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	30 336	1 764	1 256	4 867	564	2 146	3 901	472
77 Electrical machinery	64 707	4 504	1 626	12 551	693	4 065	10 043	1 593
78 Road vehicles	146 636	13 519	2 502	29 276	1 474	12 167	18 936	1 556
79 Other transport equipment	22 401	631	188	6 623	84	669	10 071	181
<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>	<b>118 292</b>	<b>10 155</b>	<b>3 483</b>	<b>23 919</b>	<b>2 109</b>	<b>6 439</b>	<b>20 125</b>	<b>2 750</b>
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	5 570	491	184	1 350	108	293	778	122
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	11 906	1 355	321	3 009	151	410	1 968	160
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	1 321	122	38	240	23	75	296	30
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	26 208	2 417	768	6 160	626	1 400	4 259	771
85 Footwear	9 289	562	272	2 574	159	164	1 707	195
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	16 259	1 106	394	2 530	248	1 209	2 723	228
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	8 930	640	274	1 561	161	612	1 349	118
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	38 810	3 462	1 232	6 496	633	2 275	7 045	1 127
<b>Miscellaneous and adjustments</b>	<b>52 313</b>	<b>3 073</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>23 617</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>2 053</b>

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Reporter							Product list
I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	SITC Rev. 3
<b>111 346</b>	<b>98 528</b>	<b>42 564</b>	<b>23 583</b>	<b>17 934</b>	<b>39 155</b>	<b>145 698</b>	<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>
<b>11 878</b>	<b>8 583</b>	<b>2 699</b>	<b>2 143</b>	<b>1 060</b>	<b>2 075</b>	<b>12 498</b>	<b>0 Food and live animals</b>
990	492	43	85	1	4	167	00 Live animals
2 763	881	271	355	78	246	2 470	01 Meat and meat preparations
2 332	1 731	260	155	102	146	1 426	02 Dairy products and birds' eggs
1 407	385	145	333	32	136	360	03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs
1 371	1 441	331	470	150	202	1 453	04 Cereals and cereal preparations
1 507	1 869	733	365	326	682	3 781	05 Vegetables and fruit
377	252	138	40	46	114	344	06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey
319	515	368	123	113	200	844	07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices
502	693	198	107	76	162	523	08 Feeding stuff for animals
<b>1 640</b>	<b>1 298</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>3 018</b>	<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>
632	838	191	211	108	294	2 647	11 Beverages
1 009	460	44	37	34	62	370	12 Tobacco
<b>5 415</b>	<b>2 822</b>	<b>1 343</b>	<b>551</b>	<b>657</b>	<b>900</b>	<b>3 612</b>	<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>
605	110	61	35	85	15	119	21 Hides and skins, raw
19	112	15	37	14	23	154	22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits
269	114	58	46	19	44	153	23 Crude rubber
1 050	489	269	111	22	80	1 016	24 Cork and wood
489	408	191	42	24	81	306	25 Pulp and waste paper
998	168	93	122	39	27	357	26 Textile fibres and their wastes
407	441	123	75	155	143	274	27 Crude fertilizers
1 072	569	236	12	213	276	452	28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap
<b>1 526</b>	<b>3 294</b>	<b>775</b>	<b>587</b>	<b>655</b>	<b>1 808</b>	<b>1 804</b>	<b>3 Energy</b>
69	70	39	4	26	24	75	32 Coal, coke and briquettes
1 376	2 748	557	356	517	1 636	1 097	33 Petroleum and petroleum products
82	268	67	176	8	149	47	34 Gas, natural and manufactured
:	208	113	51	103	:	586	35 Electric current
<b>1 136</b>	<b>528</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>
45	66	8	5	3	36	73	41 Animal oils and fats
1 041	312	61	142	26	87	340	42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils
50	150	46	9	15	18	91	43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes
<b>17 767</b>	<b>11 563</b>	<b>4 927</b>	<b>2 750</b>	<b>2 570</b>	<b>4 467</b>	<b>18 331</b>	<b>5 Chemical products</b>
4 224	2 970	431	400	383	985	4 504	51 Organic chemicals
686	564	228	129	174	212	887	52 Inorganic chemicals
1 184	706	417	320	224	311	998	53 Tanning and colouring materials
2 567	2 186	1 295	513	460	833	3 253	54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products
1 307	911	541	336	237	378	1 711	55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics
201	133	33	50	11	66	203	56 Fertilizers
4 278	1 800	874	452	484	775	3 292	57 Plastics in primary forms
1 079	952	516	229	210	373	1 612	58 Plastics in non-primary forms
<b>19 241</b>	<b>14 769</b>	<b>8 287</b>	<b>5 085</b>	<b>2 743</b>	<b>6 160</b>	<b>23 141</b>	<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>
379	93	140	247	34	35	211	61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins
1 124	950	571	302	203	609	1 312	62 Rubber manufactures
458	607	386	106	49	177	757	63 Cork and wood manufactures
2 353	3 019	1 037	550	366	610	5 296	64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof
3 150	2 070	1 203	1 462	393	630	4 309	65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products
1 677	1 384	907	427	271	459	2 463	66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures
5 183	2 973	1 141	938	668	1 910	3 634	67 Iron and steel
3 008	1 266	1 110	425	270	646	2 230	68 Non-ferrous metals
1 909	5 896	1 792	628	489	1 084	2 917	69 Manufactures of metals
<b>42 806</b>	<b>31 302</b>	<b>16 786</b>	<b>9 174</b>	<b>7 664</b>	<b>16 787</b>	<b>64 346</b>	<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>
1 774	1 434	1 095	617	387	996	2 612	71 Power generating machinery and equipment
2 825	1 562	1 530	952	731	1 336	4 010	72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.
789	205	339	121	152	375	771	73 Metalworking machinery
4 608	2 826	2 663	922	1 099	2 313	6 015	74 General industry machinery and equipment
4 695	8 955	1 418	649	1 009	2 292	8 630	75 Office machines and computers
3 739	2 094	1 074	716	680	1 950	5 112	76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video
6 739	4 466	3 045	1 631	1 920	3 083	8 749	77 Electrical machinery
17 038	9 276	5 084	3 424	1 583	4 187	26 613	78 Road vehicles
598	485	538	141	103	255	1 834	79 Other transport equipment
<b>8 649</b>	<b>8 595</b>	<b>7 319</b>	<b>2 801</b>	<b>1 937</b>	<b>4 160</b>	<b>15 851</b>	<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>
346	515	375	136	83	136	653	81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting
357	1 109	978	210	147	373	1 358	82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses
117	48	78	37	17	24	176	83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods
1 384	1 604	1 818	732	450	796	3 024	84 Clothing and clothing accessories
432	533	536	205	109	237	1 603	85 Footwear
2 140	1 096	763	297	331	820	2 373	87 Professional, scientific, controlling material
1 010	751	393	204	159	388	1 310	88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks
2 863	2 938	2 379	980	640	1 386	5 353	89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles
<b>1 287</b>	<b>15 774</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>2 302</b>	<b>2 595</b>	<b>Miscellaneous and adjustments</b>

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Value (Mio ECU)

Product list SITC Rev. 3	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>	<b>868 994</b>	<b>78 267</b>	<b>21 578</b>	<b>179 298</b>	<b>10 618</b>	<b>55 712</b>	<b>135 446</b>	<b>17 255</b>
<b>0 Food and live animals</b>	<b>70 867</b>	<b>6 505</b>	<b>1 839</b>	<b>15 070</b>	<b>1 550</b>	<b>4 224</b>	<b>10 896</b>	<b>1 408</b>
00 Live animals	2 198	211	9	190	23	237	168	36
01 Meat and meat preparations	11 141	545	289	2 427	458	415	1 875	159
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	10 905	1 429	170	2 216	330	586	1 447	165
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	5 390	388	148	628	77	772	1 209	55
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	8 218	1 004	230	1 128	216	744	1 032	278
05 Vegetables and fruit	17 506	1 194	427	5 495	157	480	2 728	288
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	2 563	365	125	417	29	280	316	67
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	4 677	471	124	999	64	165	1 052	116
08 Feeding stuff for animals	3 747	527	184	626	90	145	466	110
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>12 008</b>	<b>1 192</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>2 183</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>794</b>	<b>2 075</b>	<b>251</b>
11 Beverages	8 297	911	281	1 683	148	567	1 011	205
12 Tobacco	3 711	281	13	500	137	226	1 065	46
<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>	<b>25 288</b>	<b>2 518</b>	<b>775</b>	<b>5 922</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>1 672</b>	<b>3 069</b>	<b>245</b>
21 Hides and skins, raw	993	35	41	81	41	88	45	4
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	939	106	28	473	3	49	47	6
23 Crude rubber	1 467	194	19	294	8	138	260	6
24 Cork and wood	4 141	294	360	565	45	247	360	91
25 Pulp and waste paper	2 503	95	18	799	2	118	295	4
26 Textile fibres and their wastes	2 299	235	15	325	28	160	283	36
27 Crude fertilizers	2 493	329	61	460	21	114	310	39
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	5 397	931	37	1 368	3	513	571	21
<b>3 Energy</b>	<b>21 396</b>	<b>4 296</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>6 576</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>2 797</b>	<b>416</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	646	85	6	181	2	26	126	14
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	16 343	3 455	272	4 591	75	525	2 162	304
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	3 035	534	2	1 543	2	42	361	96
35 Electric current	1 372	223	21	261	:	57	148	2
<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>	<b>3 707</b>	<b>391</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>80</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	346	41	24	42	2	32	49	3
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	2 590	256	78	251	38	51	425	48
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	772	94	35	142	4	40	139	29
<b>5 Chemical products</b>	<b>111 721</b>	<b>14 033</b>	<b>2 663</b>	<b>18 993</b>	<b>1 725</b>	<b>7 642</b>	<b>17 862</b>	<b>2 129</b>
51 Organic chemicals	25 308	4 770	230	4 326	191	1 620	3 757	381
52 Inorganic chemicals	5 772	993	132	904	67	377	1 012	85
53 Tanning and colouring materials	6 917	647	275	1 006	126	490	1 063	111
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	20 122	2 117	467	3 203	500	1 516	3 229	381
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	9 515	809	307	1 495	279	718	1 315	360
56 Fertilizers	1 900	224	45	378	23	133	546	92
57 Plastics in primary forms	20 196	2 377	538	4 113	231	1 247	2 977	296
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	9 123	863	345	1 450	92	612	1 713	196
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>	<b>144 928</b>	<b>15 060</b>	<b>4 383</b>	<b>27 962</b>	<b>1 964</b>	<b>9 597</b>	<b>24 366</b>	<b>2 339</b>
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	1 872	91	32	362	128	183	276	7
62 Rubber manufactures	9 101	853	202	1 945	82	859	1 272	110
63 Cork and wood manufactures	4 710	384	206	1 121	55	293	669	83
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	24 236	2 186	882	4 432	362	1 615	4 214	530
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	22 448	1 803	611	4 246	417	1 401	3 852	382
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	15 320	3 159	346	2 714	193	730	2 552	253
67 Iron and steel	30 667	2 913	984	6 044	357	2 134	5 390	332
68 Non-ferrous metals	15 824	1 565	369	3 589	73	885	2 513	221
69 Manufactures of metals	25 046	2 105	751	3 509	295	1 496	3 627	422
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>	<b>334 207</b>	<b>25 929</b>	<b>7 867</b>	<b>61 094</b>	<b>3 411</b>	<b>25 410</b>	<b>57 659</b>	<b>6 639</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	20 703	2 221	335	3 990	125	2 351	4 341	90
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	21 629	1 572	773	2 634	405	2 008	4 084	777
73 Metalworking machinery	4 477	436	117	577	47	322	948	44
74 General industry machinery and equipment	36 300	3 248	1 172	6 059	644	2 729	6 331	510
75 Office machines and computers	41 444	1 939	1 065	7 046	224	1 704	6 135	2 173
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	23 313	1 557	1 020	3 613	501	1 683	2 975	380
77 Electrical machinery	49 193	3 554	1 255	9 158	543	3 313	8 242	1 168
78 Road vehicles	117 433	11 164	2 030	21 290	869	10 828	15 979	1 431
79 Other transport equipment	19 715	236	101	6 726	51	473	8 624	66
<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>	<b>89 361</b>	<b>8 147</b>	<b>2 917</b>	<b>16 961</b>	<b>1 353</b>	<b>5 302</b>	<b>15 891</b>	<b>2 024</b>
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	3 975	388	153	893	63	235	611	95
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	9 089	1 124	354	2 095	95	329	1 626	133
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	1 013	96	37	166	14	65	237	20
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	20 644	1 998	624	4 344	406	1 218	3 585	577
85 Footwear	7 069	407	210	1 835	102	199	1 358	150
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	12 438	949	323	1 849	198	993	2 073	183
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	6 542	408	198	1 112	107	499	1 054	87
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	28 592	2 777	1 017	4 668	368	1 763	5 347	777
<b>Miscellaneous and adjustments</b>	<b>55 510</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>24 104</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>1 724</b>



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Reporter							Product list
I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	SITC Rev. 3
<b>87 269</b>	<b>75 409</b>	<b>32 567</b>	<b>18 001</b>	<b>14 205</b>	<b>30 672</b>	<b>112 696</b>	<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>
<b>9 080</b>	<b>5 277</b>	<b>1 843</b>	<b>1 665</b>	<b>822</b>	<b>1 563</b>	<b>9 126</b>	<b>0 Food and live animals</b>
851	337	32	45	2	2	57	00 Live animals
2 170	481	187	254	62	188	1 632	01 Meat and meat preparations
1 791	1 159	214	118	77	130	1 073	02 Dairy products and birds' eggs
1 094	239	95	250	29	95	311	03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs
902	758	225	400	128	175	999	04 Cereals and cereal preparations
1 151	1 142	439	316	243	490	2 956	05 Vegetables and fruit
278	169	94	29	38	88	267	06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey
246	320	238	81	63	140	599	07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices
363	468	153	84	63	108	361	08 Feeding stuff for animals
<b>1 251</b>	<b>797</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>2 109</b>	<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>
475	496	134	158	95	242	1 890	11 Beverages
775	301	36	33	25	53	219	12 Tobacco
<b>3 987</b>	<b>1 730</b>	<b>1 001</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>473</b>	<b>679</b>	<b>2 615</b>	<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>
413	52	40	27	48	9	69	21 Hides and skins, raw
15	39	11	22	21	27	93	22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits
219	84	46	29	17	35	120	23 Crude rubber
785	267	207	87	17	71	744	24 Cork and wood
364	321	154	22	24	83	204	25 Pulp and waste paper
651	109	65	101	29	19	243	26 Textile fibres and their wastes
300	296	92	49	112	114	196	27 Crude fertilizers
841	288	168	17	139	191	309	28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap
<b>974</b>	<b>1 926</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>419</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>752</b>	<b>1 267</b>	<b>3 Energy</b>
59	43	29	3	19	15	38	32 Coal, coke and briquettes
878	1 575	416	301	342	668	779	33 Petroleum and petroleum products
37	161	48	110	2	69	28	34 Gas, natural and manufactured
:	148	18	5	70	:	421	35 Electric current
<b>693</b>	<b>467</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>383</b>	<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>
41	52	5	3	3	6	40	41 Animal oils and fats
606	299	57	97	23	77	285	42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils
46	115	34	7	12	17	58	43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes
<b>13 863</b>	<b>7 290</b>	<b>3 811</b>	<b>2 101</b>	<b>1 995</b>	<b>3 537</b>	<b>14 075</b>	<b>5 Chemical products</b>
3 154	1 761	306	280	236	846	3 449	51 Organic chemicals
544	353	188	97	153	200	666	52 Inorganic chemicals
931	485	341	244	182	236	780	53 Tanning and colouring materials
2 237	1 358	1 054	422	369	636	2 635	54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products
1 082	631	378	287	182	309	1 364	55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics
157	96	24	28	6	13	134	56 Fertilizers
3 131	1 081	634	331	389	571	2 280	57 Plastics in primary forms
869	627	417	173	171	306	1 291	58 Plastics in non-primary forms
<b>15 117</b>	<b>9 778</b>	<b>6 408</b>	<b>3 868</b>	<b>2 146</b>	<b>4 679</b>	<b>17 262</b>	<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>
273	53	107	172	28	22	138	61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins
877	630	431	219	153	437	1 029	62 Rubber manufactures
374	358	299	77	41	147	602	63 Cork and wood manufactures
1 915	2 028	778	456	273	468	4 096	64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof
2 409	1 329	893	1 113	305	465	3 223	65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products
1 266	817	679	336	218	340	1 718	66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures
4 186	2 124	924	697	532	1 426	2 623	67 Iron and steel
2 305	811	900	298	209	505	1 583	68 Non-ferrous metals
1 510	5 926	1 396	501	386	870	2 251	69 Manufactures of metals
<b>34 702</b>	<b>22 191</b>	<b>12 478</b>	<b>7 042</b>	<b>6 327</b>	<b>13 074</b>	<b>50 384</b>	<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>
1 562	1 068	880	428	383	875	2 054	71 Power generating machinery and equipment
2 390	1 141	986	745	535	837	2 740	72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.
596	160	225	73	106	251	576	73 Metalworking machinery
3 922	1 830	1 953	721	836	1 749	4 597	74 General industry machinery and equipment
3 601	6 095	924	439	863	1 814	7 422	75 Office machines and computers
3 064	1 457	791	583	553	1 573	3 561	76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video
5 176	2 979	2 140	1 237	1 564	2 513	6 351	77 Electrical machinery
13 665	7 273	3 916	2 688	1 396	3 262	21 642	78 Road vehicles
724	188	664	128	91	201	1 441	79 Other transport equipment
<b>6 791</b>	<b>5 303</b>	<b>5 525</b>	<b>2 158</b>	<b>1 524</b>	<b>3 219</b>	<b>12 249</b>	<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>
252	271	278	96	63	96	480	81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting
279	651	714	178	124	287	1 101	82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses
91	41	57	31	13	18	128	83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods
1 167	1 168	1 368	567	362	626	2 634	84 Clothing and clothing accessories
353	342	423	157	90	209	1 232	85 Footwear
1 654	754	536	249	253	603	1 820	87 Professional, scientific, controlling material
784	378	292	153	122	349	999	88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks
2 210	1 697	1 859	727	497	1 031	3 855	89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles
<b>813</b>	<b>20 650</b>	<b>723</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>2 774</b>	<b>3 227</b>	<b>Miscellaneous and adjustments</b>

# BREAKDOWN BY MEMBER STATE OF GOODS TRADED EXTRA-EU

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Value (Mio ECU)

Product list SITC Rev. 3	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>	<b>720 492</b>	<b>39 143</b>	<b>14 609</b>	<b>201 020</b>	<b>4 885</b>	<b>27 707</b>	<b>101 175</b>	<b>14 665</b>
<b>0 Food and live animals</b>	<b>33 473</b>	<b>2 247</b>	<b>3 196</b>	<b>5 057</b>	<b>628</b>	<b>2 444</b>	<b>5 800</b>	<b>1 280</b>
00 Live animals	662	20	11	155	1	13	137	17
01 Meat and meat preparations	4 533	318	1 366	344	56	157	857	331
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	4 935	237	536	935	27	82	958	211
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	1 684	12	257	105	19	407	221	76
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	5 820	541	340	740	81	251	1 602	18
05 Vegetables and fruit	4 537	226	55	405	360	887	404	9
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	2 461	311	97	406	16	254	506	33
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	3 082	170	52	884	26	170	258	25
08 Feeding stuff for animals	1 779	220	189	491	19	40	185	5
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>12 363</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>1 120</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>441</b>	<b>3 553</b>	<b>231</b>
11 Beverages	9 977	112	76	582	56	391	3 436	218
12 Tobacco	2 386	66	44	538	299	49	117	12
<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>	<b>13 086</b>	<b>745</b>	<b>468</b>	<b>2 322</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>1 152</b>	<b>201</b>
21 Hides and skins, raw	1 011	28	240	88	8	35	48	27
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	225	2	2	32	9	7	101	:
23 Crude rubber	719	139	0	149	0	6	199	1
24 Cork and wood	1 994	36	39	220	7	25	126	2
25 Pulp and waste paper	759	20	2	179	2	43	42	0
26 Textile fibres and their wastes	1 914	155	7	456	212	78	179	13
27 Crude fertilizers	1 435	86	14	225	44	219	138	29
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	2 853	238	32	519	52	187	93	123
<b>3 Energy</b>	<b>17 022</b>	<b>1 320</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>1 872</b>	<b>739</b>	<b>1 161</b>	<b>2 398</b>	<b>27</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	133	8	1	33	3	3	4	2
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	14 898	1 291	186	1 395	715	1 117	1 282	25
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	807	21	3	321	21	18	201	0
35 Electric current	1 185	0	56	124	:	22	912	:
<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>	<b>2 569</b>	<b>214</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>3</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	124	3	32	16	1	4	17	0
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	2 086	195	17	287	44	416	195	:
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	358	16	51	97	2	12	10	3
<b>5 Chemical products</b>	<b>93 022</b>	<b>7 578</b>	<b>1 785</b>	<b>27 345</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>2 717</b>	<b>14 469</b>	<b>4 264</b>
51 Organic chemicals	20 281	2 153	263	5 382	32	566	2 679	1 936
52 Inorganic chemicals	4 305	415	10	1 394	12	178	838	18
53 Tanning and colouring materials	7 287	311	165	2 820	46	393	738	21
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	23 181	2 017	945	6 164	28	414	3 410	1 215
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	9 336	269	87	1 934	96	359	3 078	607
56 Fertilizers	913	128	48	212	51	42	69	0
57 Plastics in primary forms	9 896	1 218	25	3 411	45	336	1 146	45
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	5 517	293	103	2 172	50	181	363	18
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>	<b>114 723</b>	<b>13 649</b>	<b>1 224</b>	<b>29 067</b>	<b>1 040</b>	<b>5 951</b>	<b>12 018</b>	<b>461</b>
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	3 555	30	30	548	18	307	236	42
62 Rubber manufactures	4 549	155	25	1 408	15	412	698	24
63 Cork and wood manufactures	2 907	89	88	725	26	196	295	9
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	13 598	302	121	3 495	61	429	1 189	7
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	19 826	1 594	267	5 658	110	829	2 282	75
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	23 904	9 042	168	2 637	293	1 421	1 733	170
67 Iron and steel	18 491	1 246	143	5 496	160	1 196	2 505	10
68 Non-ferrous metals	8 579	721	35	2 847	231	283	943	15
69 Manufactures of metals	18 321	434	348	5 733	126	878	2 054	108
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>	<b>330 842</b>	<b>9 400</b>	<b>4 461</b>	<b>109 984</b>	<b>525</b>	<b>9 688</b>	<b>50 840</b>	<b>5 929</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	29 079	530	371	9 843	66	393	4 100	123
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	46 359	1 094	781	16 922	70	893	4 048	107
73 Metalworking machinery	8 732	236	65	3 707	4	368	525	32
74 General industry machinery and equipment	45 985	1 237	1 251	16 221	65	1 427	4 799	298
75 Office machines and computers	19 524	583	247	3 284	19	419	2 273	2 827
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	27 282	857	474	5 455	45	723	3 509	583
77 Electrical machinery	51 690	1 074	531	17 644	135	1 302	8 373	1 897
78 Road vehicles	65 597	3 356	261	32 816	67	2 761	5 829	7
79 Other transport equipment	36 594	434	479	4 092	53	1 403	17 385	54
<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>	<b>88 718</b>	<b>2 054</b>	<b>2 098</b>	<b>19 898</b>	<b>785</b>	<b>3 278</b>	<b>10 564</b>	<b>1 671</b>
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	3 387	131	89	796	19	215	320	8
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	7 975	151	437	1 280	22	433	617	16
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	2 062	44	5	172	2	50	758	2
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	13 883	194	331	2 268	395	371	1 923	38
85 Footwear	6 032	19	97	496	39	753	364	4
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	17 669	248	412	6 170	35	226	2 253	418
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	8 007	534	128	2 207	9	114	837	132
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	29 703	733	599	6 509	265	1 116	3 493	1 053
<b>9 Articles not classified elsewhere</b>	<b>13 558</b>	<b>1 757</b>	<b>909</b>	<b>3 811</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>918</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>599</b>

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I	Reporter						Product list SITC Rev. 3
	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	
<b>95 470</b>	<b>38 398</b>	<b>19 829</b>	<b>4 053</b>	<b>17 112</b>	<b>32 398</b>	<b>110 029</b>	<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>
<b>3 072</b>	<b>4 777</b>	<b>667</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>622</b>	<b>2 892</b>	<b>0 Food and live animals</b>
10	73	13	0	3	5	206	00 Live animals
195	529	85	29	40	37	188	01 Meat and meat preparations
260	1 051	34	13	157	42	393	02 Dairy products and birds' eggs
68	270	4	40	16	31	158	03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs
992	284	82	22	128	166	572	04 Cereals and cereal preparations
866	931	124	53	40	26	150	05 Vegetables and fruit
121	201	59	6	27	34	391	06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey
273	447	144	4	80	105	443	07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices
110	326	54	5	17	16	102	08 Feeding stuff for animals
<b>1 021</b>	<b>1 047</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>3 729</b>	<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>
923	901	114	152	63	176	2 777	11 Beverages
98	146	32	5	10	17	952	12 Tobacco
<b>866</b>	<b>1 943</b>	<b>497</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>940</b>	<b>1 305</b>	<b>1 432</b>	<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>
40	135	10	0	208	17	128	21 Hides and skins, raw
9	37	8	0	0	1	17	22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits
29	51	6	0	1	4	132	23 Crude rubber
116	45	223	34	464	642	15	24 Cork and wood
7	45	36	42	96	233	12	25 Pulp and waste paper
135	89	93	41	34	17	406	26 Textile fibres and their wastes
226	72	87	14	35	30	215	27 Crude fertilizers
127	565	13	53	95	338	419	28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap
<b>2 531</b>	<b>1 412</b>	<b>338</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>3 575</b>	<b>3 Energy</b>
8	24	0	0	2	5	39	32 Coal, coke and briquettes
2 474	1 317	269	300	393	678	3 456	33 Petroleum and petroleum products
49	70	1	0	1	20	81	34 Gas, natural and manufactured
:	:	67	:	3	:	:	35 Electric current
<b>490</b>	<b>382</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>
7	14	2	5	1	7	13	41 Animal oils and fats
470	291	10	96	6	15	44	42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils
13	77	6	1	5	23	45	43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes
<b>7 476</b>	<b>7 018</b>	<b>2 342</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>1 141</b>	<b>2 486</b>	<b>13 770</b>	<b>5 Chemical products</b>
1 607	2 019	293	45	118	248	2 939	51 Organic chemicals
233	194	134	5	125	69	679	52 Inorganic chemicals
645	565	200	21	230	145	987	53 Tanning and colouring materials
1 723	1 363	774	62	91	1 089	3 888	54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products
607	399	133	25	80	123	1 538	55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics
24	158	25	2	89	39	26	56 Fertilizers
951	1 194	121	49	158	366	830	57 Plastics in primary forms
768	270	314	16	123	164	681	58 Plastics in non-primary forms
<b>18 668</b>	<b>4 118</b>	<b>4 684</b>	<b>1 159</b>	<b>4 315</b>	<b>5 271</b>	<b>13 098</b>	<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>
1 743	73	125	24	58	29	290	61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins
554	223	183	16	92	207	536	62 Rubber manufactures
363	37	237	288	208	258	88	63 Cork and wood manufactures
950	615	952	65	2 510	1 596	1 307	64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof
4 851	890	618	379	145	299	1 830	65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products
3 641	238	733	219	191	264	3 154	66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures
2 653	707	574	36	456	1 127	2 182	67 Iron and steel
618	381	288	5	287	377	1 548	68 Non-ferrous metals
3 295	900	887	127	369	996	2 068	69 Manufactures of metals
<b>37 512</b>	<b>12 647</b>	<b>8 553</b>	<b>1 001</b>	<b>8 383</b>	<b>18 837</b>	<b>53 081</b>	<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>
2 265	919	814	66	744	960	7 885	71 Power generating machinery and equipment
10 148	1 727	1 476	84	1 551	2 222	5 235	72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.
1 979	165	244	17	120	376	896	73 Metalworking machinery
8 859	1 505	1 384	173	919	2 083	5 763	74 General industry machinery and equipment
900	1 945	332	18	375	397	5 903	75 Office machines and computers
1 169	848	906	76	2 216	5 691	4 729	76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video
4 961	3 422	1 695	358	1 130	2 175	6 992	77 Electrical machinery
4 967	1 430	1 381	127	602	4 178	7 816	78 Road vehicles
2 264	686	321	81	725	756	7 862	79 Other transport equipment
<b>22 316</b>	<b>3 683</b>	<b>2 466</b>	<b>689</b>	<b>1 243</b>	<b>2 891</b>	<b>15 082</b>	<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>
775	186	171	19	143	207	310	81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting
3 462	128	208	36	133	514	537	82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses
917	22	9	1	5	6	67	83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods
5 744	214	341	288	108	169	1 500	84 Clothing and clothing accessories
3 363	70	129	194	49	30	424	85 Footwear
1 147	869	454	37	330	814	4 255	87 Professional, scientific, controlling material
1 315	1 223	175	9	28	124	1 173	88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks
5 593	972	979	105	445	1 027	6 815	89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles
<b>1 517</b>	<b>399</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>3 269</b>	<b>9 Articles not classified elsewhere</b>

# BREAKDOWN BY MEMBER STATE OF GOODS TRADED EXTRA-EU

## EXPORTS JANUARY – SEPTEMBER 1998

Value (Mio ECU)

Product list SITC Rev. 3	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>	<b>546 949</b>	<b>29 501</b>	<b>10 473</b>	<b>156 980</b>	<b>3 598</b>	<b>20 490</b>	<b>79 742</b>	<b>13 193</b>
<b>0 Food and live animals</b>	<b>23 951</b>	<b>1 553</b>	<b>2 223</b>	<b>3 762</b>	<b>483</b>	<b>1 771</b>	<b>4 208</b>	<b>955</b>
00 Live animals	418	15	11	118	0	9	91	14
01 Meat and meat preparations	3 096	214	909	232	21	106	598	261
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	3 553	167	378	645	19	80	752	90
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	1 161	9	164	82	11	293	153	46
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	3 724	303	198	545	45	127	1 047	17
05 Vegetables and fruit	3 427	184	43	310	327	680	286	4
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	1 920	289	67	305	13	175	363	16
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	2 079	101	38	574	19	115	186	55
08 Feeding stuff for animals	1 466	146	174	455	11	44	139	3
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>8 757</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>879</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>2 686</b>	<b>175</b>
11 Beverages	7 021	73	50	441	36	329	2 601	168
12 Tobacco	1 736	38	32	438	214	29	85	7
<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>	<b>8 655</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>1 564</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>461</b>	<b>905</b>	<b>121</b>
21 Hides and skins, raw	607	13	155	61	6	26	27	9
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	260	3	2	57	6	2	132	0
23 Crude rubber	503	117	1	94	0	6	139	0
24 Cork and wood	1 446	29	31	204	5	17	103	1
25 Pulp and waste paper	509	18	1	105	3	32	28	0
26 Textile fibres and their wastes	1 197	116	5	201	117	40	133	11
27 Crude fertilizers	1 014	59	9	179	28	155	99	9
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	1 431	119	16	296	31	119	62	82
<b>3 Energy</b>	<b>10 561</b>	<b>991</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>1 058</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>819</b>	<b>1 785</b>	<b>15</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	109	7	2	26	1	2	3	2
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	9 252	980	98	899	451	784	972	13
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	306	4	4	18	16	15	115	:
35 Electric current	893	:	28	115	:	18	695	:
<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>	<b>2 044</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>369</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>5</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	96	2	20	14	1	3	13	0
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	1 687	159	7	270	39	318	153	0
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	261	22	30	85	2	10	7	4
<b>5 Chemical products</b>	<b>71 394</b>	<b>6 484</b>	<b>1 291</b>	<b>21 358</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>2 123</b>	<b>10 828</b>	<b>4 523</b>
51 Organic chemicals	15 114	1 986	186	3 957	19	441	1 889	2 030
52 Inorganic chemicals	3 080	308	8	1 108	7	77	525	20
53 Tanning and colouring materials	5 325	230	109	2 101	36	299	504	9
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	19 444	1 637	687	5 676	23	337	2 784	1 651
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	7 127	239	65	1 528	70	318	2 277	485
56 Fertilizers	540	142	23	62	29	25	40	0
57 Plastics in primary forms	6 904	947	21	2 288	36	249	817	43
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	4 489	317	85	1 721	40	166	281	22
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>	<b>85 285</b>	<b>9 798</b>	<b>954</b>	<b>22 373</b>	<b>731</b>	<b>4 245</b>	<b>9 138</b>	<b>300</b>
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	2 401	23	21	414	15	137	175	29
62 Rubber manufactures	3 598	132	20	1 142	12	309	584	19
63 Cork and wood manufactures	2 375	62	65	607	16	145	246	11
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	10 271	232	92	2 630	40	335	860	7
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	15 056	1 139	213	4 329	103	650	1 743	54
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	17 232	6 279	130	2 215	163	1 084	1 259	103
67 Iron and steel	13 590	1 011	114	4 035	122	728	1 965	4
68 Non-ferrous metals	6 259	518	29	2 281	163	156	673	16
69 Manufactures of metals	14 514	402	270	4 504	97	702	1 634	57
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>	<b>254 197</b>	<b>7 820</b>	<b>3 197</b>	<b>86 380</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>7 398</b>	<b>41 824</b>	<b>5 192</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	24 232	437	276	8 242	57	464	3 863	104
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	33 450	1 162	508	12 770	49	609	3 310	82
73 Metalworking machinery	6 363	137	38	2 781	4	234	363	18
74 General industry machinery and equipment	35 246	1 196	904	12 514	57	993	3 824	191
75 Office machines and computers	15 361	513	180	2 899	16	298	1 600	2 426
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	20 288	775	317	3 464	52	604	3 056	741
77 Electrical machinery	39 930	869	389	13 961	99	1 019	6 833	1 534
78 Road vehicles	50 577	2 455	198	26 364	47	2 313	4 756	6
79 Other transport equipment	28 750	276	388	3 385	37	863	14 219	89
<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>	<b>66 390</b>	<b>1 710</b>	<b>1 563</b>	<b>15 380</b>	<b>689</b>	<b>2 483</b>	<b>8 028</b>	<b>1 431</b>
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	2 475	112	58	612	12	156	236	7
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	5 846	113	330	1 064	16	300	510	14
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	1 352	29	4	104	3	33	511	5
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	10 800	151	276	1 838	267	323	1 509	23
85 Footwear	4 423	15	62	378	21	556	281	1
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	13 533	191	282	4 831	22	180	1 696	521
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	5 690	408	106	1 517	8	89	630	84
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	22 271	690	445	5 036	340	845	2 655	776
<b>9 Articles not classified elsewhere</b>	<b>10 838</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>657</b>	<b>3 391</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>476</b>

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*Value (Mio ECU)*

Reporter							Product list
I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	SITC Rev. 3
<b>71 188</b>	<b>29 711</b>	<b>14 935</b>	<b>3 032</b>	<b>12 931</b>	<b>23 566</b>	<b>77 607</b>	<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>
<b>2 252</b>	<b>3 398</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>1 930</b>	<b>0 Food and live animals</b>
3	61	8	0	2	4	81	00 Live animals
148	360	70	21	26	20	111	01 Meat and meat preparations
197	787	25	8	114	30	263	02 Dairy products and birds' eggs
56	181	2	24	10	22	108	03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs
685	155	62	13	76	122	329	04 Cereals and cereal preparations
646	677	100	28	29	21	92	05 Vegetables and fruit
108	135	47	11	20	23	348	06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey
174	304	80	3	41	72	316	07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices
82	264	40	4	12	10	81	08 Feeding stuff for animals
<b>859</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>2 368</b>	<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>
781	455	82	109	44	156	1 696	11 Beverages
78	94	23	3	11	12	672	12 Tobacco
<b>637</b>	<b>1 106</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>578</b>	<b>845</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>
25	50	5	0	143	12	75	21 Hides and skins, raw
2	31	13	0	0	1	11	22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits
19	21	4	0	2	2	97	23 Crude rubber
93	26	167	28	296	437	10	24 Cork and wood
4	36	24	28	56	160	13	25 Pulp and waste paper
97	67	66	20	21	16	288	26 Textile fibres and their wastes
162	35	65	9	25	30	150	27 Crude fertilizers
88	165	6	23	30	171	224	28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap
<b>1 590</b>	<b>856</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>1 977</b>	<b>3 Energy</b>
4	23	0	2	2	5	29	32 Coal, coke and briquettes
1 560	792	174	171	206	258	1 892	33 Petroleum and petroleum products
26	41	3	0	0	7	56	34 Gas, natural and manufactured
:	:	35	:	3	:	:	35 Electric current
<b>324</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>
8	8	1	3	1	5	15	41 Animal oils and fats
306	303	6	68	3	12	41	42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils
9	52	5	0	6	3	26	43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes
<b>5 848</b>	<b>4 034</b>	<b>1 795</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>861</b>	<b>1 851</b>	<b>9 923</b>	<b>5 Chemical products</b>
1 172	764	250	30	88	102	2 198	51 Organic chemicals
169	126	105	4	86	33	501	52 Inorganic chemicals
481	362	158	19	186	129	702	53 Tanning and colouring materials
1 506	880	560	50	87	939	2 628	54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products
515	265	99	19	56	97	1 094	55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics
20	81	25	2	55	10	25	56 Fertilizers
698	708	91	29	111	267	599	57 Plastics in primary forms
598	206	285	16	97	128	526	58 Plastics in non-primary forms
<b>13 913</b>	<b>2 678</b>	<b>3 625</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>3 339</b>	<b>3 929</b>	<b>9 331</b>	<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>
1 216	57	86	13	33	18	166	61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins
432	88	126	14	61	153	507	62 Rubber manufactures
280	28	188	235	163	262	66	63 Cork and wood manufactures
730	448	706	48	2 008	1 209	926	64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof
3 673	645	490	310	111	255	1 342	65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products
2 756	183	498	155	143	192	2 072	66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures
1 883	492	604	30	359	804	1 439	67 Iron and steel
465	256	231	4	152	292	1 023	68 Non-ferrous metals
2 479	708	696	122	310	744	1 791	69 Manufactures of metals
<b>28 570</b>	<b>9 935</b>	<b>6 496</b>	<b>808</b>	<b>6 518</b>	<b>12 530</b>	<b>37 115</b>	<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>
1 610	792	574	56	585	824	6 348	71 Power generating machinery and equipment
6 702	1 106	1 081	64	1 023	1 066	3 918	72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.
1 397	121	196	11	79	244	742	73 Metalworking machinery
6 852	1 202	1 021	149	697	1 470	4 176	74 General industry machinery and equipment
587	2 178	206	19	273	291	3 874	75 Office machines and computers
906	492	663	66	1 856	3 741	3 555	76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video
3 578	2 427	1 355	275	1 030	1 587	4 974	77 Electrical machinery
3 777	1 224	1 128	112	451	2 618	5 128	78 Road vehicles
3 160	392	272	57	523	688	4 400	79 Other transport equipment
<b>16 319</b>	<b>2 541</b>	<b>1 781</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>969</b>	<b>2 091</b>	<b>10 902</b>	<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>
565	108	114	16	103	148	229	81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting
2 286	81	152	26	97	417	440	82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses
589	11	7	1	4	4	47	83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods
4 470	149	271	227	82	133	1 081	84 Clothing and clothing accessories
2 472	59	87	133	32	25	300	85 Footwear
835	612	316	25	256	577	3 190	87 Professional, scientific, controlling material
951	843	121	7	22	121	784	88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks
4 152	678	715	69	374	666	4 831	89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles
<b>877</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>3 049</b>	<b>9 Articles not classified elsewhere</b>

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## IMPORTS 1997

Value (Mio ECU)

Product list SITC Rev. 3	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>	<b>670 989</b>	<b>41 020</b>	<b>11 788</b>	<b>160 446</b>	<b>8 161</b>	<b>33 744</b>	<b>85 665</b>	<b>11 406</b>
<b>0 Food and live animals</b>	<b>44 215</b>	<b>3 186</b>	<b>1 886</b>	<b>8 924</b>	<b>554</b>	<b>4 057</b>	<b>5 320</b>	<b>336</b>
00 Live animals	584	9	2	51	25	12	38	45
01 Meat and meat preparations	3 238	202	15	867	55	119	313	4
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	804	33	19	151	4	13	75	1
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	8 923	341	1 087	1 132	130	1 634	1 087	4
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	1 957	198	11	154	33	279	196	7
05 Vegetables and fruit	12 336	1 556	98	2 732	126	737	1 502	46
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	1 633	39	27	179	8	55	127	22
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	8 844	526	176	2 772	122	560	1 039	52
08 Feeding stuff for animals	5 165	251	437	711	41	626	841	151
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>4 059</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>942</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>39</b>
11 Beverages	1 861	38	54	365	21	107	129	38
12 Tobacco	2 197	115	86	577	39	273	70	1
<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>	<b>40 103</b>	<b>2 906</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>7 997</b>	<b>517</b>	<b>3 676</b>	<b>3 591</b>	<b>291</b>
21 Hides and skins, raw	1 076	24	92	81	16	75	93	0
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	5 096	486	35	978	130	872	250	8
23 Crude rubber	1 766	261	4	360	10	198	283	8
24 Cork and wood	6 209	396	114	841	134	472	512	78
25 Pulp and waste paper	3 890	164	10	912	51	140	597	13
26 Textile fibres and their wastes	4 436	227	24	841	25	266	480	30
27 Crude fertilizers	2 848	323	80	473	52	251	213	44
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	12 000	965	11	2 725	85	1 267	896	84
<b>3 Energy</b>	<b>84 872</b>	<b>2 508</b>	<b>973</b>	<b>17 910</b>	<b>1 720</b>	<b>8 406</b>	<b>14 241</b>	<b>534</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	6 373	593	19	908	63	458	676	137
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	65 449	962	921	11 993	1 596	6 497	10 574	396
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	12 484	944	2	4 796	10	1 451	2 950	0
35 Electric current	566	8	32	214	51	0	40	:
<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>	<b>2 553</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>626</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>6</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	233	52	10	24	1	18	12	0
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	2 035	130	52	509	28	204	149	4
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	285	18	11	93	4	25	11	2
<b>5 Chemical products</b>	<b>51 362</b>	<b>5 272</b>	<b>711</b>	<b>10 607</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>2 478</b>	<b>7 647</b>	<b>1 291</b>
51 Organic chemicals	15 149	1 647	145	2 796	72	946	2 306	521
52 Inorganic chemicals	4 685	348	78	960	74	263	909	33
53 Tanning and colouring materials	2 736	292	47	584	38	115	471	23
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	10 755	999	96	2 387	182	495	1 506	294
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	2 445	139	32	458	26	80	601	45
56 Fertilizers	1 772	120	73	240	58	133	274	39
57 Plastics in primary forms	5 553	1 040	121	1 107	73	144	361	61
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	2 853	239	53	852	25	75	287	63
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>	<b>87 640</b>	<b>11 453</b>	<b>1 259</b>	<b>20 858</b>	<b>1 634</b>	<b>3 339</b>	<b>7 068</b>	<b>524</b>
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	2 685	35	25	301	76	291	118	1
62 Rubber manufactures	3 904	255	68	1 068	67	182	352	39
63 Cork and wood manufactures	4 473	306	140	1 590	40	108	301	42
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	5 685	344	98	1 342	91	294	571	27
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	15 499	1 521	228	3 738	313	757	1 321	111
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	16 758	7 059	107	2 097	101	286	679	54
67 Iron and steel	9 273	582	138	2 333	349	573	572	33
68 Non-ferrous metals	16 999	818	202	3 970	451	448	2 001	69
69 Manufactures of metals	12 445	535	253	4 419	123	398	1 153	147
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>	<b>228 546</b>	<b>9 514</b>	<b>3 024</b>	<b>56 009</b>	<b>2 103</b>	<b>7 259</b>	<b>33 507</b>	<b>6 730</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	19 460	837	185	5 042	117	676	3 418	283
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	11 946	682	280	3 097	165	470	1 482	257
73 Metalworking machinery	4 913	234	57	1 556	22	151	556	64
74 General industry machinery and equipment	18 239	1 053	330	4 953	225	920	2 097	284
75 Office machines and computers	45 605	757	367	10 108	98	845	5 261	3 286
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	22 865	1 061	399	4 935	145	935	2 996	308
77 Electrical machinery	50 146	1 645	435	14 530	183	933	5 910	1 626
78 Road vehicles	29 968	2 444	566	9 263	614	1 339	1 773	241
79 Other transport equipment	25 404	801	405	2 524	533	990	10 015	380
<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>	<b>108 685</b>	<b>5 398</b>	<b>2 370</b>	<b>32 850</b>	<b>924</b>	<b>3 537</b>	<b>13 651</b>	<b>1 342</b>
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	1 985	130	48	822	26	60	162	14
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	6 173	354	224	2 689	30	96	684	36
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	2 811	167	45	730	28	132	438	13
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	38 743	1 914	1 117	13 989	235	954	5 152	191
85 Footwear	7 028	580	139	1 638	98	222	743	29
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	14 555	638	225	3 819	108	469	2 123	365
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	9 429	412	99	2 512	83	531	1 319	59
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	27 960	1 202	473	6 652	317	1 071	3 030	636
<b>9 Articles not classified elsewhere</b>	<b>17 686</b>	<b>431</b>	<b>887</b>	<b>3 723</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>314</b>

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Reporter							Product list
I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	SITC Rev. 3
<b>72 329</b>	<b>69 659</b>	<b>15 405</b>	<b>7 328</b>	<b>9 937</b>	<b>18 644</b>	<b>125 457</b>	<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>
<b>4 334</b>	<b>4 799</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>1 038</b>	<b>475</b>	<b>1 284</b>	<b>7 454</b>	<b>0 Food and live animals</b>
236	17	3	1	1	6	140	00 Live animals
276	402	87	23	3	43	827	01 Meat and meat preparations
110	174	16	3	5	5	197	02 Dairy products and birds' eggs
796	557	21	345	58	385	1 347	03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs
411	161	24	101	14	35	334	04 Cereals and cereal preparations
876	1 829	236	154	104	310	2 029	05 Vegetables and fruit
82	81	21	141	29	12	810	06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey
871	973	106	92	227	354	972	07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices
631	508	29	173	25	90	650	08 Feeding stuff for animals
<b>151</b>	<b>573</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>1 222</b>	<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>
42	131	18	2	22	84	809	11 Beverages
109	442	16	22	23	11	413	12 Tobacco
<b>6 629</b>	<b>4 903</b>	<b>1 029</b>	<b>813</b>	<b>1 219</b>	<b>922</b>	<b>5 145</b>	<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>
565	27	10	9	14	8	61	21 Hides and skins, raw
295	1 328	26	214	59	10	404	22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits
228	60	32	23	18	24	255	23 Crude rubber
1 102	462	303	213	326	374	881	24 Cork and wood
901	334	101	13	35	67	552	25 Pulp and waste paper
1 557	62	56	278	7	22	562	26 Textile fibres and their wastes
614	230	111	19	97	87	254	27 Crude fertilizers
1 122	1 671	360	20	642	299	1 853	28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap
<b>13 038</b>	<b>9 327</b>	<b>2 244</b>	<b>1 821</b>	<b>1 980</b>	<b>2 650</b>	<b>7 521</b>	<b>3 Energy</b>
784	762	260	211	321	193	988	32 Coal, coke and briquettes
11 726	7 879	1 356	1 588	1 244	2 380	6 338	33 Petroleum and petroleum products
528	686	491	22	332	78	195	34 Gas, natural and manufactured
:	0	137	:	84	:	:	35 Electric current
<b>466</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>
10	56	0	0	1	3	47	41 Animal oils and fats
446	231	9	15	1	13	245	42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils
10	33	4	2	1	12	59	43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes
<b>6 123</b>	<b>5 814</b>	<b>1 193</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>622</b>	<b>1 294</b>	<b>7 342</b>	<b>5 Chemical products</b>
1 745	2 242	159	109	164	204	2 093	51 Organic chemicals
374	448	134	17	117	166	764	52 Inorganic chemicals
326	215	51	19	19	96	440	53 Tanning and colouring materials
1 633	956	395	116	87	251	1 356	54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products
161	241	79	14	17	56	497	55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics
366	102	37	16	31	50	232	56 Fertilizers
779	644	153	23	73	231	743	57 Plastics in primary forms
229	336	92	9	34	92	467	58 Plastics in non-primary forms
<b>10 577</b>	<b>7 007</b>	<b>2 471</b>	<b>873</b>	<b>943</b>	<b>2 235</b>	<b>17 399</b>	<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>
1 370	76	46	136	12	24	175	61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins
444	358	128	63	37	129	714	62 Rubber manufactures
380	324	184	31	37	145	846	63 Cork and wood manufactures
574	449	194	31	51	171	1 449	64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof
2 511	835	411	302	125	344	2 980	65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products
597	374	334	76	74	178	4 742	66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures
1 935	668	294	84	278	287	1 148	67 Iron and steel
1 840	3 025	328	82	185	510	3 069	68 Non-ferrous metals
927	1 005	551	69	143	448	2 273	69 Manufactures of metals
<b>14 020</b>	<b>25 824</b>	<b>5 228</b>	<b>1 889</b>	<b>3 538</b>	<b>7 088</b>	<b>52 812</b>	<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>
1 061	1 224	394	105	167	692	5 259	71 Power generating machinery and equipment
1 049	824	387	139	243	450	2 422	72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.
604	205	154	50	60	175	1 022	73 Metalworking machinery
1 659	1 387	518	140	229	685	3 758	74 General industry machinery and equipment
1 547	10 619	374	118	401	640	11 185	75 Office machines and computers
1 258	2 482	571	180	309	1 012	6 274	76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video
2 684	6 059	1 124	414	1 049	1 967	11 586	77 Electrical machinery
3 016	2 238	1 273	613	418	1 105	5 066	78 Road vehicles
1 141	787	433	133	661	361	6 240	79 Other transport equipment
<b>9 522</b>	<b>9 793</b>	<b>2 461</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>1 109</b>	<b>3 042</b>	<b>22 197</b>	<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>
97	133	131	7	25	94	236	81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting
255	423	227	11	66	277	802	82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses
323	229	48	13	20	69	554	83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods
3 301	3 142	760	67	353	1 075	6 493	84 Clothing and clothing accessories
1 474	481	191	75	63	129	1 167	85 Footwear
1 103	1 534	276	94	148	454	3 198	87 Professional, scientific, controlling material
1 021	896	175	70	65	173	2 014	88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks
1 949	2 955	653	152	369	769	7 734	89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles
<b>7 470</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4 014</b>	<b>9 Articles not classified elsewhere</b>

# BREAKDOWN BY MEMBER STATE OF GOODS TRADED EXTRA-EU

## IMPORTS JANUARY – SEPTEMBER 1998

Value (Mio ECU)

Product list SITC Rev. 3	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>	<b>532 358</b>	<b>32 910</b>	<b>9 228</b>	<b>128 150</b>	<b>6 396</b>	<b>26 546</b>	<b>66 774</b>	<b>10 774</b>
<b>0 Food and live animals</b>	<b>33 627</b>	<b>2 570</b>	<b>1 435</b>	<b>6 356</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>3 199</b>	<b>3 996</b>	<b>235</b>
00 Live animals	400	7	1	38	18	7	24	8
01 Meat and meat preparations	2 243	147	15	600	43	87	208	4
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	595	23	12	100	2	15	49	0
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	7 633	246	874	921	90	1 453	948	6
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	1 439	107	9	130	17	175	154	5
05 Vegetables and fruit	9 381	1 373	72	1 809	80	521	1 096	36
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	1 175	29	14	137	9	40	77	13
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	6 702	440	132	1 979	77	431	796	41
08 Feeding stuff for animals	3 483	173	296	509	27	454	563	115
<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>3 292</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>727</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>30</b>
11 Beverages	1 550	30	40	298	14	86	90	30
12 Tobacco	1 742	82	69	429	21	272	67	0
<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>	<b>30 434</b>	<b>2 307</b>	<b>378</b>	<b>6 081</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>2 778</b>	<b>2 765</b>	<b>234</b>
21 Hides and skins, raw	785	14	84	62	24	55	60	0
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	3 776	350	37	658	104	687	196	4
23 Crude rubber	1 295	227	2	255	6	131	200	6
24 Cork and wood	4 943	280	78	651	103	394	433	71
25 Pulp and waste paper	3 022	136	7	726	42	108	457	12
26 Textile fibres and their wastes	3 077	163	16	583	12	180	320	14
27 Crude fertilizers	2 473	256	61	346	38	210	181	37
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	8 811	812	9	2 166	39	898	700	75
<b>3 Energy</b>	<b>49 942</b>	<b>1 552</b>	<b>575</b>	<b>10 848</b>	<b>1 028</b>	<b>5 142</b>	<b>8 689</b>	<b>329</b>
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	4 625	379	15	707	34	391	518	80
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	36 723	529	535	6 792	922	3 833	6 177	250
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	8 149	644	0	3 193	28	918	1 946	0
35 Electric current	445	:	25	156	43	:	48	:
<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>	<b>2 100</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>10</b>
41 Animal oils and fats	140	30	4	14	1	15	9	0
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	1 720	77	43	380	19	135	115	8
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	241	11	5	71	2	28	9	2
<b>5 Chemical products</b>	<b>41 639</b>	<b>4 561</b>	<b>531</b>	<b>8 873</b>	<b>493</b>	<b>2 220</b>	<b>6 060</b>	<b>1 155</b>
51 Organic chemicals	11 884	1 371	86	2 195	63	763	1 665	603
52 Inorganic chemicals	3 720	330	57	768	40	253	690	29
53 Tanning and colouring materials	2 251	287	36	543	31	96	322	18
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	9 166	870	84	2 086	165	473	1 379	263
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	2 040	118	26	386	22	88	506	29
56 Fertilizers	1 304	100	49	186	38	109	232	34
57 Plastics in primary forms	4 672	915	96	936	60	174	309	47
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	2 312	201	42	706	19	69	249	49
<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>	<b>72 753</b>	<b>9 186</b>	<b>1 065</b>	<b>17 147</b>	<b>1 179</b>	<b>3 115</b>	<b>5 747</b>	<b>441</b>
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	1 947	25	16	208	82	196	80	1
62 Rubber manufactures	3 423	234	49	960	56	188	349	34
63 Cork and wood manufactures	3 598	228	122	1 248	39	100	247	37
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	4 675	373	75	1 130	69	286	428	24
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	12 418	1 223	192	3 032	241	651	1 106	93
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	12 657	4 967	86	1 667	78	267	575	43
67 Iron and steel	9 754	883	150	2 155	248	702	599	33
68 Non-ferrous metals	13 903	790	169	3 078	270	343	1 423	66
69 Manufactures of metals	10 670	463	208	3 669	95	382	939	110
<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>	<b>191 597</b>	<b>7 851</b>	<b>2 688</b>	<b>48 630</b>	<b>2 155</b>	<b>6 579</b>	<b>28 015</b>	<b>6 812</b>
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	17 416	681	154	4 832	54	598	3 431	251
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	9 896	641	172	2 587	122	389	1 246	190
73 Metalworking machinery	4 318	237	49	1 436	16	151	435	81
74 General industry machinery and equipment	15 790	972	294	4 357	223	760	1 826	347
75 Office machines and computers	36 733	827	248	8 117	60	600	3 600	3 092
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	18 487	844	296	3 748	109	895	2 551	350
77 Electrical machinery	39 258	1 307	344	12 408	156	898	4 971	1 719
78 Road vehicles	27 170	1 863	444	8 636	510	1 588	1 847	314
79 Other transport equipment	22 530	480	687	2 509	904	701	8 110	468
<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>	<b>86 522</b>	<b>4 448</b>	<b>1 861</b>	<b>25 473</b>	<b>736</b>	<b>2 828</b>	<b>11 111</b>	<b>1 148</b>
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	1 609	121	33	628	18	52	132	11
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	5 251	292	183	2 249	23	80	543	31
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	2 376	142	36	540	28	126	378	13
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	31 149	1 659	920	10 721	201	800	4 265	161
85 Footwear	5 498	406	126	1 266	67	174	600	21
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	11 847	520	154	3 160	82	344	1 767	322
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	7 257	365	66	1 969	56	411	1 085	107
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	21 535	943	342	4 939	260	841	2 340	481
<b>9 Articles not classified elsewhere</b>	<b>16 321</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>3 550</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>380</b>



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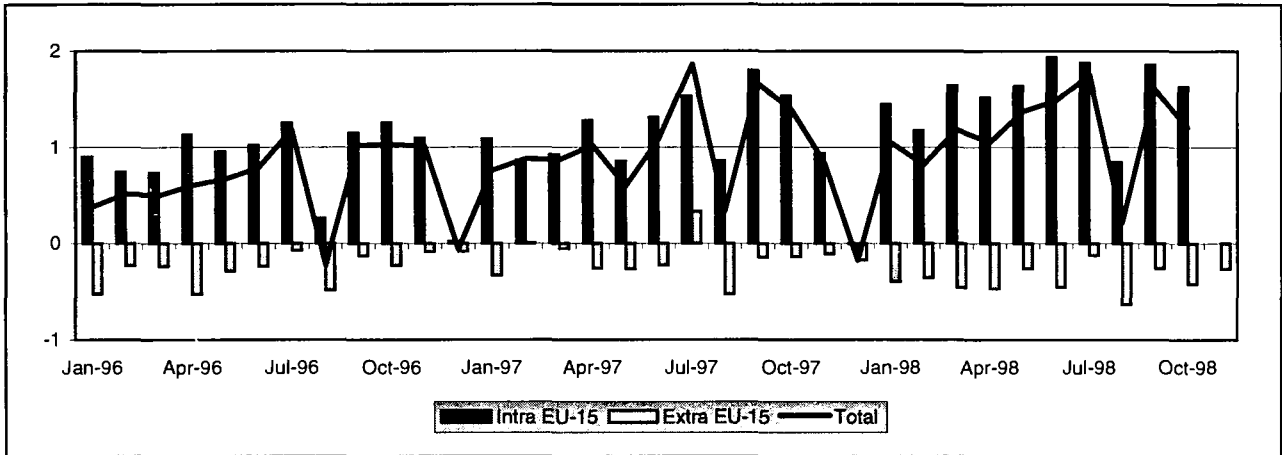
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Reporter							Product list
I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	SITC Rev. 3
<b>56 391</b>	<b>54 769</b>	<b>12 033</b>	<b>5 751</b>	<b>7 523</b>	<b>13 984</b>	<b>101 130</b>	<b>0-9 TOTAL</b>
<b>3 362</b>	<b>3 559</b>	<b>423</b>	<b>897</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>958</b>	<b>5 920</b>	<b>0 Food and live animals</b>
158	12	2	3	0	4	117	00 Live animals
207	261	51	18	3	32	569	01 Meat and meat preparations
75	119	12	2	6	4	174	02 Dairy products and birds' eggs
690	519	14	368	48	324	1 132	03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs
353	104	23	81	8	27	245	04 Cereals and cereal preparations
688	1 439	192	121	67	231	1 657	05 Vegetables and fruit
51	50	16	107	32	9	592	06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey
703	673	77	70	164	235	885	07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices
403	306	17	124	14	55	427	08 Feeding stuff for animals
<b>146</b>	<b>399</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>1 051</b>	<b>1 Beverages and tobacco</b>
37	87	16	2	15	61	744	11 Beverages
109	312	15	25	17	17	306	12 Tobacco
<b>5 180</b>	<b>3 550</b>	<b>822</b>	<b>665</b>	<b>952</b>	<b>777</b>	<b>3 564</b>	<b>2 Crude materials, except fuels</b>
399	12	11	8	14	5	35	21 Hides and skins, raw
255	1 019	20	147	28	7	265	22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits
161	66	25	16	14	17	170	23 Crude rubber
903	310	244	222	309	346	598	24 Cork and wood
681	291	84	8	23	46	399	25 Pulp and waste paper
1 137	59	37	208	6	16	325	26 Textile fibres and their wastes
512	222	83	17	84	144	282	27 Crude fertilizers
938	971	294	15	462	179	1 253	28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap
<b>7 345</b>	<b>5 254</b>	<b>1 380</b>	<b>992</b>	<b>1 162</b>	<b>1 406</b>	<b>4 238</b>	<b>3 Energy</b>
556	634	184	138	152	110	729	32 Coal, coke and briquettes
6 524	4 173	755	848	695	1 266	3 424	33 Petroleum and petroleum products
265	447	342	7	242	31	85	34 Gas, natural and manufactured
:	1	98	:	73	:	:	35 Electric current
<b>285</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>4 Oils, fats and waxes</b>
3	29	0	0	1	1	34	41 Animal oils and fats
272	447	8	12	1	11	190	42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils
10	42	3	2	1	12	43	43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes
<b>4 771</b>	<b>4 329</b>	<b>1 002</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>1 012</b>	<b>5 859</b>	<b>5 Chemical products</b>
1 324	1 613	124	96	118	146	1 717	51 Organic chemicals
297	387	111	17	93	118	531	52 Inorganic chemicals
247	165	45	16	12	72	363	53 Tanning and colouring materials
1 298	734	343	96	61	223	1 093	54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products
129	166	63	11	15	43	435	55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics
232	83	24	10	27	21	160	56 Fertilizers
662	505	136	22	58	192	559	57 Plastics in primary forms
193	220	74	8	28	73	383	58 Plastics in non-primary forms
<b>9 298</b>	<b>5 656</b>	<b>2 069</b>	<b>837</b>	<b>757</b>	<b>1 834</b>	<b>14 422</b>	<b>6 Manufactured goods classified by material</b>
1 020	51	44	96	10	15	103	61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins
382	278	104	58	34	111	586	62 Rubber manufactures
351	240	158	29	36	117	646	63 Cork and wood manufactures
502	321	169	29	41	140	1 089	64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof
2 030	650	330	262	96	258	2 254	65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products
483	287	249	48	53	139	3 717	66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures
2 238	730	290	150	214	268	1 094	67 Iron and steel
1 503	2 411	277	107	153	400	2 913	68 Non-ferrous metals
789	980	448	59	120	386	2 021	69 Manufactures of metals
<b>12 508</b>	<b>19 939</b>	<b>4 175</b>	<b>1 595</b>	<b>3 026</b>	<b>5 138</b>	<b>42 489</b>	<b>7 Machinery and transport equipment</b>
937	952	305	121	145	556	4 400	71 Power generating machinery and equipment
888	781	324	107	198	362	1 889	72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.
537	196	131	23	52	151	823	73 Metalworking machinery
1 477	1 054	393	120	201	534	3 232	74 General industry machinery and equipment
1 085	8 990	271	78	266	415	9 085	75 Office machines and computers
1 032	1 955	458	183	333	872	4 862	76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video
2 098	3 673	971	234	878	1 251	8 351	77 Electrical machinery
2 991	1 813	1 048	591	344	806	4 375	78 Road vehicles
1 464	524	274	137	611	190	5 473	79 Other transport equipment
<b>7 868</b>	<b>7 409</b>	<b>1 938</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>767</b>	<b>2 433</b>	<b>18 085</b>	<b>8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles</b>
73	117	103	8	17	74	222	81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting
235	403	182	10	57	246	717	82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses
300	202	37	11	17	56	490	83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods
2 902	2 592	615	54	288	871	5 101	84 Clothing and clothing accessories
1 164	439	135	61	48	98	892	85 Footwear
865	1 092	241	93	110	375	2 720	87 Professional, scientific, controlling material
831	579	121	57	42	125	1 440	88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks
1 497	1 984	504	123	189	588	6 503	89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles
<b>5 630</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>5 236</b>	<b>9 Articles not classified elsewhere</b>

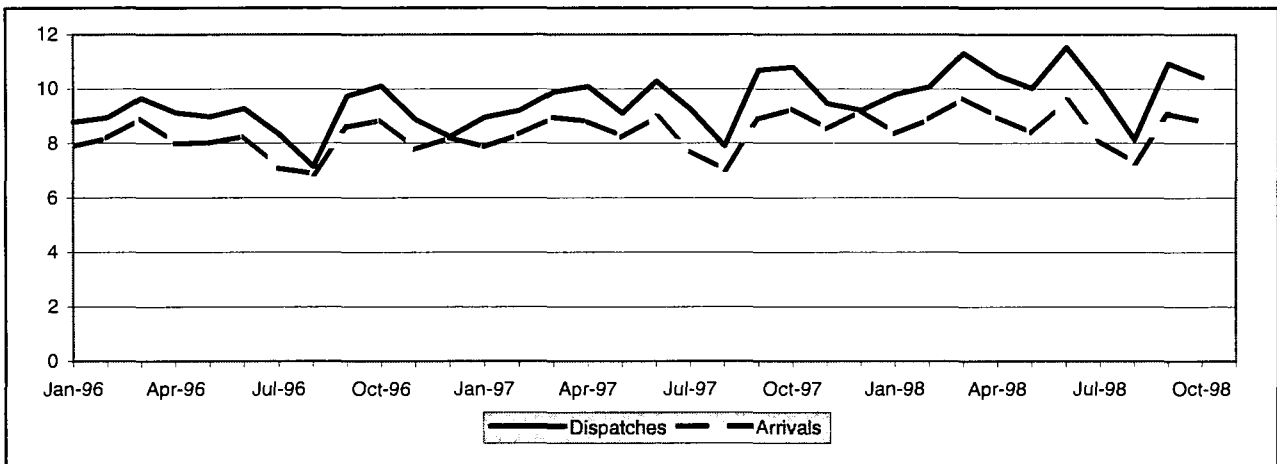


## External trade by Member State

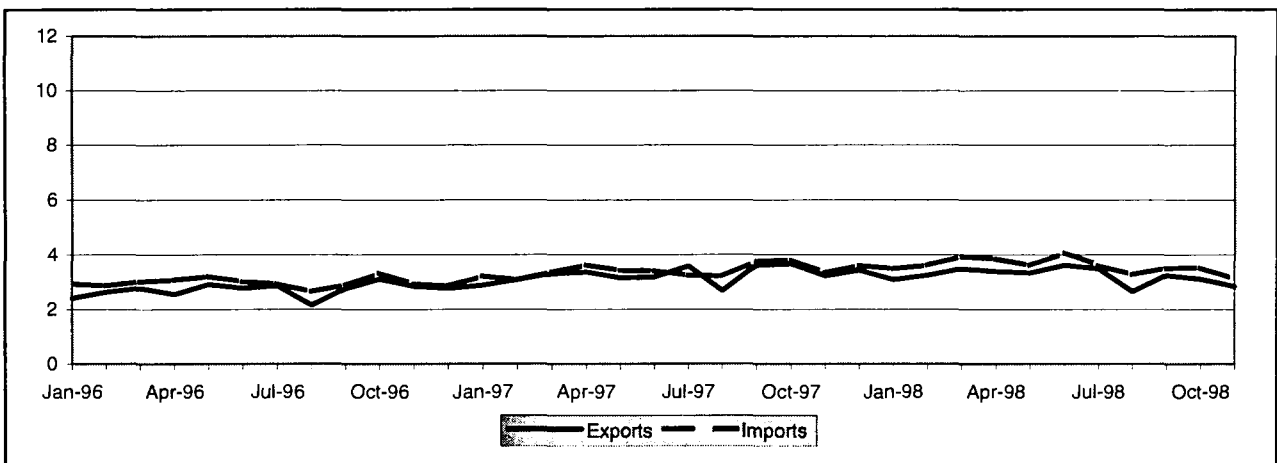
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**TRADE BALANCE**
**INTRA EU-15**
*Value (Mio ECU)*

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
1994	10 466	429	4 120	585	1 759	6 335	-617	1 724	-3 108	573	432	-229	-1 489	-49
1995	12 935	555	4 371	607	1 791	6 662	-957	2 370	-2 693	741	447	-213	-1 163	417
1996	10 544	510	3 817	665	1 897	6 492	-1 263	2 363	-4 944	759	403	42	-1 394	1 110
1997	12 988	597	3 652	704	2 357	7 294	-1 719	2 962	-5 535	838	374	45	-1 309	2 645
1998 Jan-Oct	15 579	583	3 579	606	2 475	7 755	-2 236	3 105	-3 541	810	470	-59	-1 023	3 054
1997 Oct	1 533	68	349	70	241	738	-168	340	-457	73	39	-8	-100	338
Nov	943	48	264	60	224	526	-199	260	-503	68	23	-5	-175	344
Dec	-3	27	79	49	153	406	-198	182	-742	51	32	-17	-122	90
1998 Jan	1 447	61	362	52	226	740	-178	357	-418	70	41	-1	-120	256
Feb	1 176	50	238	59	224	678	-154	311	-442	76	45	-3	-104	197
Mar	1 643	65	358	72	219	811	-199	339	-424	95	63	-10	-116	368
Apr	1 522	53	325	44	238	659	-150	316	-288	80	24	-14	-83	317
May	1 636	57	403	61	257	725	-128	248	-361	79	42	-0	-91	344
Jun	1 940	69	503	67	241	946	-271	335	-300	89	61	4	-104	299
Jul	1 880	50	343	69	243	894	-265	260	-255	83	48	-7	-47	463
Aug	847	51	161	53	163	554	-200	189	-370	73	27	-11	-119	274
Sep	1 858	55	505	68	320	955	-406	423	-379	88	65	-15	-126	305
Oct	1 631	70	381	61	343	792	-285	326	-306	76	56	-1	-113	229

**EXTRA EU-15**
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Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzer-land	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterra- nean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1994	149	-234	728	-455	-193	-574	-1 340	493	-602	2 175	-677	559	1 324	-1 140
1995	-3 006	-381	629	-3 086	-543	-842	-1 909	538	-363	2 173	-921	554	693	-1 632
1996	-3 123	-400	827	-3 022	-431	-1 136	-1 384	1 073	93	2 445	-1 062	513	998	-1 742
1997	-1 877	-408	1 013	-3 472	-455	-1 523	-1 683	1 451	179	2 852	-793	588	929	-1 531
1998 Jan-Nov	-4 099	-190	978	-2 883	-277	-1 511	-2 106	1 395	209	2 241	-983	494	-492	-1 079
1997 Nov	-109	-26	81	-252	-52	-104	-169	147	31	227	-31	55	28	-116
Dec	-174	-25	38	-284	-48	-133	-184	93	16	253	-28	56	56	-84
1998 Jan	-397	-53	100	-193	-43	-161	-188	114	33	145	-57	17	-65	-89
Feb	-357	-43	101	-382	-29	-120	-196	99	78	192	-53	54	3	-88
Mar	-458	-25	96	-406	-31	-73	-260	107	81	223	-118	64	9	-121
Apr	-470	-37	128	-483	-34	-134	-192	139	53	249	-76	45	-26	-75
May	-260	-5	97	-238	-28	-118	-214	149	24	237	-155	58	-28	-60
Jun	-453	-18	72	-229	-49	-154	-225	145	33	256	-123	47	-72	-106
Jul	-123	-28	87	-190	-21	-137	-173	96	7	231	-66	39	-11	-123
Aug	-633	-3	73	-253	24	-175	-182	123	13	100	-73	9	-105	-129
Sep	-260	-9	79	-154	-11	-163	-131	152	-49	207	-75	36	-36	-89
Oct	-423	-9	63	-183	-26	-151	-153	151	-29	206	-98	76	-80	-131
Nov	-266	41	82	-172	-28	-127	-193	120	-36	196	-89	51	-81	-69

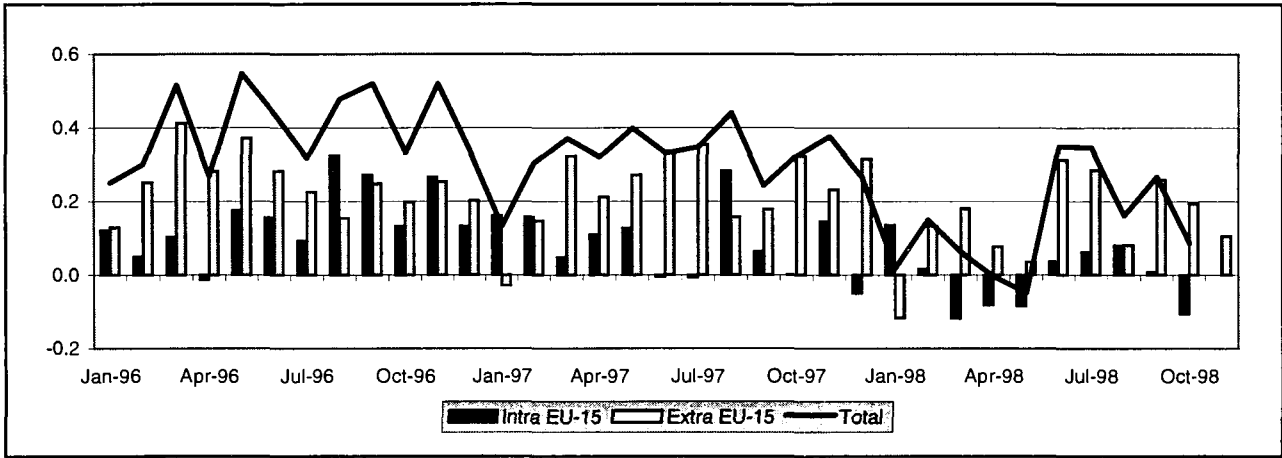
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Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
<b>DISPATCHES</b>														
% 1997	100.0	1.2	26.0	0.8	4.2	23.9	0.6	7.4	17.2	1.5	1.0	0.8	2.0	13.4
Value (Bn ECU)														
1994	90 525	1 098	25 329	719	3 500	23 355	488	6 232	15 614	1 209	979	490	1 539	9 973
1995	101 998	1 288	29 268	745	3 847	25 090	473	7 416	17 905	1 447	1 003	773	1 974	10 770
1996	107 151	1 277	29 228	834	4 262	26 122	606	7 763	18 859	1 538	1 085	855	1 962	12 671
1997	114 759	1 401	29 806	874	4 824	27 445	679	8 477	19 766	1 691	1 151	938	2 248	15 374
1998 Jan-Oct	102 640	1 251	26 517	785	4 693	24 345	672	8 018	16 831	1 575	1 174	818	2 293	13 667
1997 Oct	10 789	132	2 683	84	487	2 625	63	851	1 864	150	107	81	222	1 431
Nov	9 458	111	2 453	75	425	2 196	67	741	1 601	134	96	72	194	1 286
Dec	9 208	108	2 257	71	372	2 364	61	664	1 666	121	93	66	180	1 178
1998 Jan	9 790	120	2 459	71	425	2 398	56	795	1 655	134	105	83	205	1 284
Feb	10 065	123	2 535	78	464	2 384	63	842	1 654	157	116	86	221	1 342
Mar	11 307	142	2 928	88	504	2 677	73	910	1 871	177	129	94	271	1 445
Apr	10 487	113	2 792	70	460	2 436	60	809	1 776	159	113	82	236	1 380
May	10 012	113	2 679	81	481	2 289	70	789	1 642	157	117	81	234	1 279
Jun	11 530	142	2 989	91	501	2 756	99	901	1 814	177	140	90	249	1 582
Jul	9 958	111	2 552	81	451	2 394	54	754	1 577	150	115	70	158	1 490
Aug	8 134	118	2 261	64	321	1 864	53	499	1 329	135	87	69	182	1 153
Sep	10 933	136	2 744	83	539	2 654	68	892	1 748	171	130	80	274	1 414
Oct	10 425	133	2 578	78	546	2 493	74	828	1 767	158	124	84	264	1 298
Annual Variation (%)														
1994	10.7	11.1	11.3	13.2	14.7	10.6	26.7	4.9	10.8	1.4	2.6	10.7	19.5	11.4
1995	12.7	17.3	15.6	3.6	9.9	7.4	-3.1	19.0	14.7	19.7	2.5	57.6	28.2	8.0
1996	5.1	-0.9	-0.1	11.9	10.8	4.1	28.0	4.7	5.3	6.3	8.2	10.7	-0.6	17.6
1997	7.1	9.7	2.0	4.8	13.2	5.1	12.1	9.2	4.8	10.0	6.1	9.7	14.6	21.3
1998 Jan-Oct	6.8	5.9	5.7	7.8	16.5	6.4	22.0	13.4	2.0	9.6	22.2	2.3	22.3	5.9
1998 Jul	7.7	12.6	4.6	14.4	20.7	8.8	2.4	11.2	8.0	15.0	30.8	2.3	17.0	3.6
Aug	3.0	6.5	-0.9	13.1	22.4	8.4	10.5	13.2	-8.3	9.0	23.1	-0.7	3.5	6.4
Sep	2.3	0.1	1.0	7.0	19.9	3.1	18.8	8.2	-5.7	8.5	20.6	-2.9	25.9	-0.5
Oct	-3.4	0.2	-3.9	-6.6	12.1	-5.0	17.2	-2.7	-5.2	5.4	16.4	4.3	18.9	-9.3
<b>ARRIVALS</b>														
% 1997	100.0	0.8	25.7	0.2	2.4	19.8	2.4	5.4	24.9	0.8	0.8	0.9	3.5	12.5
Value (Bn ECU)														
1994	80 060	669	21 209	134	1 741	17 020	1 105	4 508	18 721	636	547	719	3 029	10 022
1995	89 063	733	24 897	138	2 056	18 428	1 430	5 047	20 597	705	555	985	3 137	10 354
1996	96 607	766	25 411	169	2 365	19 631	1 868	5 400	23 803	779	682	813	3 356	11 561
1997	101 770	804	26 154	169	2 467	20 150	2 398	5 515	25 301	854	777	893	3 557	12 729
1998 Jan-Oct	87 061	669	22 938	179	2 218	16 590	2 907	4 912	20 372	765	705	877	3 316	10 614
1997 Oct	9 256	65	2 334	13	246	1 887	232	510	2 321	77	67	88	322	1 093
Nov	8 515	63	2 188	15	201	1 671	266	481	2 104	66	73	76	368	942
Dec	9 211	81	2 178	22	219	1 958	259	482	2 408	70	61	83	302	1 088
1998 Jan	8 342	59	2 097	19	199	1 658	234	438	2 073	63	64	84	325	1 029
Feb	8 890	73	2 297	18	240	1 706	217	531	2 095	82	71	90	324	1 145
Mar	9 664	77	2 570	16	285	1 866	272	570	2 294	81	66	104	386	1 076
Apr	8 965	60	2 467	26	222	1 777	210	493	2 063	79	89	96	319	1 063
May	8 376	57	2 276	20	224	1 564	198	540	2 003	78	75	81	325	935
Jun	9 590	73	2 486	24	260	1 810	370	566	2 114	89	79	86	352	1 282
Jul	8 078	61	2 209	12	208	1 500	319	495	1 832	67	67	77	204	1 027
Aug	7 288	67	2 100	11	158	1 309	253	309	1 698	62	60	80	302	879
Sep	9 074	80	2 239	15	219	1 700	474	469	2 127	83	65	95	400	1 109
Oct	8 794	63	2 197	17	203	1 700	359	501	2 073	82	68	85	378	1 069
Annual Variation (%)														
1994	6.5	7.0	-1.9	-3.4	5.1	4.8	3.2	2.5	15.1	-0.2	3.9	48.0	43.2	7.0
1995	11.2	9.5	17.4	3.3	18.1	8.3	29.4	11.9	10.0	10.9	1.6	37.0	3.6	3.3
1996	8.5	4.6	2.1	22.3	15.0	6.5	30.6	7.0	15.6	10.5	22.7	-17.5	7.0	11.7
1997	5.3	4.9	2.9	0.1	4.3	2.6	28.3	2.1	6.3	9.6	14.0	9.9	6.0	10.1
1998 Jan-Oct	3.6	1.5	5.3	35.1	8.3	0.4	55.3	7.9	-2.0	6.5	9.5	19.4	14.9	-0.8
1998 Jul	4.7	9.8	9.3	-12.5	16.2	-2.2	97.0	-1.1	-1.8	-8.3	-12.8	24.8	16.7	3.2
Aug	3.5	17.5	12.0	23.4	25.4	5.8	76.9	-2.3	-9.7	0.6	23.6	17.3	31.9	-11.2
Sep	2.2	5.5	-4.4	10.5	10.6	-4.0	173.9	-4.0	-4.5	6.2	30.5	14.7	19.5	5.9
Oct	-5.0	-3.4	-5.9	28.0	-17.4	-9.9	55.0	-1.7	-10.7	6.0	1.1	-3.7	17.2	-2.2

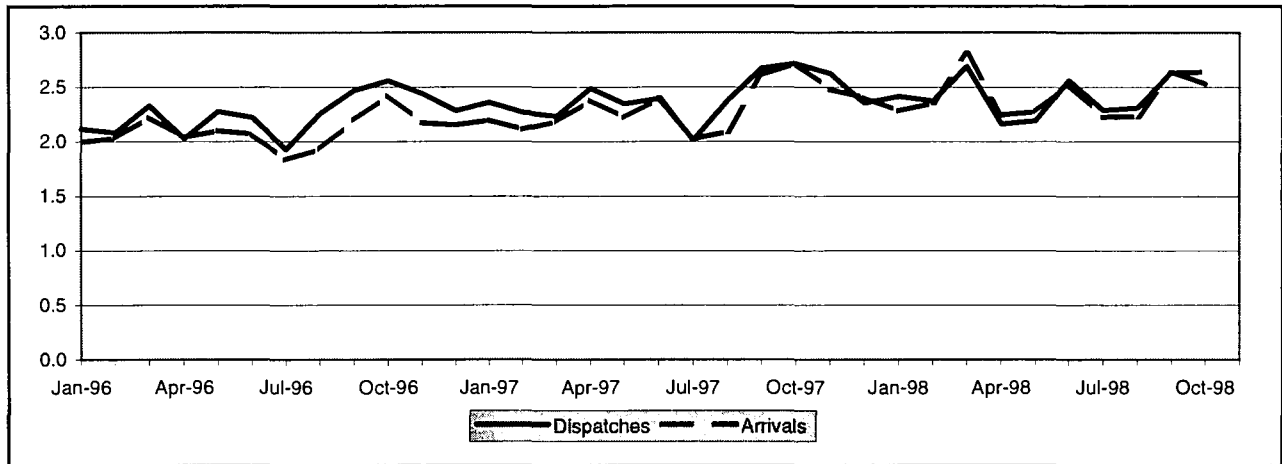
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Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
<b>EXPORTS</b>														
% 1997	100.0	1.6	6.7	19.4	1.4	2.0	4.7	8.7	4.7	16.2	5.0	6.0	10.0	3.7
Value (Bn ECU)														
1994	29 958	534	2 395	5 878	506	910	1 543	1 752	821	4 574	1 378	2 030	3 507	1 116
1995	31 257	524	2 300	4 747	370	674	1 650	2 122	1 006	4 722	1 601	1 780	3 176	1 134
1996	32 512	550	2 425	5 840	438	694	1 915	2 710	1 385	5 331	1 572	1 882	3 513	1 237
1997	39 143	620	2 604	7 598	542	765	1 829	3 422	1 824	6 333	1 971	2 352	3 914	1 434
1998 Jan-Nov	35 440	641	2 419	7 846	616	676	1 398	3 725	1 343	5 559	1 831	2 110	2 518	1 295
1997 Nov	3 226	52	217	697	41	92	123	323	166	504	154	196	269	115
Dec	3 428	64	180	738	53	76	141	283	177	574	165	214	312	146
1998 Jan	3 088	54	198	734	49	50	130	286	152	466	149	172	215	108
Feb	3 248	50	230	703	51	61	119	307	173	531	167	196	254	117
Mar	3 476	67	233	692	62	76	134	346	184	555	187	193	268	122
Apr	3 380	60	250	647	45	70	140	353	155	546	197	204	259	133
May	3 334	65	228	725	59	62	124	349	125	544	168	189	248	125
Jun	3 614	65	245	831	46	72	128	371	151	586	191	214	253	119
Jul	3 476	48	222	760	59	59	113	324	137	543	181	182	246	117
Aug	2 638	50	175	589	89	44	121	300	104	369	148	176	151	94
Sep	3 247	61	215	769	62	69	145	368	49	495	168	190	238	120
Oct	3 105	57	204	743	52	58	128	386	57	481	158	229	204	123
Nov	2 834	63	218	655	43	55	115	335	55	441	118	165	183	119
Annual Variation (%)														
1994	18.6	12.5	10.1	20.7	31.2	50.0	32.9	31.0	38.1	11.3	36.5	-3.9	25.3	12.8
1995	4.3	-1.9	-4.0	-19.2	-26.9	-25.9	6.9	21.1	22.5	3.2	16.2	-12.3	-9.4	1.6
1996	4.0	4.9	5.4	23.0	18.3	3.0	16.1	27.8	37.7	12.9	-1.8	5.8	10.6	9.0
1997	20.4	12.7	7.4	30.1	23.9	10.2	-4.5	26.3	31.7	18.8	25.4	25.0	11.4	16.0
1998 Jan-Nov	-0.8	15.2	-0.2	14.4	25.8	-1.9	-17.2	18.7	-18.4	-3.5	1.4	-1.3	-30.1	0.6
1998 Aug	-1.5	6.0	5.0	25.9	133.6	-10.0	-4.3	18.5	-23.4	-17.6	0.5	6.0	-54.0	-9.8
Sep	-10.0	10.6	0.2	6.6	7.7	-1.5	-6.5	12.3	-71.6	-18.7	-8.9	-2.3	-31.8	-9.9
Oct	-15.3	-5.2	-2.9	2.4	-13.0	-31.6	-8.5	5.6	-73.0	-18.5	-30.2	0.5	-41.5	-16.1
Nov	-12.1	21.3	0.4	-6.1	5.5	-39.8	-6.5	3.8	-67.1	-12.5	-23.4	-15.7	-31.8	3.1
<b>IMPORTS</b>														
% 1997	100.0	2.5	3.9	27.0	2.4	5.6	8.6	4.8	4.0	8.5	6.7	4.3	7.3	7.2
Value (Bn ECU)														
1994	29 809	768	1 667	6 334	699	1 484	2 884	1 259	1 423	2 400	2 055	1 471	2 183	2 255
1995	34 263	905	1 671	7 833	913	1 516	3 558	1 583	1 369	2 549	2 522	1 225	2 483	2 766
1996	35 635	950	1 598	8 862	868	1 830	3 299	1 637	1 292	2 886	2 633	1 369	2 516	2 978
1997	41 020	1 028	1 592	11 070	998	2 288	3 512	1 971	1 645	3 480	2 764	1 764	2 986	2 965
1998 Jan-Nov	39 539	830	1 441	10 729	893	2 188	3 504	2 330	1 135	3 318	2 814	1 616	3 010	2 374
1997 Nov	3 335	78	136	949	92	196	292	176	135	277	185	141	241	231
Dec	3 601	89	142	1 022	101	209	325	190	161	320	192	159	256	230
1998 Jan	3 485	108	98	926	91	211	318	173	119	321	207	155	280	197
Feb	3 605	92	129	1 085	80	181	315	208	94	340	220	142	251	205
Mar	3 934	92	137	1 097	93	149	394	238	103	333	305	129	259	243
Apr	3 850	97	122	1 130	79	203	332	214	102	297	273	160	285	208
May	3 594	71	131	963	88	180	338	200	102	306	323	131	276	185
Jun	4 066	83	173	1 060	95	226	353	225	118	331	314	166	325	224
Jul	3 599	76	135	950	80	195	285	228	130	312	247	144	257	239
Aug	3 270	53	102	842	64	219	303	177	91	270	221	167	256	223
Sep	3 507	70	136	923	73	232	276	216	98	287	242	155	275	208
Oct	3 528	65	141	926	78	209	281	235	86	275	256	153	284	254
Nov	3 101	23	136	827	71	182	308	215	91	246	207	114	264	188
Annual Variation (%)														
1994	7.9	-34.7	25.0	6.0	57.2	18.2	-11.2	60.0	15.8	37.5	40.2	-11.7	21.7	108.6
1995	14.9	17.9	0.3	23.7	30.6	2.2	23.4	25.8	-3.8	6.2	22.7	-16.7	13.7	22.6
1996	4.0	4.9	-4.4	13.1	-4.9	20.7	-7.3	3.4	-5.6	13.2	4.4	11.8	1.3	7.7
1997	15.1	8.2	-0.4	24.9	14.9	25.0	6.5	20.4	27.3	20.6	5.0	28.8	18.7	-0.5
1998 Jan-Nov	5.7	-11.6	-0.6	6.8	-0.4	5.2	10.0	30.8	-23.5	5.0	9.4	0.7	10.3	-13.2
1998 Aug	2.1	-19.1	6.3	-11.5	-26.4	6.1	28.5	41.1	-19.0	5.7	7.5	8.3	9.4	-7.9
Sep	-6.5	-21.7	4.3	-3.5	-23.2	-1.4	-13.8	19.3	-33.6	-13.9	-0.3	-7.1	-9.4	-21.0
Oct	-7.2	-24.7	-8.7	-9.2	-13.9	-8.1	-17.5	23.6	-58.1	-4.0	3.7	7.1	6.1	-2.1
Nov	-7.0	-71.2	0.1	-12.9	-23.4	-6.9	5.5	22.6	-32.5	-11.4	11.9	-19.4	9.5	-18.7

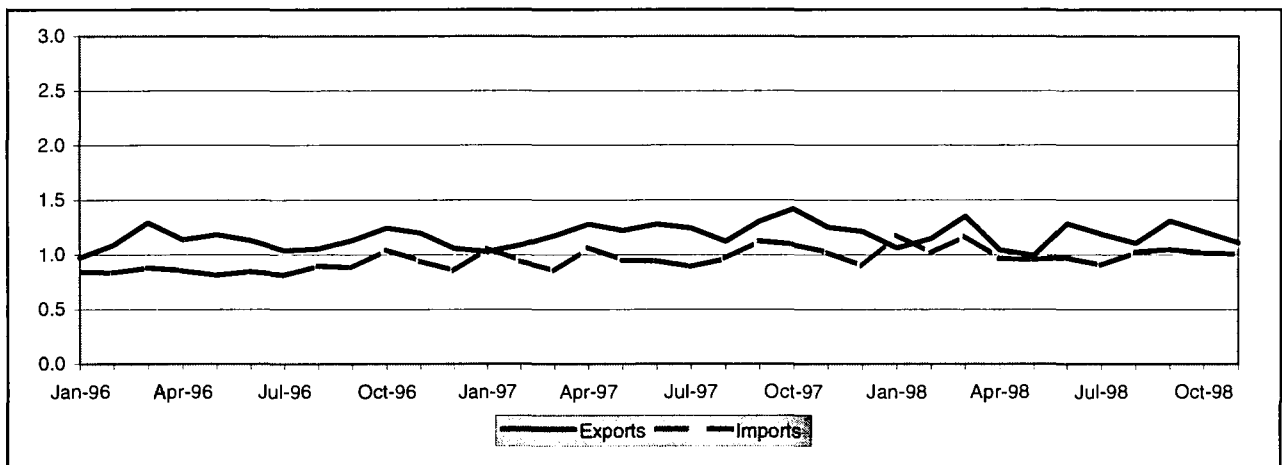
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**TRADE BALANCE**
**INTRA EU-15**
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Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
1994	<b>2 194</b>	-451	1 498	200	278	298	-55	26	-660	62	-208	-168	-42	951
1995	<b>1 240</b>	-417	1 176	226	332	375	-141	61	-709	60	-101	-37	-336	712
1996	<b>1 813</b>	-414	1 138	255	356	275	-191	-18	-809	76	-105	130	206	913
1997	<b>1 033</b>	-516	884	283	360	328	-153	-95	-1 127	43	-178	20	-71	1 255
1998 Jan-Oct	<b>-53</b>	-460	210	245	360	51	-87	-186	-897	29	-111	245	-301	850
1997 Oct	<b>1</b>	-63	69	28	29	22	-13	-8	-92	0	-14	-13	-26	82
Nov	<b>145</b>	-42	107	23	33	37	-7	9	-100	-2	-13	10	-53	142
Dec	<b>-51</b>	-44	47	21	26	3	-7	-18	-130	4	-11	21	-19	56
1998 Jan	<b>135</b>	-32	87	27	31	30	-16	14	-90	4	-16	30	-32	98
Feb	<b>17</b>	-36	-11	23	38	13	2	-7	-67	6	-15	26	-60	104
Mar	<b>-118</b>	-55	19	21	35	-12	-18	-49	-115	1	-14	24	-79	124
Apr	<b>-82</b>	-47	36	22	29	-3	-38	-36	-95	0	-2	34	-32	50
May	<b>-85</b>	-32	-17	26	35	8	-12	-20	-83	2	-5	26	-50	37
Jun	<b>36</b>	-51	37	30	41	23	-10	-29	-64	0	-10	25	-36	81
Jul	<b>62</b>	-51	3	23	40	-4	-9	-35	-78	2	-10	24	-9	164
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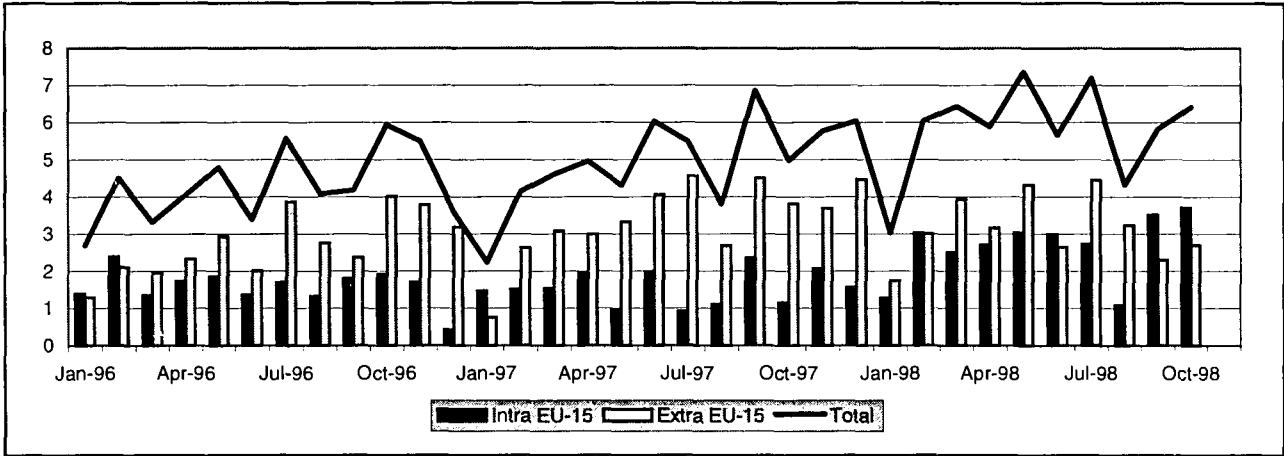
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1996	<b>3 010</b>	83	71	-6	45	-400	616	402	380	491	-26	435	470	112
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Dec	<b>315</b>	5	-0	33	10	-39	40	35	72	50	14	35	-4	34
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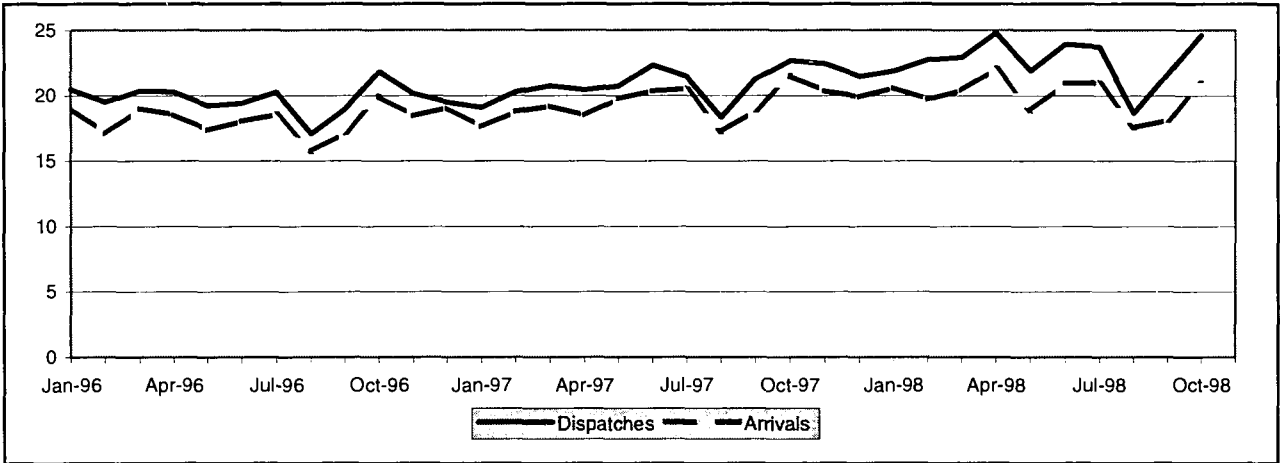




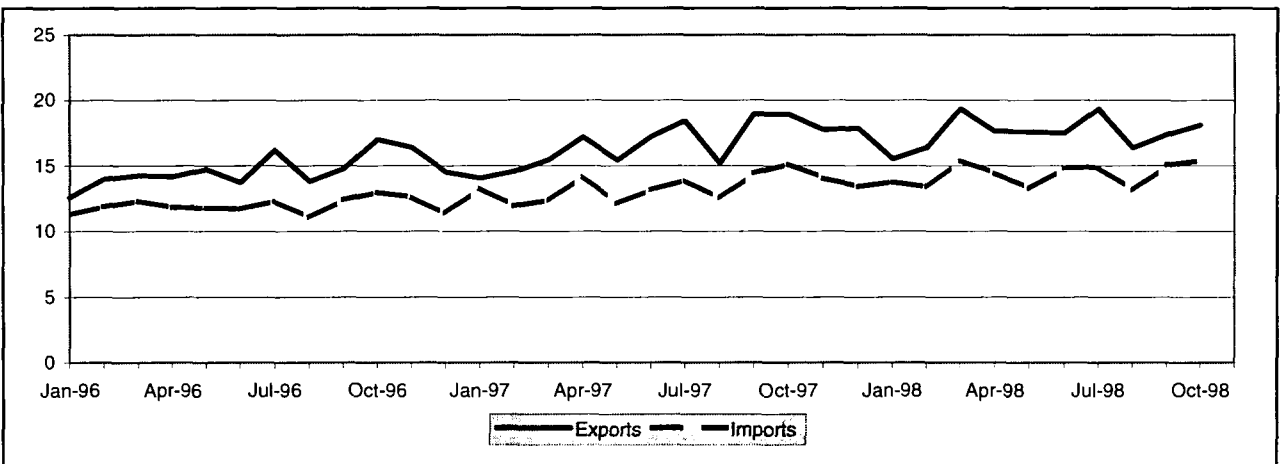
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1998 Jan-Oct	<b>26 631</b>	-443	1 029	1 467	4 515	5 067	-1 707	3 658	-9 151	7 254	760	480	2 578	11 124
1997 Oct	<b>1 159</b>	-369	-110	191	402	215	-165	358	-1 478	846	97	48	363	761
Nov	<b>2 077</b>	-198	18	160	474	577	-152	156	-1 142	752	59	11	301	1 062
Dec	<b>1 563</b>	-195	6	148	150	514	-231	511	-923	640	27	-24	289	651
1998 Jan	<b>1 281</b>	-339	33	129	418	21	-210	210	-1 105	776	62	84	214	989
Feb	<b>3 036</b>	107	78	130	293	845	-158	665	-933	717	62	-35	270	995
Mar	<b>2 504</b>	80	63	119	329	146	-152	587	-880	787	89	61	283	990
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May	<b>3 039</b>	-262	99	155	495	425	-136	581	-598	711	113	123	271	1 062
Jun	<b>2 999</b>	-71	127	176	461	924	-164	307	-1 143	648	84	57	225	1 369
Jul	<b>2 736</b>	43	57	150	578	500	-225	72	-650	664	42	13	163	1 328
Aug	<b>1 081</b>	-137	104	117	481	6	-133	-170	-1 108	623	38	-22	187	1 095
Sep	<b>3 521</b>	71	128	151	401	523	-164	593	-624	750	65	111	362	1 155
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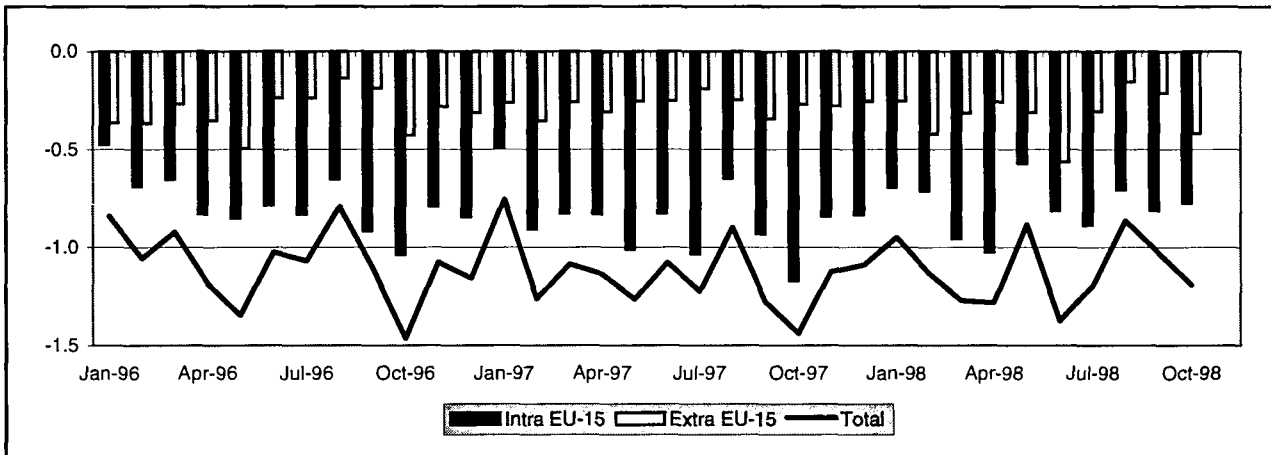
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1995	<b>26 953</b>	-2 334	5 723	9 899	-273	-2 310	-5 920	2 187	-218	3 094	3 128	3 309	4 654	-358
1996	<b>32 627</b>	-3 327	5 040	10 975	-90	-3 150	-4 428	5 796	-174	4 182	3 936	2 490	5 958	-351
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1997 Oct	<b>3 817</b>	-371	615	1 629	87	-490	-623	736	282	590	476	300	360	-103
Nov	<b>3 694</b>	-307	388	1 335	196	-269	-669	752	250	560	563	265	379	-35
Dec	<b>4 469</b>	-285	295	1 643	138	-283	-646	685	447	659	518	536	490	-44
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May	<b>4 324</b>	-202	496	1 448	117	-255	-647	1 130	308	596	553	446	187	-33
Jun	<b>2 656</b>	-155	297	1 280	133	-341	-959	729	305	510	505	265	47	4
Jul	<b>4 455</b>	-179	391	1 936	118	-409	-580	744	304	599	663	460	163	75
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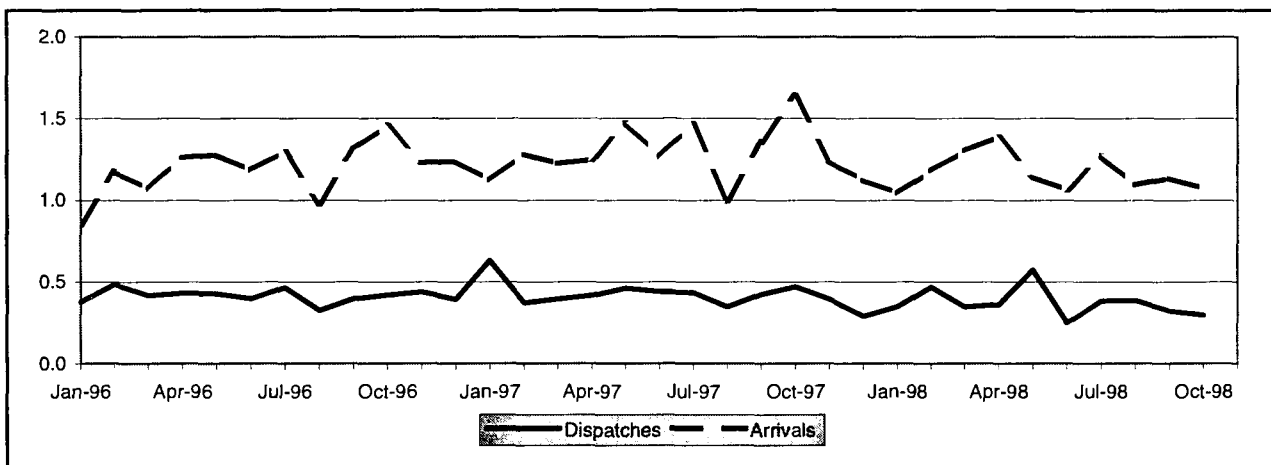




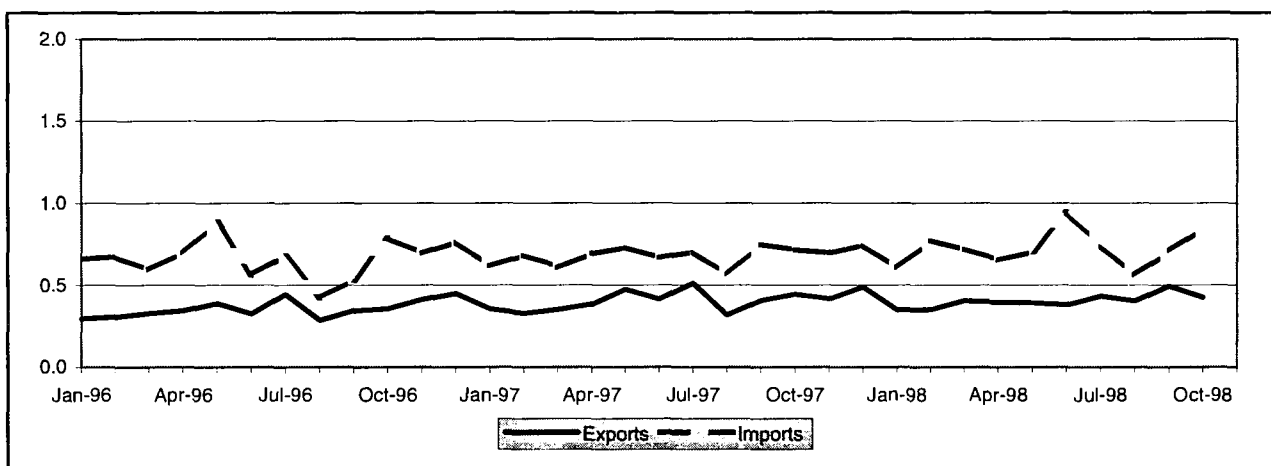
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1997	-10 354	-708	-279	-1 513	-634	-1 662	-159	-2 675	-1 214	-141	-49	-145	-273	-893
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Nov	-843	-58	-23	-159	-52	-123	-9	-216	-102	-9	-2	-13	-17	-60
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Apr	-1 025	-48	-18	-115	-205	-165	-15	-237	-81	-8	-1	-43	-19	-70
May	-571	-71	-16	-193	-52	-118	-12	66	-82	-7	7	-12	-18	-61
Jun	-813	-64	-21	-206	-37	-140	-10	-162	-83	-13	-2	-6	-24	-47
Jul	-887	-62	-30	-115	-54	-129	-10	-257	-100	-7	-3	-26	-27	-67
Aug	-708	-56	-17	-79	-34	-135	-12	-167	-102	-8	-3	-30	-20	-46
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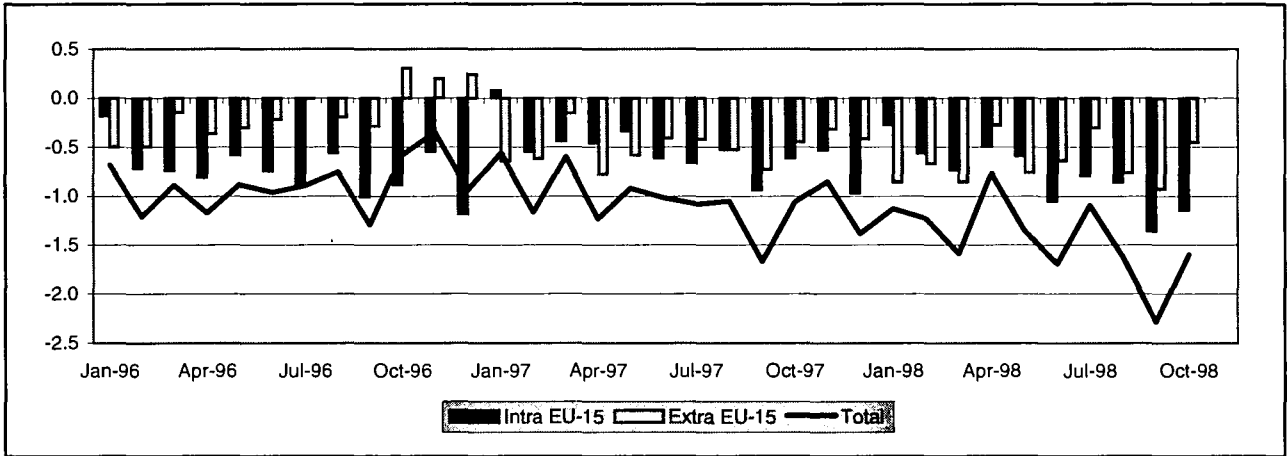
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1997	-3 276	-33	-231	-383	-51	-370	-715	347	-147	886	-298	-893	-743	-57
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Sep	-213	-2	37	-96	0	-39	-103	40	-11	87	31	-41	-78	-1
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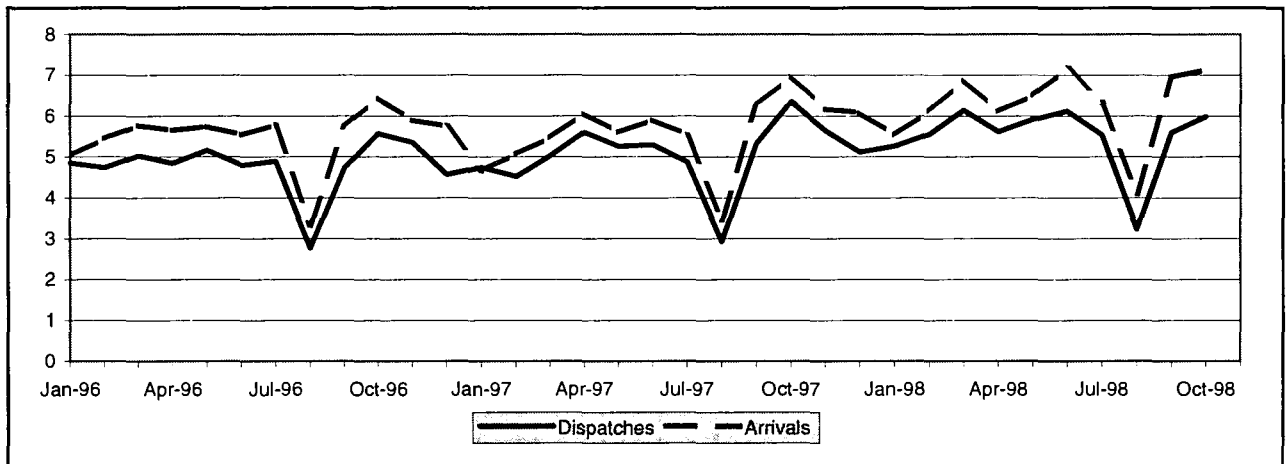




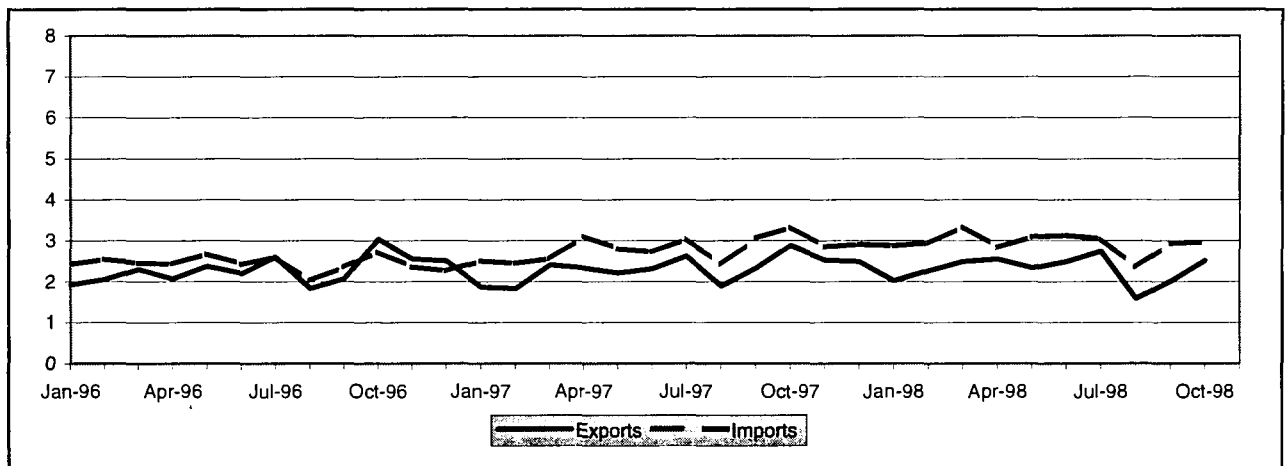
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1995	-7 996	-1 190	-241	-2 859	401	-888	-644	-1 413	-1 831	-227	3 232	-519	-472	-1 472
1996	-8 841	-1 450	-309	-3 146	461	-1 355	-528	-2 157	-2 016	-308	4 265	-498	-656	-1 387
1997	-6 558	-1 380	-185	-3 778	656	-1 888	-792	-582	-1 839	-296	5 042	-371	-507	-1 175
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Feb	-563	-130	-5	-308	64	-213	-67	-118	-152	-19	435	-43	-19	-30
Mar	-735	-136	-19	-364	64	-154	-77	-115	-233	-25	444	-48	-30	-82
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May	-590	-138	-6	-360	58	-169	-97	-87	-196	-35	450	-50	-29	19
Jun	-1 054	-136	-27	-561	58	-191	-87	-194	-226	-48	444	-54	-57	-16
Jul	-791	-143	-14	-435	48	-121	-75	-220	-224	-36	432	-41	-33	28
Aug	-861	-123	-18	-411	36	-154	-89	-113	-184	-2	290	-42	-49	-46
Sep	-1 358	-196	-38	-564	72	-297	-81	-227	-275	-65	510	-57	-45	-139
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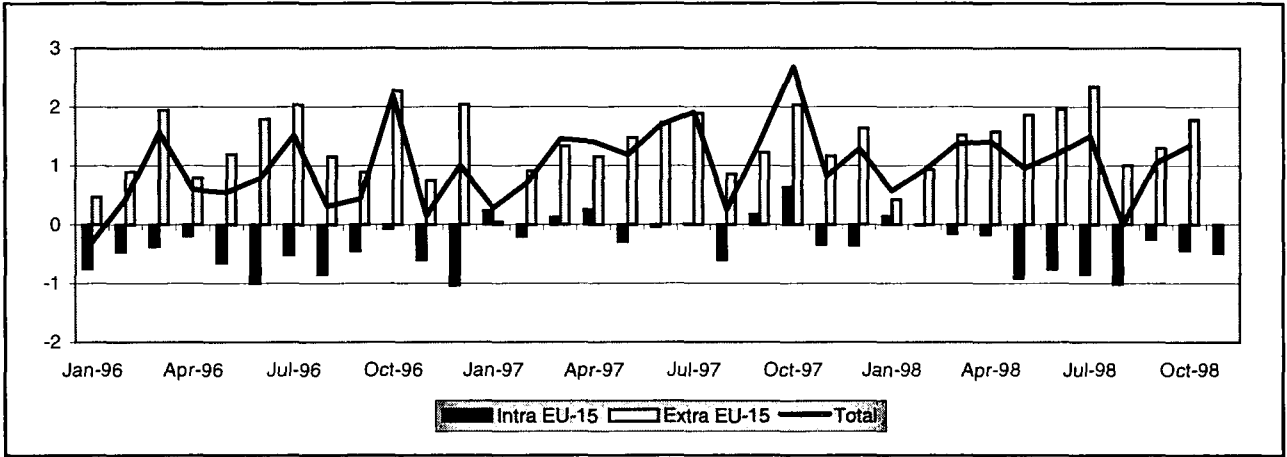
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1997	-6 037	-175	-479	-1 722	-38	-1 735	-1 250	742	-383	401	1 475	-4 508	100	-1 693
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Mar	-853	49	-74	-400	0	-156	-158	70	-20	89	200	-334	-167	-119
Apr	-275	81	-47	-130	3	-151	-178	61	-27	177	225	-157	-137	-89
May	-762	-7	-56	-91	-2	-167	-198	57	-83	105	121	-290	-167	-122
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Jul	-304	-11	-52	-28	3	-176	-176	50	-21	200	229	-239	-182	-45
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Sep	-929	-22	-69	-171	-7	-239	-161	33	-61	123	87	-269	-175	-111
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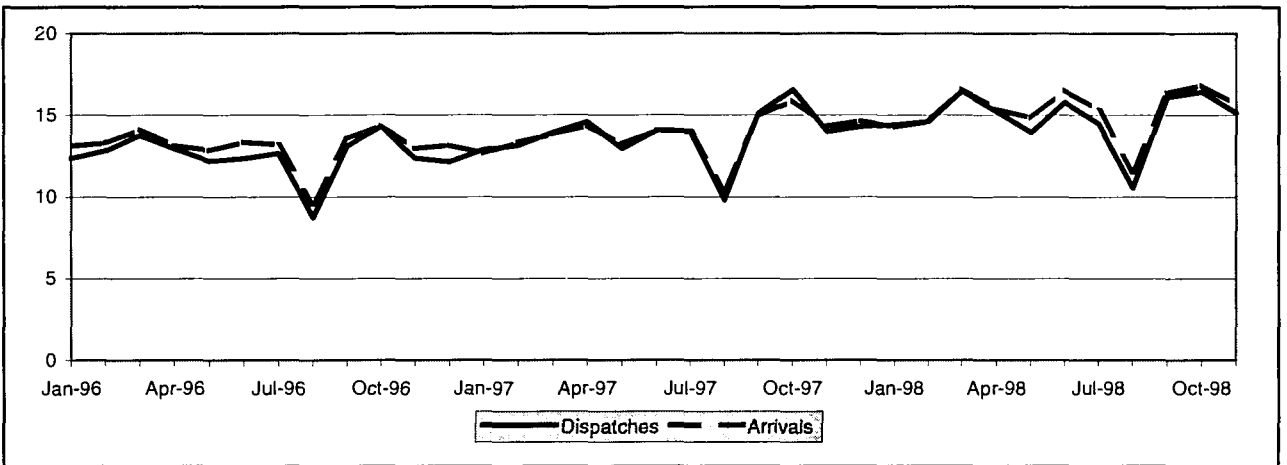




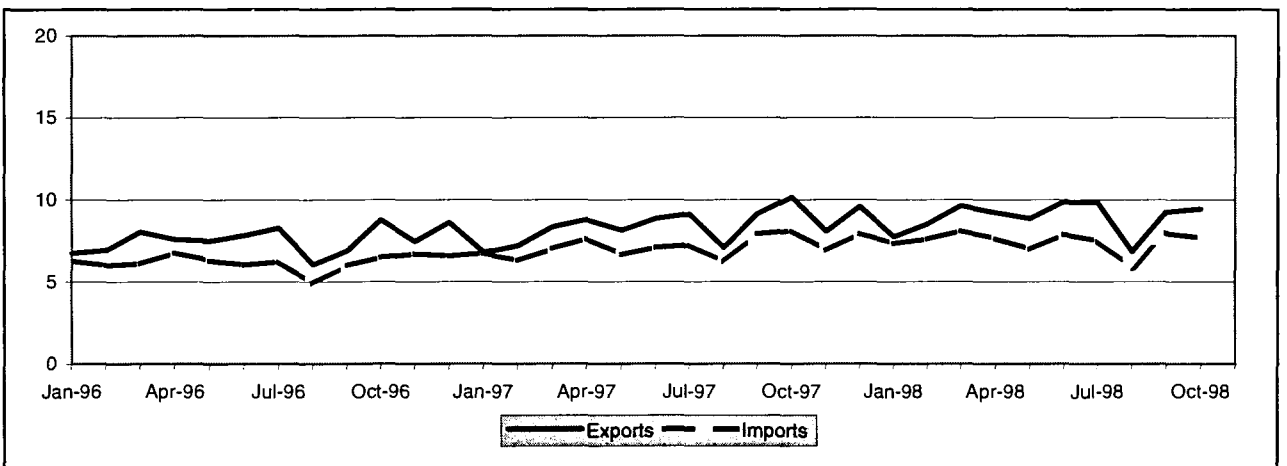
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Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
1994	-4 402	-3 718	-168	-4 854	1 047	2 077	-1 551	-64	-4 178	528	831	-519	-195	3 729
1995	-6 438	-3 926	-88	-4 091	1 254	2 297	-1 827	597	-4 764	907	741	-383	-159	3 004
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1998 Jan-Nov	-4 901	-5 066	158	-4 699	1 662	4 593	-2 088	-371	-6 267	736	1 078	-323	491	5 194
1997 Nov	-343	-338	-3	-672	110	468	-187	121	-546	25	167	-30	48	495
Dec	-355	-194	-6	-440	137	393	-190	114	-662	32	112	-37	29	357
1998 Jan	142	-316	7	-293	140	527	-155	174	-471	109	94	-12	70	269
Feb	-7	-279	20	-443	146	432	-146	111	-582	102	86	-9	68	487
Mar	-154	-486	69	-167	157	452	-209	0	-646	79	125	-9	55	426
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Jun	-761	-529	-7	-715	152	322	-212	-102	-655	58	72	-40	37	858
Jul	-843	-695	-24	-473	177	331	-208	-286	-431	43	45	-31	10	698
Aug	-1 016	-488	-27	-408	127	145	-161	-181	-523	119	76	-36	46	295
Sep	-257	-492	26	-352	177	539	-202	9	-681	45	134	-65	40	564
Oct	-435	-370	-7	-366	176	554	-270	-93	-604	59	87	-11	42	367
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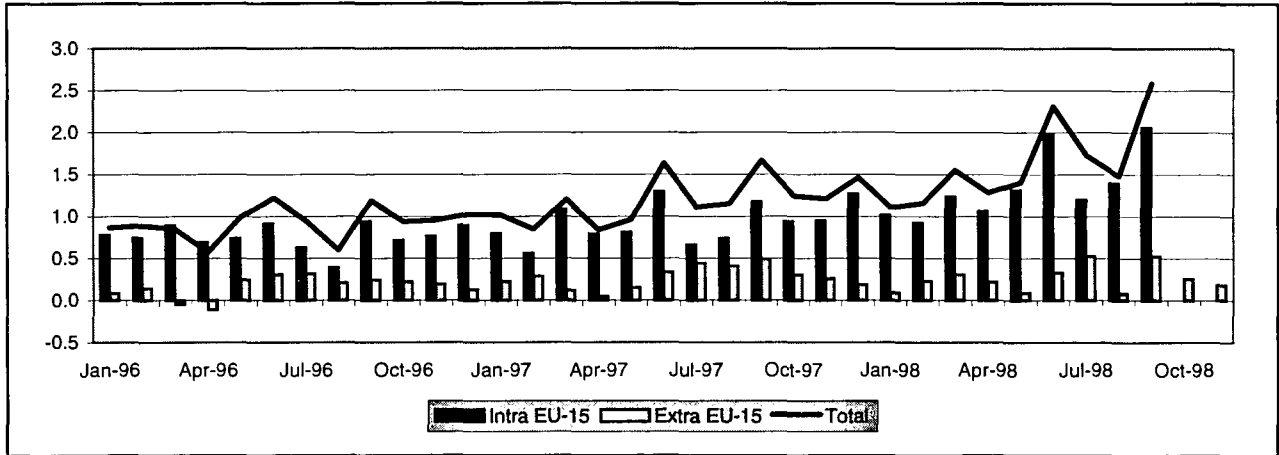
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Nov	1 166	-241	120	-387	29	75	-159	262	29	553	295	52	24	118
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Mar	1 529	-217	204	-291	22	-159	-121	284	50	533	236	152	371	209
Apr	1 582	-196	218	-116	146	-220	-169	314	69	553	219	89	189	449
May	1 869	-157	178	42	285	-250	-83	289	40	564	223	47	154	120
Jun	1 965	-145	188	191	59	-76	-164	315	56	659	235	47	237	292
Jul	2 345	-87	89	417	53	-157	-64	259	-33	781	390	259	312	126
Aug	1 005	-94	111	-57	67	-143	-76	187	-21	376	295	-40	241	172
Sep	1 306	-58	242	176	37	-264	-170	195	-128	530	192	104	382	-12
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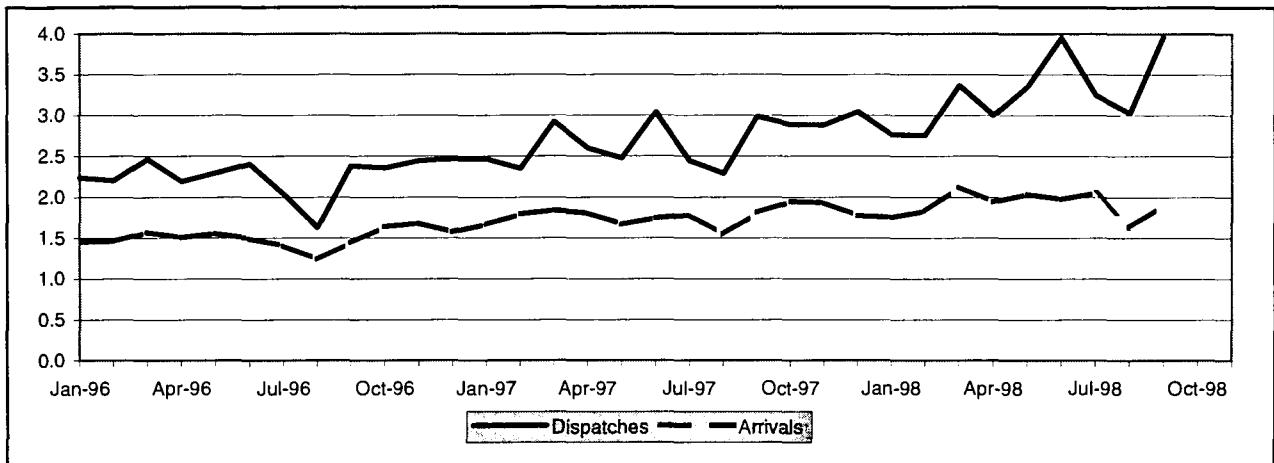




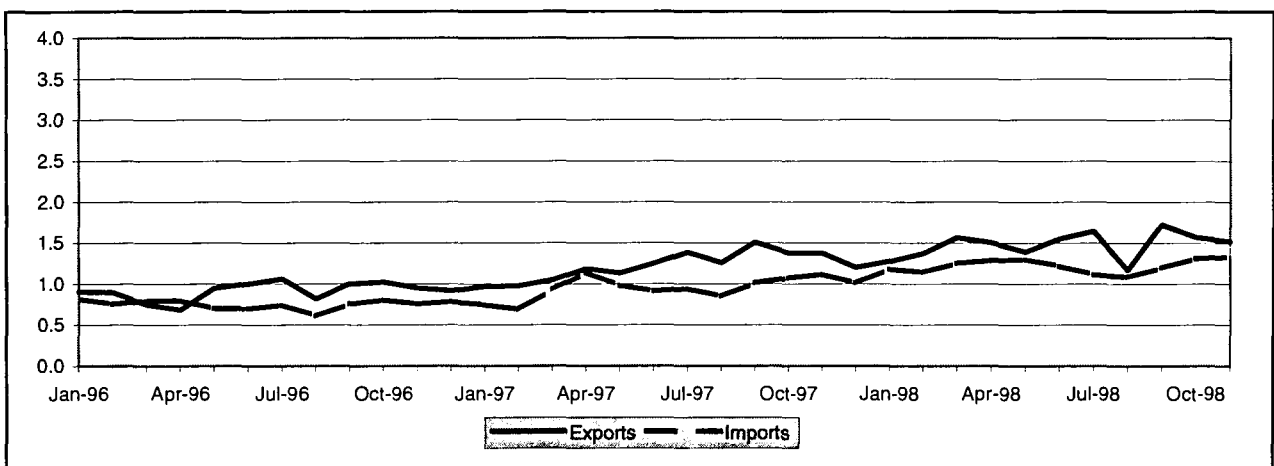
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		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
1994	<b>6 793</b>	804	122	2 546	133	482	1 918	708	895	129	72	105	316	-873
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1997	<b>11 082</b>	1 911	277	3 896	135	868	2 155	958	2 113	124	136	-11	393	-1 446
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1997 Sep	<b>1 174</b>	115	39	392	9	89	199	90	333	11	10	5	36	-104
Oct	<b>939</b>	211	18	355	9	108	217	76	108	12	13	-2	38	-168
Nov	<b>953</b>	181	15	384	10	80	240	85	147	11	25	-21	41	-218
Dec	<b>1 271</b>	252	29	480	9	93	240	74	180	20	11	1	45	-139
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Mar	<b>1 237</b>	194	34	458	13	114	269	116	183	23	13	10	47	-188
Apr	<b>1 062</b>	166	16	463	11	61	256	74	114	18	6	-1	50	-124
May	<b>1 316</b>	200	19	739	11	82	215	119	138	16	14	-1	66	-242
Jun	<b>1 977</b>	244	21	1 012	16	108	292	117	233	23	21	3	43	-104
Jul	<b>1 199</b>	255	24	449	10	84	294	89	127	15	6	-3	38	-136
Aug	<b>1 397</b>	324	14	600	6	91	195	94	142	19	10	4	51	-104
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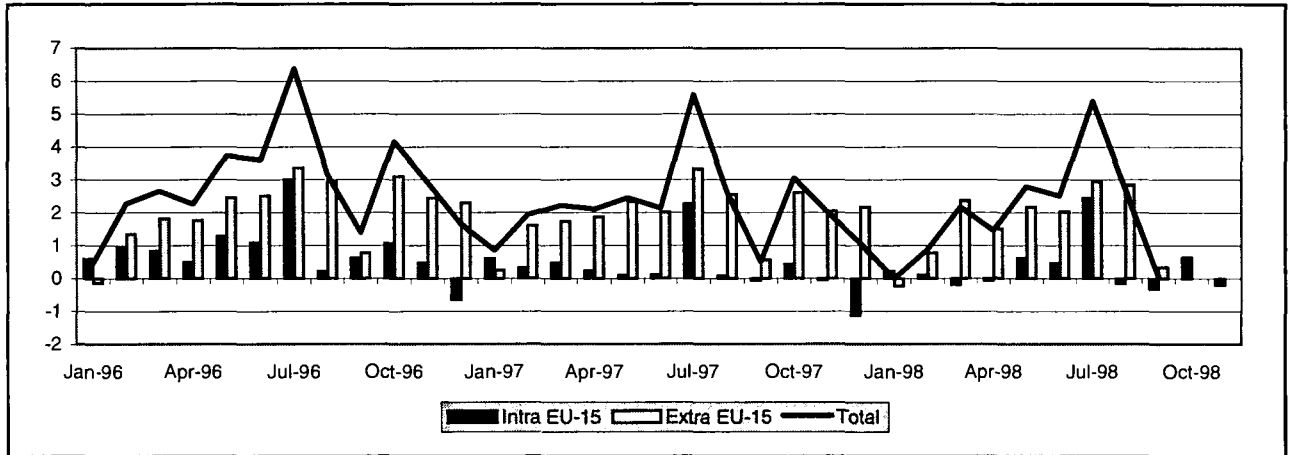
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1997	<b>3 259</b>	3	565	635	36	-238	-384	296	334	365	306	489	-387	56
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1998 Jan	<b>91</b>	-15	59	46	-12	-31	-64	29	22	33	28	34	-122	2
Feb	<b>231</b>	18	53	109	-14	-30	-74	22	23	28	28	35	-74	2
Mar	<b>311</b>	2	73	141	5	-34	-27	26	35	29	25	54	-126	3
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May	<b>90</b>	7	52	-12	1	-20	-91	26	38	46	29	40	-138	2
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Oct	<b>259</b>	21	92	173	-10	-53	-89	43	6	43	41	58	-156	3
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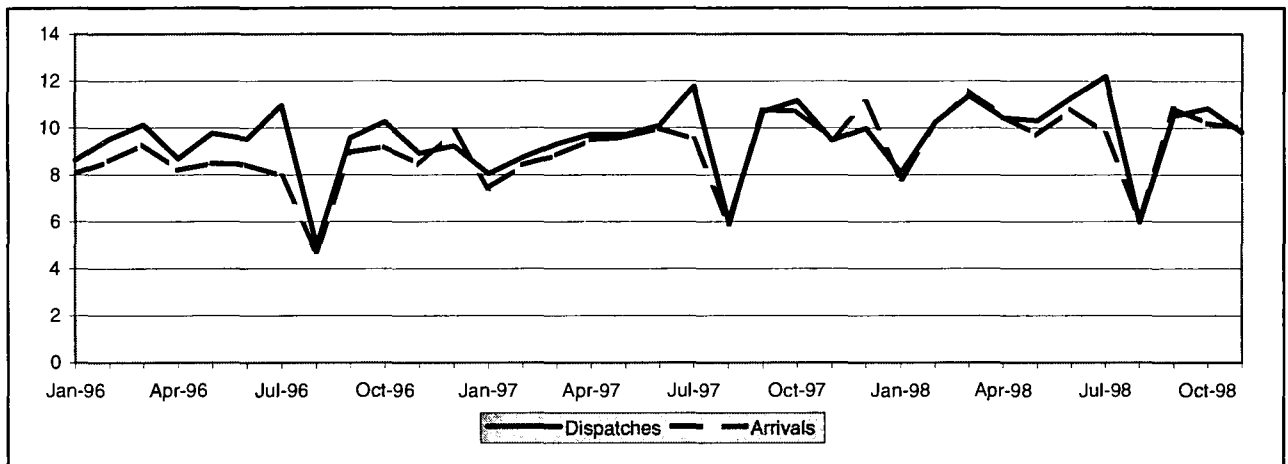




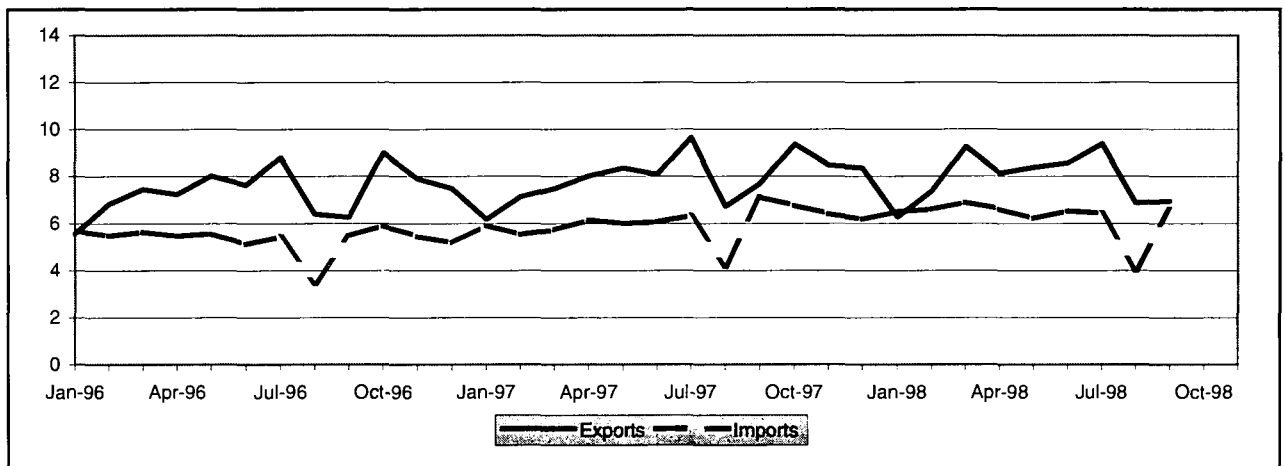
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		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
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1996	<b>9 972</b>	-2 466	151	4 206	2 524	2 831	3 093	-852	-3 689	888	1 822	75	-293	1 929
1997	<b>3 418</b>	-2 901	192	1 372	2 900	2 188	1 372	-1 071	-5 312	556	1 959	-23	-463	2 649
1998 Jan-Nov	<b>3 585</b>	-3 115	173	-478	2 928	3 474	2 288	-1 125	-5 081	316	1 912	-267	-493	3 053
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1998 Jan	<b>231</b>	-208	-1	59	205	223	211	-82	-445	29	138	-9	-22	133
Feb	<b>116</b>	-279	14	-113	230	249	137	-98	-463	17	175	-5	-13	265
Mar	<b>-199</b>	-316	28	-190	320	306	99	-108	-640	22	188	-10	-54	156
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Jun	<b>468</b>	-287	18	-54	284	325	298	-142	-449	26	199	-41	-84	377
Jul	<b>2 444</b>	-137	43	400	338	489	544	-80	-205	82	223	-17	7	758
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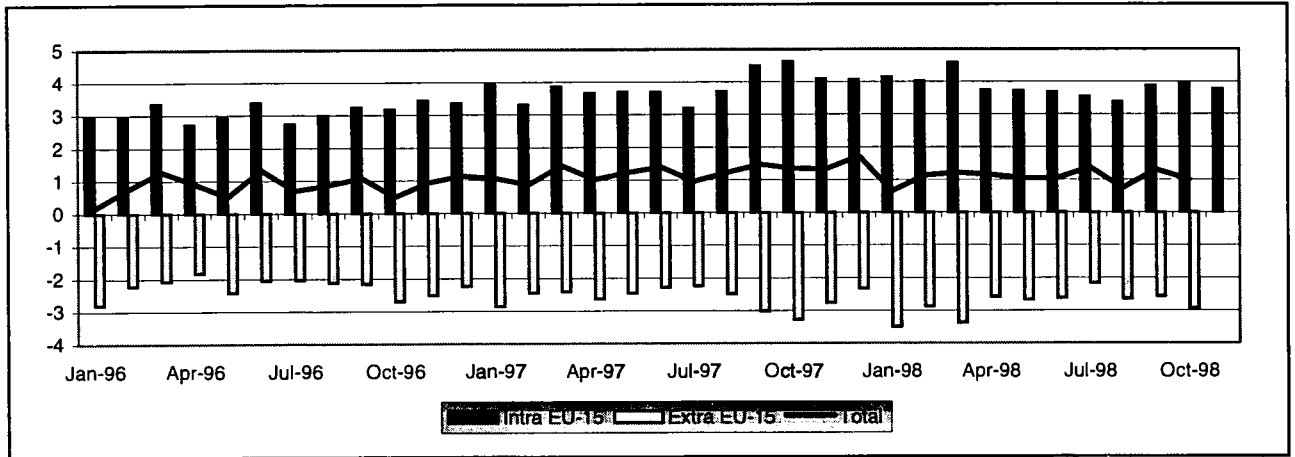
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1995	<b>14 697</b>	134	491	5 267	252	-983	640	2 717	-1 525	3 755	1 947	-1 579	5 310	-326
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1997	<b>23 141</b>	462	81	7 542	122	-1 666	439	4 875	-645	3 067	4 085	-4 461	5 997	98
1998 Jan-Sep	<b>14 797</b>	426	-146	6 317	208	-1 951	-316	3 443	-216	3 157	3 001	-2 073	1 198	753
1997 Sep	<b>561</b>	32	-35	465	-5	-294	-31	315	-3	79	222	-531	396	-94
Oct	<b>2 614</b>	34	-70	948	15	-116	7	540	-17	503	416	-327	576	-49
Nov	<b>2 058</b>	23	-63	567	14	-3	3	477	-106	302	439	-425	385	234
Dec	<b>2 180</b>	161	-29	623	6	-67	-56	445	-32	401	410	-451	374	-3
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Mar	<b>2 370</b>	56	-39	756	43	-161	-34	500	33	502	393	-125	172	268
Apr	<b>1 517</b>	101	-40	696	24	-163	-102	436	-88	402	329	-331	113	-30
May	<b>2 177</b>	35	-14	621	51	-165	-94	472	72	462	331	-167	126	392
Jun	<b>2 039</b>	34	-37	934	20	-215	-132	402	-69	450	294	-189	84	354
Jul	<b>2 951</b>	47	5	982	25	-181	45	526	131	687	516	34	145	-10
Aug	<b>2 851</b>	99	126	785	37	-114	173	386	136	313	470	-223	296	81
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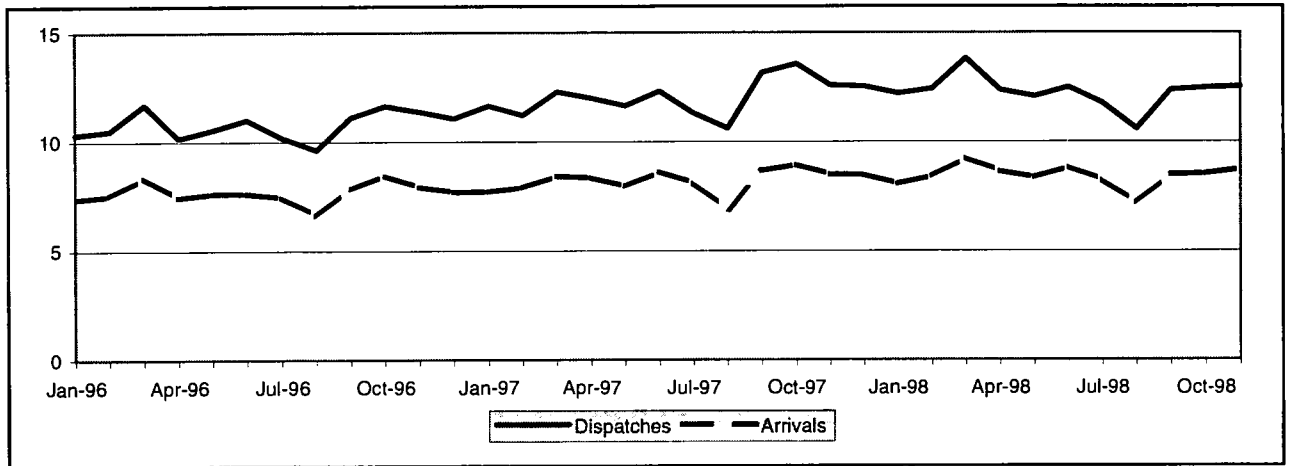




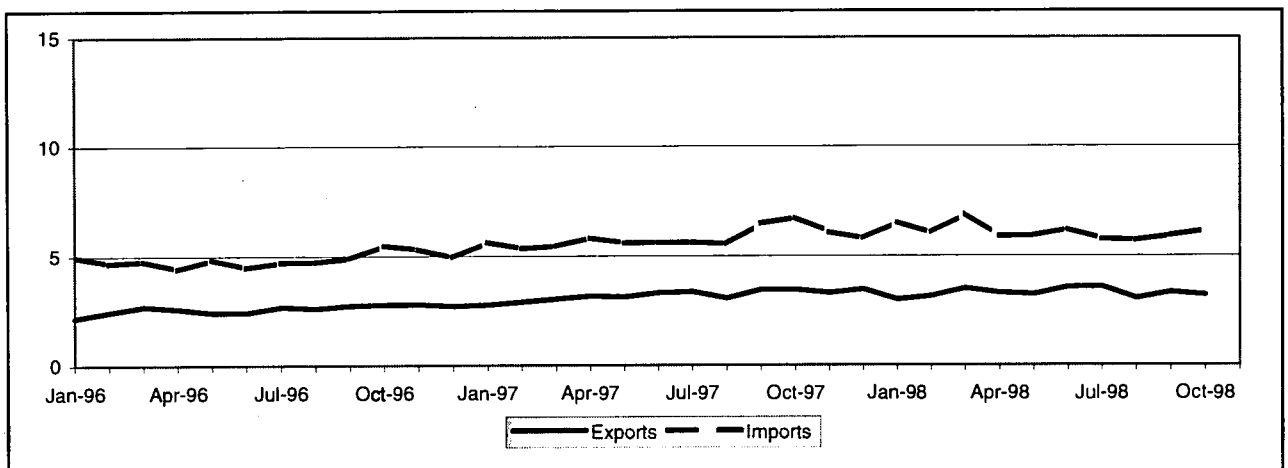
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		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	A	P	FIN	S	UK
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1997	<b>46 341</b>	6 451	1 337	18 668	1 154	1 963	8 116	-667	4 901	1 686	574	251	212	2 928
1998 Jan-Nov	<b>42 424</b>	5 175	1 387	16 603	1 067	2 092	7 978	-722	4 997	1 595	729	372	118	2 557
1997 Nov	<b>4 092</b>	397	122	1 692	118	191	771	-58	460	156	60	57	43	201
Dec	<b>4 061</b>	597	124	1 635	100	149	779	-110	463	132	47	40	11	209
1998 Jan	<b>4 148</b>	621	116	1 657	103	158	629	-57	559	177	54	26	1	255
Feb	<b>4 014</b>	591	132	1 551	110	161	668	-46	515	144	54	30	1	237
Mar	<b>4 597</b>	557	150	1 925	100	158	787	-79	624	146	54	48	7	282
Apr	<b>3 738</b>	433	126	1 585	91	148	650	-73	416	130	104	32	27	214
May	<b>3 720</b>	472	119	1 454	100	173	740	-88	428	144	150	17	11	137
Jun	<b>3 676</b>	370	108	1 488	84	212	827	-108	435	139	51	22	-46	205
Jul	<b>3 541</b>	449	115	1 346	92	212	684	-99	312	122	43	35	41	331
Aug	<b>3 391</b>	452	99	1 281	80	187	639	-25	302	115	45	42	5	324
Sep	<b>3 880</b>	445	147	1 406	102	214	768	-34	469	145	55	21	22	255
Oct	<b>3 948</b>	400	144	1 474	97	225	850	-34	443	187	61	34	28	181
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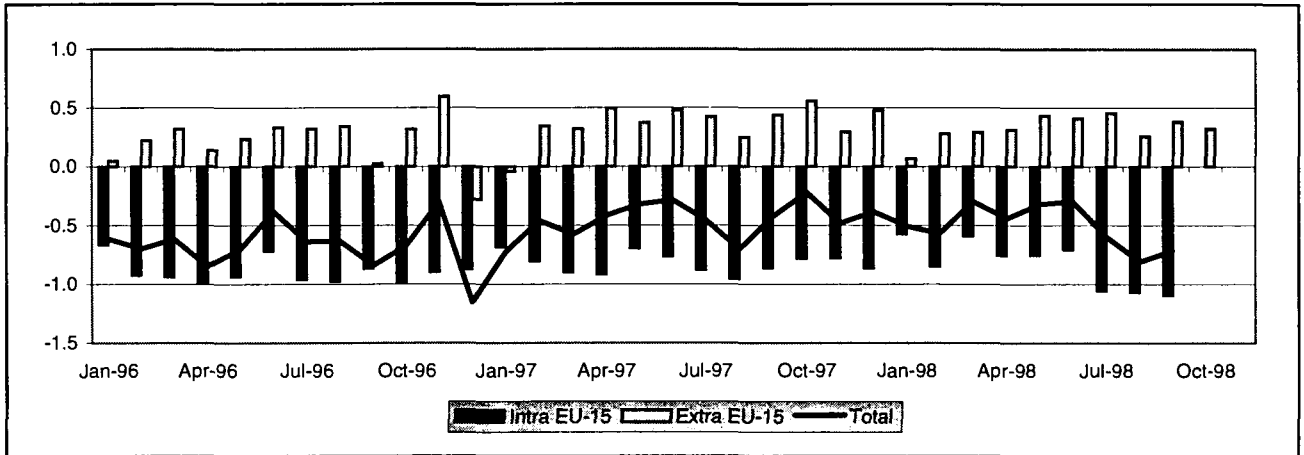
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Dec	<b>-2 330</b>	-170	26	-828	-48	-170	-471	103	26	191	-102	-184	-603	47
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May	<b>-2 675</b>	-282	70	-629	-69	-233	-535	136	-3	65	-242	-195	-686	9
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Aug	<b>-2 653</b>	-113	69	-651	-24	-263	-390	103	1	63	-326	-248	-738	-4
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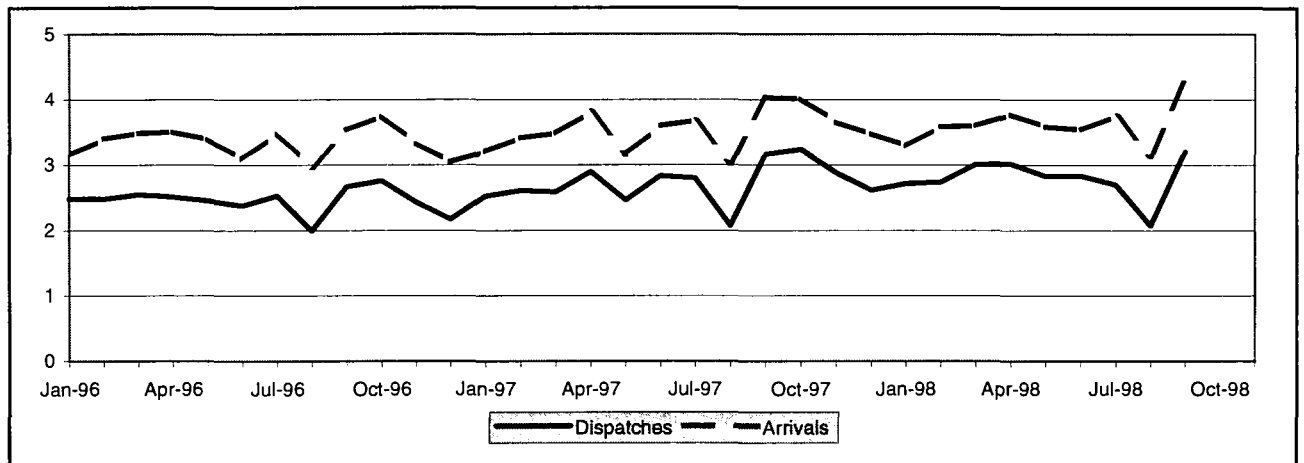




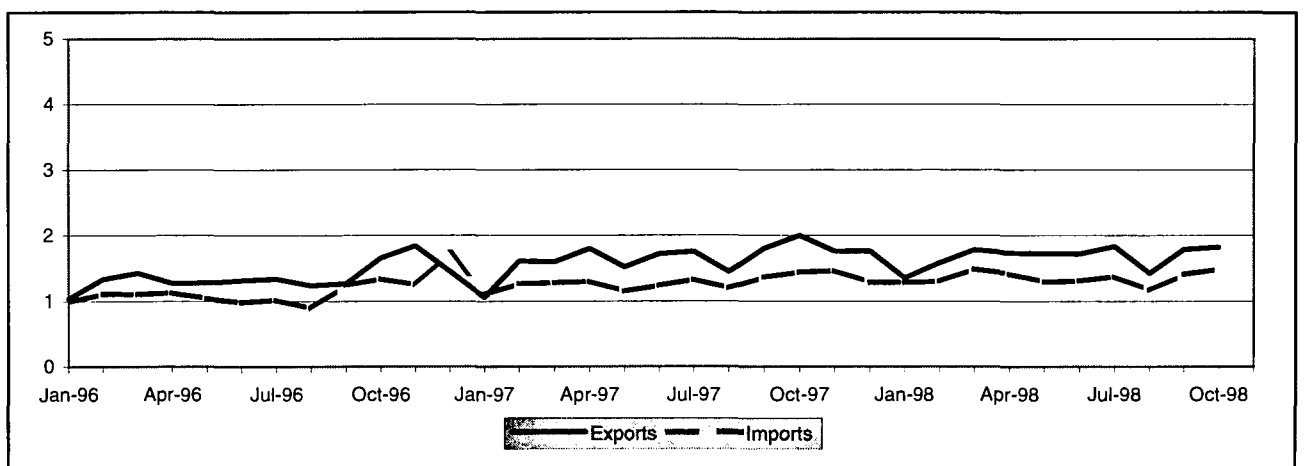
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1994	-7 271	-631	-55	-4 187	11	184	-472	-145	-1 038	-277	-102	-121	-288	-152
1995	-9 403	-599	-16	-7 529	113	350	-566	-94	-422	-1 174	1	-39	-230	49
1996	-10 724	-440	-33	-8 182	106	412	-492	-95	-663	-1 302	14	-52	-165	167
1997	-9 872	-675	16	-8 317	129	499	-390	-88	-247	-1 370	40	-33	-64	629
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Oct	-779	-49	5	-788	13	71	-5	-11	21	-107	4	-1	-3	71
Nov	-775	-46	4	-745	11	47	3	-8	5	-127	1	-3	-7	88
Dec	-863	-51	-8	-723	12	32	-18	-10	-4	-118	1	-5	-19	48
1998 Jan	-574	-55	2	-471	7	40	-15	3	49	-153	2	-5	-15	36
Feb	-852	-48	0	-683	5	38	-120	3	26	-115	1	0	-15	57
Mar	-590	-58	5	-519	11	59	-61	4	-1	-79	4	-3	-10	57
Apr	-756	-59	6	-578	12	59	-42	-22	-4	-160	5	-3	-18	47
May	-753	-45	8	-701	13	62	10	-13	21	-144	9	7	-19	40
Jun	-706	-61	5	-624	12	66	-7	-15	-25	-90	4	-5	-9	45
Jul	-1 053	-71	11	-765	11	43	-45	-7	-82	-177	4	4	-21	40
Aug	-1 067	-58	3	-775	8	26	-118	-9	-41	-103	1	2	-22	19
Sep	-1 096	-55	-0	-989	10	92	-45	-9	30	-167	3	4	8	22

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Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1994	-1 394	64	510	-705	-82	-445	-1 401	1 387	-206	424	-76	-9	-109	-81
1995	2 905	131	326	-267	59	-114	-274	2 062	-139	804	170	103	253	-109
1996	2 625	199	222	-292	1	-227	-108	1 793	-161	704	311	-116	287	-198
1997	4 424	213	346	-163	46	-267	-138	2 838	35	1 272	479	-1	301	-125
1998 Jan-Oct	3 225	150	357	85	60	-170	-290	1 921	-138	933	375	180	30	-11
1997 Oct	559	18	78	36	-2	-30	-8	287	36	104	42	-19	37	-17
Nov	295	15	3	-119	9	-18	4	234	10	104	49	-10	22	-3
Dec	479	22	10	45	-30	-16	-28	260	36	164	40	22	28	1
1998 Jan	69	11	-12	-8	8	-43	-36	140	-62	61	26	16	-14	-23
Feb	281	11	6	18	1	-30	-35	178	5	99	47	12	2	-17
Mar	293	15	-4	22	13	-2	-59	164	4	103	35	41	1	6
Apr	315	19	14	17	-13	-23	-50	189	8	83	43	8	29	10
May	434	19	51	25	2	2	-30	245	-1	121	31	12	5	-1
Jun	410	18	90	41	-1	-12	-23	174	-17	93	28	18	9	3
Jul	458	17	34	26	15	-4	-6	192	-15	108	46	45	23	10
Aug	260	11	52	12	13	-28	-35	176	-13	76	38	4	-13	-14
Sep	382	20	42	-3	7	-16	3	250	-28	106	39	6	-1	6
Oct	323	8	83	-65	17	-12	-21	212	-19	83	43	19	-11	9

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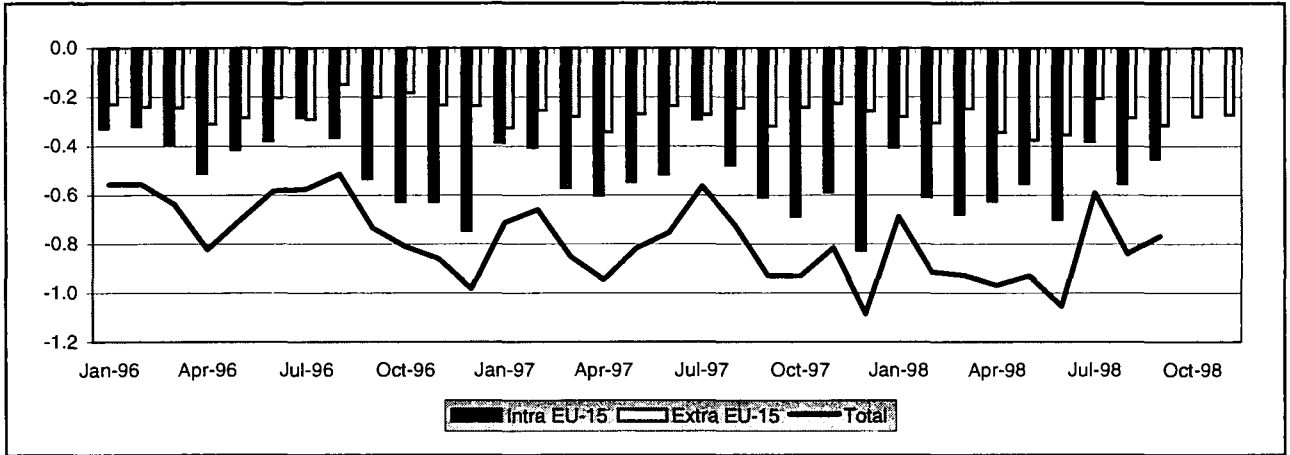
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Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	P	FIN	S	UK
<b>DISPATCHES</b>														
% 1997	100.0	2.8	1.2	56.3	0.7	3.6	6.7	0.4	13.6	4.5	0.7	0.9	2.0	6.7
<b>Value (Bn ECU)</b>														
1994	24 543	714	324	14 421	175	810	1 721	82	3 073	1 127	177	197	527	1 197
1995	29 036	726	354	16 564	242	879	1 838	93	3 775	1 221	168	272	590	1 376
1996	29 405	884	366	17 133	218	1 018	1 962	99	3 838	1 188	191	279	603	1 625
1997	32 692	912	397	18 408	233	1 177	2 174	123	4 449	1 456	217	310	658	2 177
1998 Jan-Sep	25 120	716	323	14 234	164	989	1 669	124	3 481	1 026	165	241	459	1 530
1997 Sep	3 168	84	35	1 841	20	107	188	9	446	119	18	29	68	203
Oct	3 238	92	40	1 764	22	132	226	10	450	160	22	31	68	221
Nov	2 883	79	37	1 570	20	107	203	11	399	121	18	28	62	227
Dec	2 614	70	28	1 460	21	88	189	9	356	119	18	24	48	186
1998 Jan	2 717	70	32	1 557	17	97	167	20	393	118	17	23	46	159
Feb	2 734	81	33	1 514	17	96	191	19	394	110	17	27	47	188
Mar	3 011	92	38	1 704	19	118	199	20	420	128	20	24	48	181
Apr	3 019	92	36	1 717	21	115	207	20	407	128	21	29	55	173
May	2 832	82	36	1 528	20	117	215	11	429	124	22	34	51	163
Jun	2 833	83	38	1 601	19	121	189	7	393	110	19	23	59	173
Jul	2 699	63	40	1 548	19	110	166	10	382	102	19	26	38	176
Aug	2 072	63	32	1 238	14	66	129	5	220	91	12	22	40	140
Sep	3 203	88	38	1 827	18	151	206	10	444	115	18	33	76	178
<b>Annual Variation (%)</b>														
1994	9.4	10.3	8.0	8.0	0.9	13.4	13.7	19.4	13.2	11.4	6.0	10.2	10.8	7.2
1995	18.3	1.7	9.3	14.9	38.4	8.6	6.8	13.7	22.8	8.3	-4.7	38.0	12.0	15.0
1996	1.3	21.8	3.3	3.4	-9.7	15.8	6.7	6.6	1.7	-2.7	13.5	2.7	2.2	18.1
1997	11.2	3.2	8.7	7.4	6.5	15.6	10.8	24.3	15.9	22.5	13.8	11.2	9.1	33.9
1998 Jan-Sep	4.9	6.5	10.5	4.5	-3.2	16.4	7.3	32.4	7.3	-2.8	2.6	6.6	-4.4	-0.9
1998 Jun	-0.0	13.3	12.7	-0.4	-12.7	4.6	7.9	-11.8	-2.7	-2.1	3.3	-4.1	-8.3	-2.3
Jul	-3.6	-8.3	37.8	-3.8	19.5	12.9	-2.4	4.5	-1.5	-29.7	9.6	9.7	-16.4	-1.5
Aug	0.1	-4.4	14.7	3.0	-2.4	18.5	-5.3	-21.2	-6.1	-5.3	-5.9	1.0	-5.6	-9.7
Sep	1.1	4.7	7.8	-0.8	-8.5	40.7	9.7	15.8	-0.4	-3.0	2.9	14.1	11.1	-12.2
<b>ARRIVALS</b>														
% 1997	100.0	3.7	0.9	62.8	0.2	1.6	6.0	0.5	11.0	6.6	0.4	0.8	1.7	3.6
<b>Value (Bn ECU)</b>														
1994	31 814	1 344	378	18 608	164	625	2 192	226	4 111	1 405	278	318	815	1 349
1995	38 439	1 325	370	24 093	129	529	2 404	187	4 196	2 395	167	310	820	1 327
1996	40 129	1 324	399	25 315	113	606	2 453	194	4 501	2 490	177	331	768	1 458
1997	42 564	1 587	382	26 725	104	678	2 564	211	4 697	2 826	178	343	722	1 547
1998 Jan-Sep	32 567	1 226	283	20 340	75	504	2 112	191	3 507	2 214	133	240	578	1 166
1997 Sep	4 029	145	36	2 614	9	53	223	20	413	275	12	30	64	135
Oct	4 017	141	35	2 552	9	61	232	21	429	267	17	32	71	150
Nov	3 658	125	33	2 315	9	60	200	19	394	248	17	31	69	138
Dec	3 478	121	36	2 183	9	55	208	18	360	237	17	29	67	138
1998 Jan	3 291	126	30	2 029	10	57	182	17	344	271	15	29	60	122
Feb	3 586	129	33	2 198	12	59	311	16	368	225	16	26	62	131
Mar	3 601	150	33	2 223	8	58	260	16	420	207	16	27	58	123
Apr	3 775	151	31	2 295	9	56	249	42	410	287	16	32	73	125
May	3 584	127	28	2 229	7	54	205	25	409	268	14	26	70	123
Jun	3 539	145	33	2 225	7	55	197	23	417	200	15	28	68	128
Jul	3 752	134	28	2 313	7	66	211	18	464	279	15	23	58	136
Aug	3 139	121	29	2 013	6	41	246	15	261	195	11	20	61	121
Sep	4 299	143	38	2 815	8	59	251	20	413	282	16	29	68	156
<b>Annual Variation (%)</b>														
1994	10.4	13.2	13.3	8.0	2.7	11.1	19.1	7.2	9.2	16.7	15.1	19.3	18.2	19.0
1995	20.8	-1.4	-2.2	29.5	-21.2	-15.5	9.6	-17.2	2.1	70.5	-40.0	-2.4	0.7	-1.6
1996	4.4	-0.1	7.7	5.1	-12.8	14.5	2.1	3.4	7.3	4.0	5.8	6.8	-6.3	9.8
1997	6.1	19.8	-4.3	5.6	-7.9	12.0	4.5	8.9	4.3	13.5	0.5	3.6	-6.0	6.2
1998 Jan-Sep	3.7	2.1	2.1	3.4	-3.1	0.3	9.7	25.0	-0.2	6.8	4.9	-4.5	12.2	4.0
1998 Jun	-1.6	5.3	5.7	-2.2	-11.0	-15.8	-2.0	17.1	2.2	-10.4	17.2	3.3	2.9	3.1
Jul	2.0	5.3	10.2	-0.3	-15.2	6.1	4.0	-19.8	-1.4	21.7	-9.2	-1.5	19.5	10.9
Aug	3.8	-7.8	1.8	2.9	-19.6	5.6	72.1	-5.4	-8.3	-11.7	-0.6	-4.3	12.5	8.7
Sep	6.7	-0.9	5.8	7.7	-5.6	10.2	12.5	-0.1	0.2	2.6	27.1	-4.5	5.6	15.9

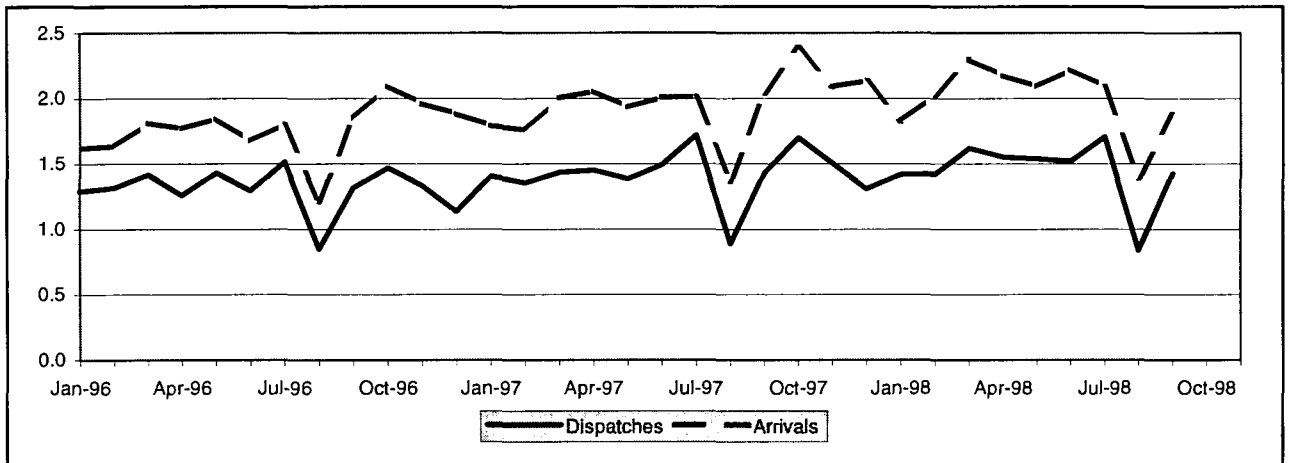
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Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
<b>EXPORTS</b>														
% 1997	100.0	1.5	12.8	9.7	1.8	1.5	3.3	41.4	5.3	15.0	3.4	4.8	5.3	0.7
<b>Value (Bn ECU)</b>														
1994	13 311	210	2 408	1 341	234	274	590	4 461	671	1 635	376	803	639	135
1995	15 106	206	2 394	1 312	267	343	593	5 484	815	1 946	440	768	1 002	152
1996	16 448	270	2 264	1 462	326	270	712	6 227	850	2 216	506	829	1 001	134
1997	19 829	292	2 531	1 922	360	302	660	8 200	1 052	2 979	673	949	1 049	134
1998 Jan-Oct	16 759	225	2 318	1 880	293	318	418	7 029	735	2 381	565	709	681	122
1997 Oct	2 001	27	273	229	31	24	57	823	107	284	57	81	107	10
Nov	1 760	22	215	183	29	28	46	744	94	254	62	84	80	12
Dec	1 763	30	189	177	25	28	44	727	130	315	52	99	81	17
1998 Jan	1 351	19	189	163	23	15	36	557	54	179	45	61	57	8
Feb	1 579	18	208	177	30	21	36	657	77	226	60	71	67	10
Mar	1 783	23	232	209	30	41	37	734	92	261	53	98	68	14
Apr	1 731	27	229	187	27	21	34	724	90	238	66	70	89	20
May	1 725	24	244	179	27	41	42	747	85	247	56	57	63	10
Jun	1 719	26	255	186	29	34	44	704	79	242	51	70	73	13
Jul	1 834	23	242	226	35	40	63	718	79	256	65	82	83	14
Aug	1 424	17	203	139	29	28	35	613	68	203	54	57	49	8
Sep	1 788	25	243	202	25	40	44	796	52	272	55	69	74	11
Oct	1 824	23	274	210	38	38	46	779	58	256	60	74	58	13
<b>Annual Variation (%)</b>														
1994	11.9	9.9	10.2	14.0	7.3	2.2	12.4	19.3	544.0	22.0	20.4	-12.4	-2.7	-16.3
1995	13.5	-1.8	-0.6	-2.2	14.4	25.2	0.4	22.9	21.5	19.1	16.9	-4.3	56.8	12.7
1996	8.9	31.1	-5.4	11.5	22.0	-21.4	20.1	13.6	4.3	13.9	15.1	8.0	-0.1	-12.1
1997	20.6	7.9	11.8	31.5	10.2	12.1	-7.3	31.7	23.8	34.4	32.9	14.5	4.7	-0.0
1998 Jan-Oct	2.8	-6.0	9.0	20.4	-4.1	28.8	-26.7	4.4	-11.4	-1.2	1.1	-7.5	-23.3	16.6
1998 Jul	4.6	-8.3	11.3	34.5	5.4	84.5	-14.5	-0.1	-11.8	-10.3	5.6	-2.6	-14.0	11.7
Aug	-1.6	-21.3	22.4	2.7	12.8	112.9	-20.2	-2.1	-13.8	-8.8	31.1	-19.2	-49.2	21.8
Sep	-0.8	18.3	10.5	12.7	-22.7	35.6	-17.9	3.2	-45.0	1.7	-10.7	-14.4	-20.4	-0.1
Oct	-8.9	-13.2	0.3	-8.2	22.7	60.0	-19.7	-5.3	-45.4	-9.7	6.1	-8.5	-46.2	27.4
<b>IMPORTS</b>														
% 1997	100.0	0.5	14.2	13.5	2.0	3.7	5.2	34.8	6.6	11.1	1.3	6.2	4.9	1.7
<b>Value (Bn ECU)</b>														
1994	14 705	146	1 897	2 046	316	719	1 992	3 074	877	1 210	452	812	748	216
1995	12 201	75	2 068	1 579	208	457	866	3 422	954	1 142	270	665	749	261
1996	13 823	72	2 042	1 754	325	496	820	4 433	1 011	1 512	195	945	715	332
1997	15 405	79	2 185	2 085	314	570	798	5 362	1 017	1 707	194	950	747	259
1998 Jan-Oct	13 533	75	1 961	1 795	233	488	708	5 108	872	1 448	190	529	651	133
1997 Oct	1 442	9	195	193	33	54	65	536	71	180	15	100	70	27
Nov	1 465	8	212	303	20	46	42	509	84	150	13	94	57	15
Dec	1 285	8	179	131	55	44	72	467	93	151	12	77	53	16
1998 Jan	1 283	8	201	172	15	58	72	417	116	119	19	45	70	31
Feb	1 298	6	202	159	29	51	70	479	72	127	14	60	64	26
Mar	1 490	8	235	187	17	43	96	570	88	158	18	57	68	8
Apr	1 416	8	215	170	40	44	84	535	82	155	23	61	61	10
May	1 291	5	193	154	25	39	72	503	86	127	25	44	58	11
Jun	1 309	7	165	145	30	46	66	530	96	149	22	52	63	10
Jul	1 376	6	208	200	20	44	69	525	94	148	19	38	60	4
Aug	1 164	6	150	127	17	56	71	437	81	127	16	53	62	22
Sep	1 406	6	201	205	18	57	41	545	80	166	16	64	76	5
Oct	1 501	15	190	275	22	50	67	568	78	173	17	55	69	5
<b>Annual Variation (%)</b>														
1994	15.9	11.2	11.9	11.7	97.9	26.2	9.2	22.8	1 028.4	20.8	29.2	-3.6	-8.2	-42.9
1995	-17.0	-48.5	9.0	-22.8	-34.2	-36.4	-56.5	11.3	8.8	-5.7	-40.3	-18.1	0.1	20.7
1996	13.3	-4.7	-1.3	11.1	56.4	8.6	-5.3	29.6	6.0	32.5	-27.8	42.1	-4.6	27.3
1997	11.4	10.1	7.0	18.9	-3.5	14.8	-2.6	21.0	0.6	12.9	-0.6	0.5	4.6	-22.0
1998 Jan-Oct	6.9	18.6	9.4	8.7	-2.6	1.7	3.5	16.5	3.8	3.0	12.4	-32.2	2.2	-41.5
1998 Jul	3.4	1.0	5.2	22.1	33.2	-4.9	9.0	13.4	17.7	3.9	-1.7	-61.3	-1.6	-81.4
Aug	-2.7	47.7	4.8	-12.7	42.2	10.7	-9.9	3.1	-20.3	-8.5	26.6	-34.7	1.7	-14.3
Sep	3.1	-35.7	2.4	31.8	-5.2	-8.8	-43.4	9.8	-3.8	5.4	-13.7	-17.0	7.0	-63.9
Oct	4.1	66.7	-2.4	42.9	-34.5	-7.6	2.7	5.8	9.0	-3.8	15.5	-45.2	-1.5	-82.9

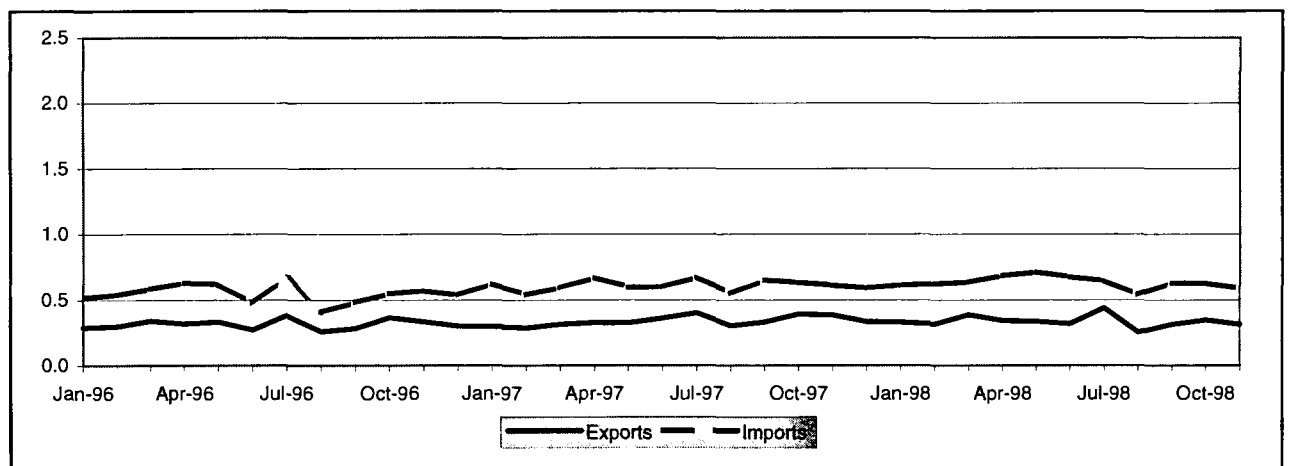
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**TRADE BALANCE**
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Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	FIN	S	UK
1994	<b>-4 623</b>	-223	153	-303	40	-2 335	-693	-79	-1 441	-169	-11	47	109	260
1995	<b>-4 484</b>	-304	183	175	31	-2 614	-541	-74	-1 516	-210	34	9	72	263
1996	<b>-5 529</b>	-120	123	-211	46	-3 471	-317	-62	-1 617	-285	54	4	80	234
1997	<b>-6 512</b>	-48	177	-407	51	-4 206	-340	-109	-1 681	-413	58	-21	99	318
1998 Jan-Sep	<b>-4 959</b>	-52	94	-349	36	-3 075	-273	-96	-1 208	-330	26	-61	-12	335
1997 Sep	<b>-610</b>	-13	11	-35	4	-367	-31	-10	-149	-53	3	0	12	18
Oct	<b>-688</b>	13	17	-68	7	-437	-27	-10	-161	-53	11	-12	7	23
Nov	<b>-589</b>	17	12	-38	2	-412	-18	-11	-139	-48	8	-7	7	37
Dec	<b>-827</b>	-15	5	-65	5	-389	-120	-16	-158	-43	3	-6	2	-32
1998 Jan	<b>-407</b>	2	15	-32	4	-295	-2	-12	-110	-27	2	-1	19	28
Feb	<b>-608</b>	-11	12	-51	4	-363	-40	-7	-135	-43	4	-4	7	18
Mar	<b>-679</b>	-1	9	-28	6	-388	-55	-13	-156	-58	-2	-6	4	9
Apr	<b>-625</b>	-13	13	-88	2	-362	-19	-10	-133	-55	0	-7	-6	53
May	<b>-552</b>	5	9	-46	4	-357	3	-9	-158	-28	1	-11	-9	44
Jun	<b>-700</b>	-11	7	-46	2	-392	-90	-15	-164	-36	7	-6	-8	52
Jul	<b>-383</b>	-16	17	-18	4	-321	20	-12	-153	-13	3	-3	3	106
Aug	<b>-554</b>	-24	3	-56	4	-271	-59	-8	-79	-40	2	-9	-9	-10
Sep	<b>-452</b>	17	9	15	6	-326	-30	-9	-120	-30	8	-14	-13	36

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Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzer-land	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterra- nean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1994	<b>-3 003</b>	-209	-96	-36	42	-130	-533	-32	-149	-279	-472	-1 149	-285	-240
1995	<b>-3 029</b>	-136	-37	-27	21	-125	-425	-48	-179	-224	-513	-1 171	-426	-335
1996	<b>-2 806</b>	-33	-61	-16	-1	-157	-458	0	-185	-232	-423	-1 116	-357	-358
1997	<b>-3 276</b>	-48	-122	12	39	-178	-607	18	-237	-176	-547	-1 252	-399	-275
1998 Jan-Nov	<b>-3 273</b>	-171	-83	117	6	-224	-743	-55	-148	-155	-532	-783	-449	-184
1997 Nov	<b>-227</b>	-6	-10	-9	16	-15	-53	4	-22	-16	-15	-115	-29	4
Dec	<b>-258</b>	-2	-11	-1	-10	-11	-61	0	-11	-7	-51	-102	-31	-11
1998 Jan	<b>-281</b>	-9	-6	-6	-2	-17	-57	-4	-13	-14	-57	-74	-38	-7
Feb	<b>-306</b>	-9	-7	-5	3	-18	-42	-6	-21	-20	-41	-103	-40	-37
Mar	<b>-248</b>	-14	-13	-2	2	-18	-61	-6	-5	-2	-40	-58	-38	10
Apr	<b>-343</b>	-29	-10	-16	0	-19	-65	-4	-9	-18	-68	-60	-42	-17
May	<b>-377</b>	-41	-11	10	-4	-21	-71	-9	-13	-34	-65	-83	-43	-11
Jun	<b>-355</b>	-24	-12	24	3	-20	-50	-7	-17	-34	-72	-79	-39	-39
Jul	<b>-207</b>	1	1	44	13	-24	-79	-4	-15	2	-39	-55	-37	-9
Aug	<b>-285</b>	-14	-9	12	0	-19	-82	-0	-7	-5	-50	-77	-39	-17
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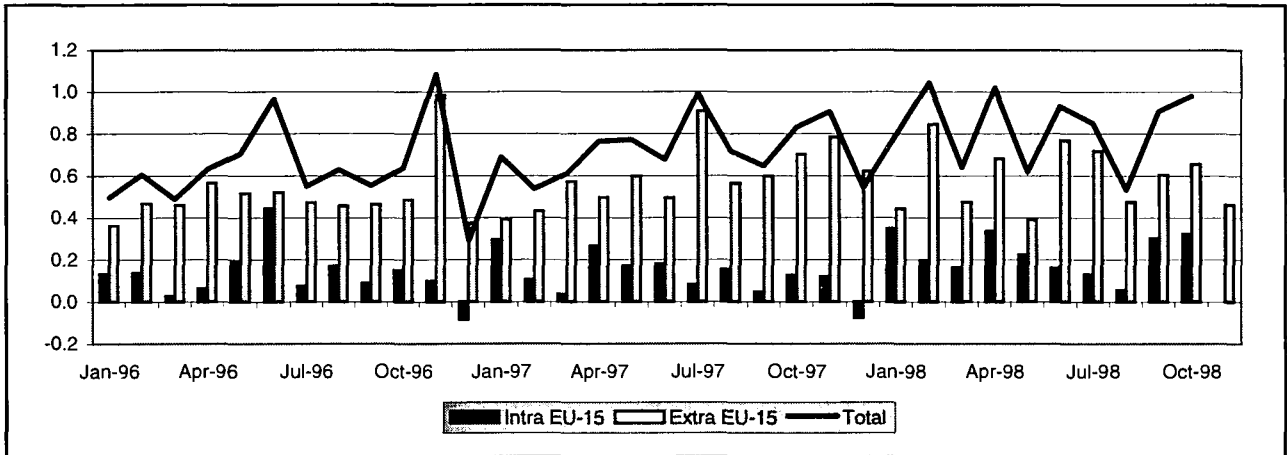


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<b>DISPATCHES</b>														
% 1997	100.0	5.5	2.2	24.5	0.5	18.0	17.5	0.6	4.8	6.2	1.4	1.0	2.6	1.0
Value (Bn ECU)														
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1998 Jan-Sep	13 042	761	249	3 152	68	2 486	2 310	71	658	782	160	111	321	19
1997 Sep	1 431	74	30	348	7	275	254	7	69	81	21	15	43	2
Oct	1 700	109	40	411	10	305	282	13	82	94	27	12	46	2
Nov	1 503	103	28	357	6	279	255	9	74	81	23	8	38	2
Dec	1 306	74	24	301	7	269	226	7	62	90	18	11	35	1
1998 Jan	1 419	82	31	324	6	262	261	7	73	97	15	13	41	2
Feb	1 421	79	31	335	8	272	252	8	82	90	18	14	36	2
Mar	1 620	97	30	399	9	305	289	9	99	91	19	14	36	2
Apr	1 552	90	28	361	8	290	281	9	87	85	20	12	37	2
May	1 539	94	25	370	8	304	277	8	73	91	18	11	33	2
Jun	1 521	89	24	369	7	299	276	6	69	86	19	11	33	2
Jul	1 708	85	37	416	7	324	308	10	81	104	20	16	44	2
Aug	837	42	16	210	6	169	131	6	33	56	12	8	26	1
Sep	1 426	102	27	367	9	261	235	8	62	83	21	13	35	2
Annual Variation (%)														
1994	14.8	18.8	23.5	11.0	-3.5	15.6	11.3	41.0	28.3	18.4	7.5	19.7	8.6	1.0
1995	15.4	-2.7	11.1	31.7	4.9	17.3	9.5	-6.7	13.8	12.6	5.9	-1.2	2.5	1.0
1996	12.0	50.1	-8.3	8.6	35.4	10.3	14.3	32.1	25.6	4.0	32.2	-0.4	7.2	1.0
1997	9.3	16.7	8.2	2.5	-8.7	8.8	7.3	2.2	14.1	10.3	3.6	6.9	11.1	2.0
1998 Jan-Sep	3.8	16.6	-14.8	1.0	5.1	11.6	3.9	8.3	8.2	-0.4	-7.7	-17.1	-2.7	1.0
1998 Jun	1.9	0.7	-18.1	-2.1	13.0	15.8	2.8	-11.0	-1.3	-2.1	-10.9	-16.1	-2.2	1.0
Jul	-0.7	-0.3	-15.5	-4.2	-12.7	14.5	-1.6	15.8	-6.3	-2.5	-13.1	-16.1	-4.0	1.0
Aug	-5.8	5.9	-45.2	-2.5	-4.1	3.4	-4.7	18.9	-30.7	-8.3	-14.2	38.5	-16.5	1.0
Sep	-0.4	37.9	-8.8	5.5	20.4	-4.9	-7.4	7.4	-10.4	2.3	1.6	-12.4	-18.1	1.0
<b>ARRIVALS</b>														
% 1997	100.0	4.2	0.9	19.5	0.2	30.9	14.1	0.9	10.6	6.2	0.8	0.8	1.5	1.0
Value (Bn ECU)														
1994	16 716	773	195	3 161	27	4 522	2 915	154	1 948	982	177	110	258	14
1995	18 436	839	203	3 589	39	5 179	2 975	144	2 092	1 125	143	146	304	16
1996	21 152	924	232	4 297	49	6 301	3 099	154	2 341	1 237	179	151	323	18
1997	23 583	986	207	4 596	36	7 287	3 327	204	2 507	1 463	183	187	349	22
1998 Jan-Sep	18 001	812	155	3 500	32	5 561	2 582	167	1 866	1 112	135	172	333	19
1997 Sep	2 041	87	19	383	4	642	285	18	218	134	18	15	31	1
Oct	2 388	96	23	479	3	742	309	22	243	147	15	24	38	2
Nov	2 092	86	16	394	3	691	273	20	212	129	15	15	31	2
Dec	2 134	88	19	366	2	658	346	23	219	133	15	17	33	2
1998 Jan	1 825	80	17	356	2	557	263	19	183	124	13	14	22	1
Feb	2 029	91	19	385	5	635	292	15	217	132	14	19	29	1
Mar	2 299	99	21	427	3	694	344	23	255	149	20	19	32	2
Apr	2 177	103	15	449	5	651	300	19	220	140	19	20	43	1
May	2 091	90	16	416	4	661	274	17	231	119	17	22	42	1
Jun	2 221	100	17	416	5	690	366	22	233	122	12	17	42	1
Jul	2 091	101	20	433	3	645	289	23	234	117	17	19	41	1
Aug	1 391	66	12	266	2	440	190	14	111	96	9	17	35	1
Sep	1 878	84	18	352	3	587	265	17	182	113	13	27	48	1
Annual Variation (%)														
1994	8.5	-1.1	24.1	1.6	13.5	22.6	10.7	34.2	8.4	-3.5	3.2	-18.3	4.3	1.0
1995	10.3	8.6	4.1	13.5	46.3	14.5	2.0	-6.3	7.4	14.6	-19.6	33.0	18.0	1.0
1996	14.7	10.0	14.1	19.7	26.3	21.7	4.2	7.0	11.9	10.0	25.7	2.9	6.2	1.0
1997	11.5	6.7	-10.7	7.0	-25.9	15.6	7.3	31.9	7.1	18.3	2.3	24.0	8.1	2.0
1998 Jan-Sep	6.1	13.5	3.6	4.3	14.3	7.0	7.7	21.0	1.9	5.5	-2.4	31.2	34.9	1.0
1998 Jun	10.6	15.5	-6.0	-0.1	107.0	14.2	32.1	43.3	0.9	-2.0	-27.7	22.3	47.4	1.0
Jul	3.9	27.5	5.9	6.2	-12.6	3.6	2.9	9.2	2.7	-3.1	2.3	14.1	44.3	-1.0
Aug	1.8	18.1	1.9	2.2	-14.3	0.6	3.8	46.1	-9.1	1.4	-10.3	10.3	83.6	-1.0
Sep	-8.0	-2.3	-2.0	-8.0	-24.3	-8.5	-7.0	-3.5	-16.3	-15.9	-24.9	85.0	57.0	-1.0

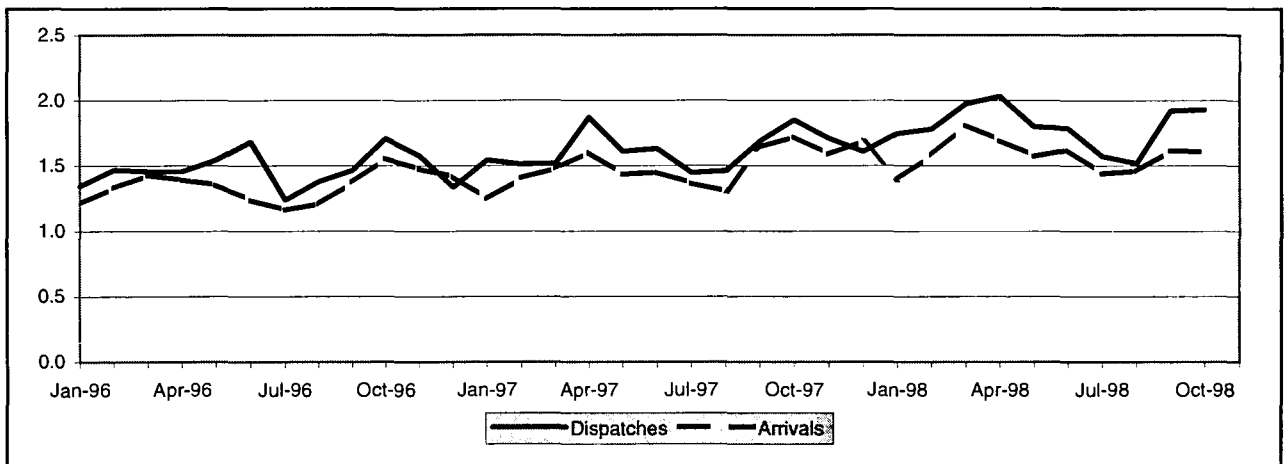
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Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
<b>EXPORTS</b>														
% 1997	100.0	4.4	6.6	24.4	3.3	1.0	3.3	4.0	1.9	9.3	9.5	2.9	5.3	17.2
<b>Value (Bn ECU)</b>														
1994	3 031	151	281	785	103	15	114	57	56	323	200	125	149	474
1995	3 467	177	347	807	98	26	136	83	57	349	278	113	211	508
1996	3 765	184	317	854	91	26	141	135	100	340	299	115	234	616
1997	4 053	178	269	987	134	42	133	161	76	378	385	116	216	698
1998 Jan-Nov	3 691	158	250	983	109	16	106	176	46	323	370	102	151	633
1997 Nov	385	11	23	71	25	5	16	16	7	33	40	15	15	84
1997 Dec	333	9	19	73	6	4	12	15	3	35	39	8	14	76
1998 Jan	330	17	25	70	12	2	11	14	4	32	27	10	14	72
1998 Feb	316	15	24	78	13	2	11	13	3	28	32	8	11	55
1998 Mar	387	17	24	89	8	1	15	16	6	39	38	15	17	77
1998 Apr	341	15	24	93	11	2	10	15	4	25	33	7	14	57
1998 May	336	11	22	93	7	2	10	14	3	30	37	12	14	51
1998 Jun	318	10	20	97	9	2	8	15	2	28	38	9	13	45
1998 Jul	438	22	31	129	19	1	11	20	10	35	45	9	16	57
1998 Aug	254	11	12	68	4	1	6	14	8	23	20	7	11	49
1998 Sep	313	14	22	96	8	1	9	17	3	26	27	7	15	44
1998 Oct	347	16	23	98	8	1	8	20	2	27	39	8	14	58
1998 Nov	313	11	22	72	10	1	7	17	1	29	34	10	10	68
<b>Annual Variation (%)</b>														
1994	14.6	11.0	2.5	35.9	-2.5	-42.8	10.3	80.5	-11.5	24.0	91.4	2.3	29.2	-10.2
1995	14.4	16.8	23.3	2.9	-4.7	72.8	18.5	46.2	1.6	8.0	39.4	-9.5	42.1	7.0
1996	8.6	4.3	-8.4	5.8	-6.7	-1.1	4.3	62.1	74.2	-2.6	7.5	1.4	11.0	21.3
1997	7.6	-3.3	-15.4	15.6	46.9	64.0	-5.8	19.7	-23.4	11.2	28.9	1.1	-8.0	13.3
1998 Jan-Nov	-0.8	-6.8	-0.1	7.6	-14.5	-57.3	-13.2	20.8	-37.0	-5.9	7.1	-6.1	-25.2	1.8
1998 Aug	-16.1	-27.5	-26.5	-18.8	-46.8	-62.5	-39.7	37.7	34.7	-18.3	-32.5	-16.5	-21.5	-7.9
1998 Sep	-6.0	-28.3	3.6	10.7	9.6	-47.6	-12.4	2.3	-58.2	-18.0	-9.1	-3.2	-22.3	-7.8
1998 Oct	-11.4	-13.6	-12.2	1.0	-6.5	-51.5	-29.9	7.6	-82.4	-32.3	-0.1	-48.6	-18.4	-12.4
1998 Nov	-18.8	-4.9	-6.2	0.8	-58.0	-75.7	-54.3	10.8	-82.9	-14.0	-15.9	-34.2	-30.6	-18.5
<b>IMPORTS</b>														
% 1997	100.0	3.1	5.3	13.3	1.3	3.0	10.1	2.0	4.3	7.6	12.7	18.7	8.4	13.3
<b>Value (Bn ECU)</b>														
1994	6 034	360	377	821	60	145	648	89	205	603	672	1 274	433	714
1995	6 495	313	384	834	77	151	561	131	236	573	791	1 285	638	842
1996	6 572	217	379	870	92	183	599	134	285	572	722	1 231	591	974
1997	7 328	226	391	975	95	220	740	143	313	554	932	1 369	614	973
1998 Jan-Nov	6 964	328	333	866	104	241	848	231	194	478	902	885	600	817
1997 Nov	612	18	33	81	9	20	70	11	29	50	55	131	43	79
1997 Dec	591	11	29	74	16	15	73	15	14	42	90	110	44	87
1998 Jan	611	26	30	76	13	18	68	18	17	46	83	84	52	79
1998 Feb	622	24	31	83	10	20	53	19	25	49	73	111	51	92
1998 Mar	636	30	37	91	7	19	77	22	12	41	77	73	55	67
1998 Apr	685	44	34	110	10	21	75	19	13	43	101	67	56	75
1998 May	712	52	33	84	11	23	81	22	16	64	102	95	56	62
1998 Jun	673	34	32	73	6	22	58	22	19	62	110	88	53	84
1998 Jul	645	20	30	85	6	26	90	24	25	33	84	64	53	65
1998 Aug	539	25	21	56	4	20	88	15	15	28	70	83	51	65
1998 Sep	628	29	28	76	14	29	75	20	12	28	82	71	54	84
1998 Oct	627	22	24	66	10	25	101	27	31	38	67	73	56	90
1998 Nov	586	23	31	67	13	19	83	23	11	46	54	75	62	54
<b>Annual Variation (%)</b>														
1994	14.5	25.9	-6.7	25.2	-29.0	-8.6	-3.1	43.6	14.1	-4.7	8.0	27.2	18.0	28.2
1995	7.6	-13.1	1.8	1.6	27.7	4.3	-13.4	47.1	15.0	-4.8	17.8	0.8	47.2	17.9
1996	1.2	-30.6	-1.3	4.3	19.6	21.2	6.8	2.6	20.5	-0.2	-8.7	-4.2	-7.3	15.6
1997	11.5	4.0	3.2	12.0	3.3	20.2	23.5	6.5	10.0	-3.1	29.1	11.2	3.9	-0.1
1998 Jan-Nov	3.4	52.6	-7.9	-3.9	30.9	17.5	27.1	80.5	-35.0	-6.8	7.1	-29.7	5.2	-7.7
1998 Aug	-1.9	11.4	-14.6	-42.0	-45.1	-2.9	52.7	119.2	-15.7	-19.8	-4.8	-21.6	-5.6	61.6
1998 Sep	-3.7	67.3	-31.0	4.2	80.8	16.9	13.0	54.0	-35.1	-43.7	11.6	-48.0	-3.7	-4.4
1998 Oct	-1.1	69.5	-33.2	-21.7	51.7	-5.5	89.9	49.8	5.6	-40.0	-2.2	-30.7	8.6	-24.0
1998 Nov	-4.1	28.0	-6.6	-16.7	54.6	-2.9	19.5	104.1	-62.7	-7.3	-2.3	-42.5	42.0	-32.1

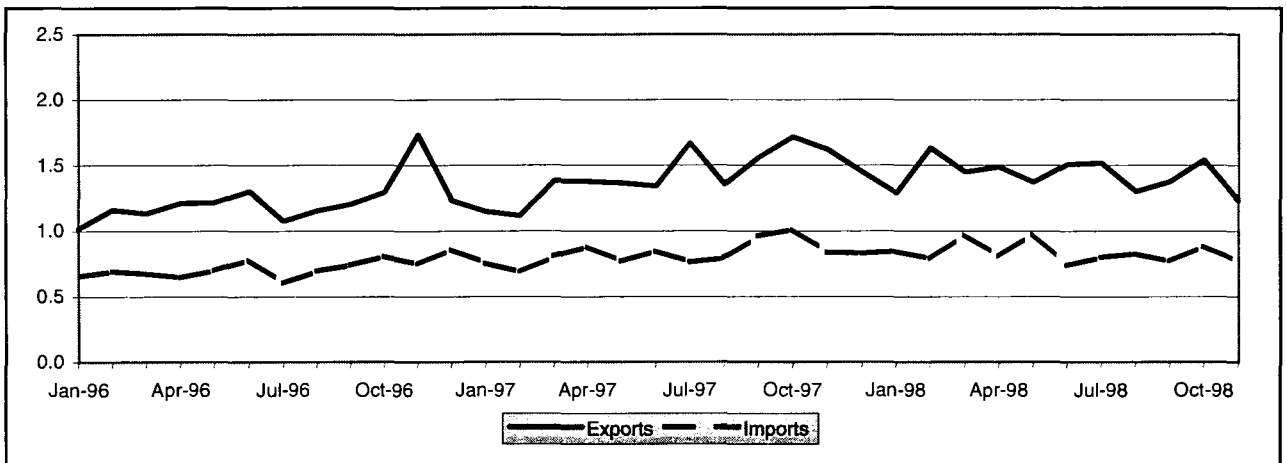
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		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	S	UK
1994	<b>3 813</b>	28	261	465	89	322	466	-29	-12	570	40	-45	708	950
1995	<b>3 140</b>	179	-176	374	102	459	501	-33	-1	5	-8	-34	-300	1 204
1996	<b>1 500</b>	22	-263	157	111	393	374	8	-75	-49	16	-4	-157	1 176
1997	<b>1 517</b>	31	-284	-13	152	448	418	54	75	-160	56	19	-560	1 551
1998 Jan-Oct	<b>2 251</b>	42	-388	44	305	466	633	6	307	-97	169	58	-588	1 485
1997 Oct	<b>128</b>	7	-36	23	19	43	43	8	6	-53	5	8	-81	152
Nov	<b>121</b>	4	-29	4	10	33	41	5	8	-45	9	10	-42	134
Dec	<b>-77</b>	10	-69	-48	25	32	29	-2	-9	-44	4	6	-57	89
1998 Jan	<b>350</b>	14	-46	76	19	46	71	12	38	-10	25	-0	-33	153
Feb	<b>197</b>	-0	-39	32	91	21	49	2	24	-38	9	1	-83	142
Mar	<b>163</b>	2	-49	-7	18	44	80	1	14	-31	10	7	-67	164
Apr	<b>337</b>	10	-62	24	99	48	68	-2	37	7	12	11	-68	180
May	<b>226</b>	10	-18	-41	14	51	82	-1	50	-10	13	5	-72	167
Jun	<b>162</b>	-12	-29	-11	14	58	31	-1	38	-17	23	8	-55	141
Jul	<b>132</b>	5	-33	-4	11	43	67	1	15	9	11	0	-96	119
Aug	<b>58</b>	-2	-61	-33	11	41	51	-3	16	-41	9	-3	-47	134
Sep	<b>303</b>	6	-19	16	16	59	74	-0	30	3	29	16	-40	128
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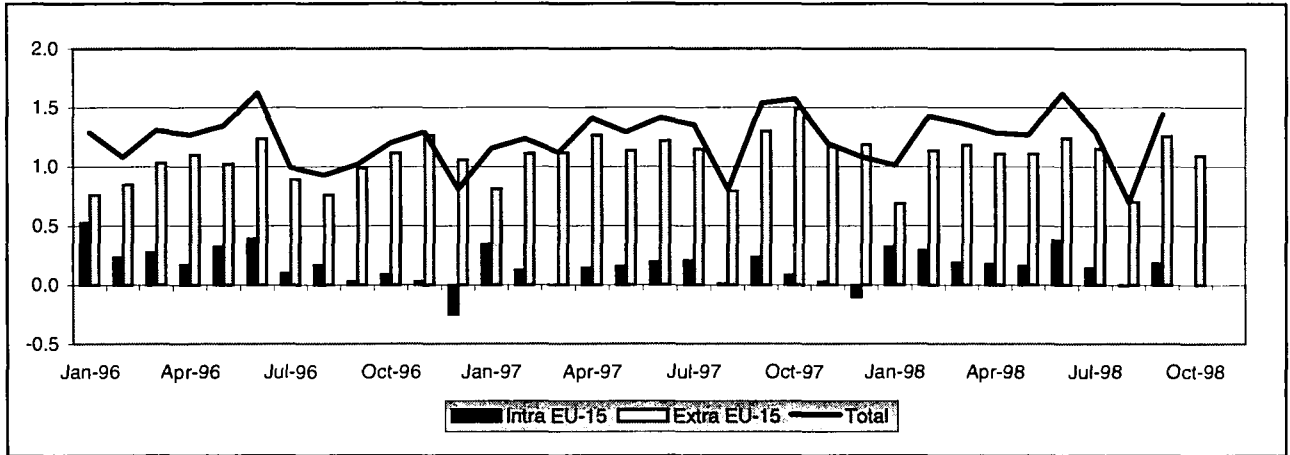
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1994	<b>1 596</b>	-145	37	308	31	69	-748	943	-392	356	-101	307	567	42
1995	<b>5 285</b>	-28	40	872	103	190	-335	948	266	500	220	639	1 050	196
1996	<b>6 140</b>	-82	-24	1 166	55	171	-164	1 399	235	524	106	830	1 380	8
1997	<b>7 175</b>	88	-61	825	187	252	-454	1 824	565	677	76	834	1 731	-3
1998 Jan-Nov	<b>6 529</b>	287	59	936	150	673	-609	1 893	601	754	265	491	540	8
1997 Nov	<b>785</b>	11	-8	48	12	53	-46	214	83	58	8	52	240	8
Dec	<b>622</b>	13	-10	72	9	25	-47	147	93	66	19	29	127	6
1998 Jan	<b>444</b>	-38	6	32	15	8	-54	169	67	52	5	60	71	-2
Feb	<b>846</b>	39	-1	361	10	29	-50	139	79	48	33	53	77	-4
Mar	<b>476</b>	34	-6	-30	10	66	-58	176	81	65	34	18	56	-2
Apr	<b>682</b>	23	3	92	14	121	-61	189	74	53	27	33	61	-5
May	<b>392</b>	-13	-3	-34	10	75	-54	164	38	69	12	54	35	4
Jun	<b>769</b>	39	-2	64	22	77	-33	206	138	74	22	63	57	8
Jul	<b>719</b>	77	3	94	19	63	-41	163	105	81	6	53	61	-8
Aug	<b>475</b>	31	7	-13	13	53	-69	170	89	76	17	33	31	5
Sep	<b>605</b>	42	28	52	20	95	-52	182	-9	91	27	45	34	0
Oct	<b>657</b>	18	9	292	10	53	-67	186	-61	69	21	23	26	11
Nov	<b>463</b>	35	15	23	8	33	-71	149	-1	76	60	56	31	1

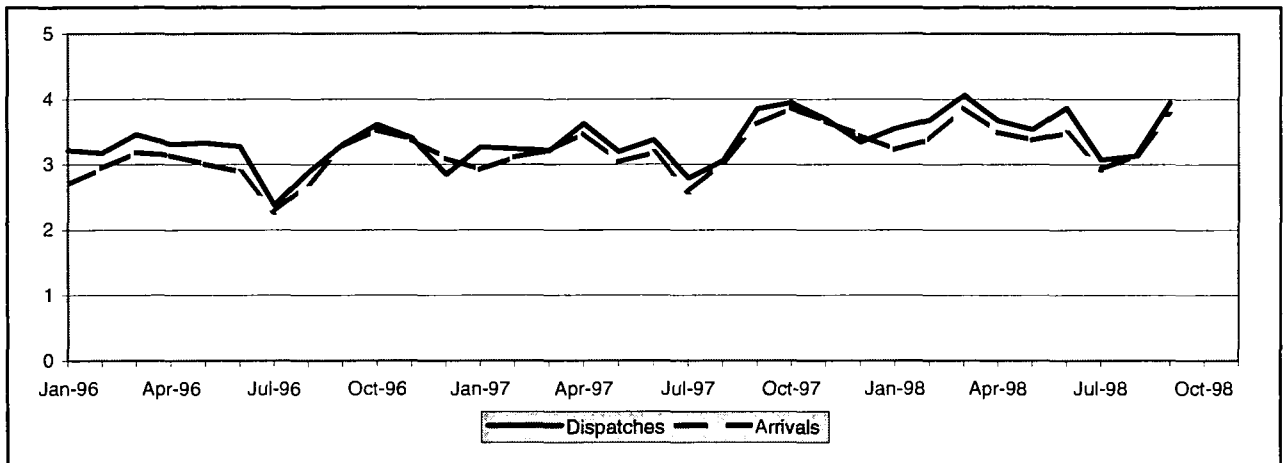




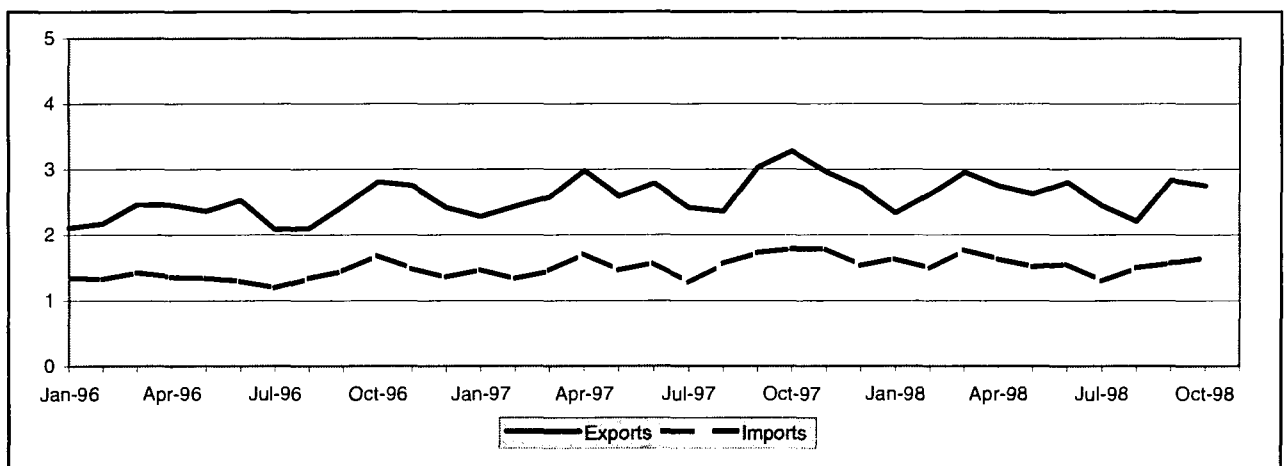
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Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	UK
1994	<b>3 289</b>	1 013	615	-1 147	206	388	210	-13	278	951	182	-191	-270	1 066
1995	<b>2 503</b>	733	252	-2 137	192	623	349	-315	508	-32	110	-96	-159	747
1996	<b>2 078</b>	1 105	290	-1 856	213	811	178	-184	493	80	151	-32	506	1 109
1997	<b>1 428</b>	850	339	-2 270	286	827	70	-208	564	-12	22	-40	893	1 136
1998 Jan-Sep	<b>1 839</b>	834	559	-1 625	255	610	149	-158	539	157	-22	25	759	816
1997 Sep	<b>234</b>	61	33	-207	35	109	21	-15	71	-35	-4	-0	156	117
Oct	<b>84</b>	72	52	-244	38	75	-8	-21	53	-36	5	-6	105	85
Nov	<b>29</b>	53	64	-266	28	54	4	-19	48	-48	4	-4	81	102
Dec	<b>-102</b>	62	15	-283	24	63	-11	-25	40	6	-21	-0	69	101
1998 Jan	<b>323</b>	101	49	-159	20	82	31	-24	78	8	13	-5	63	144
Feb	<b>291</b>	105	84	-150	34	57	46	-15	37	13	-8	-1	98	90
Mar	<b>187</b>	111	84	-218	34	63	35	-9	61	-2	-4	3	96	87
Apr	<b>175</b>	90	55	-154	17	69	-15	-28	65	71	-6	6	86	67
May	<b>161</b>	111	87	-270	32	58	26	-45	49	76	-9	10	73	8
Jun	<b>378</b>	70	70	-155	31	86	39	-4	48	8	-0	4	79	150
Jul	<b>144</b>	42	26	-104	29	54	-49	-19	46	-8	-3	-7	106	135
Aug	<b>-5</b>	108	55	-250	22	55	-22	-16	28	15	3	1	77	91
Sep	<b>184</b>	95	49	-164	35	85	58	2	127	-24	-8	15	80	44

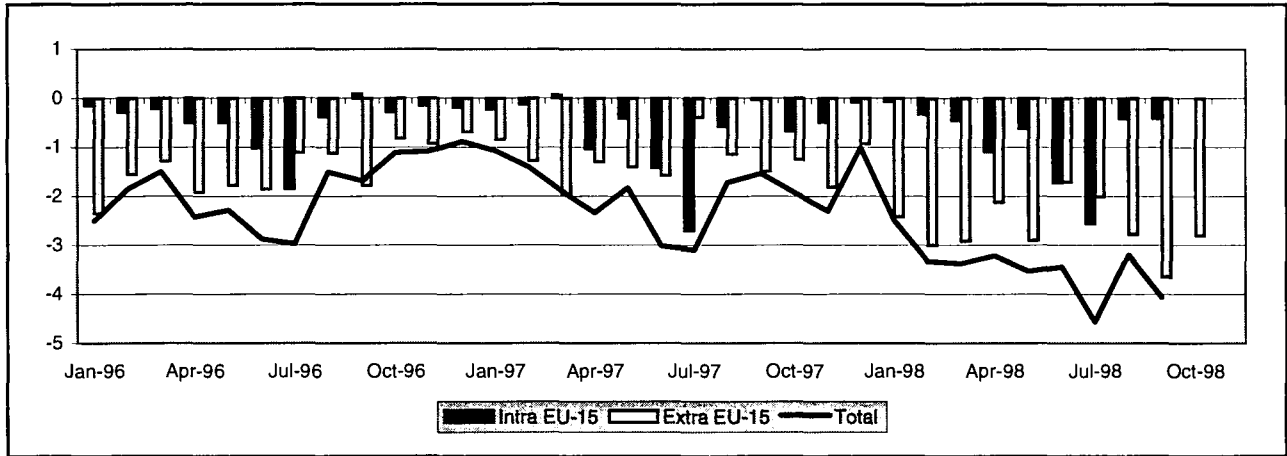
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*Value (Mio ECU)*

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzer-land	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterra-nean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1994	<b>4 773</b>	1 556	163	403	301	-70	-676	156	-190	737	330	208	799	-5
1995	<b>9 274</b>	1 164	129	1 515	417	25	87	446	-13	915	318	221	1 225	45
1996	<b>12 087</b>	1 663	275	2 094	449	248	598	877	-39	1 304	674	458	1 754	153
1997	<b>13 755</b>	1 837	301	2 370	469	31	308	1 225	149	1 535	1 158	701	2 017	91
1998 Jan-Oct	<b>10 678</b>	1 839	364	2 105	454	78	-137	902	263	1 386	1 040	571	798	127
1997 Oct	<b>1 489</b>	226	38	255	44	38	-51	143	32	179	159	79	174	17
Nov	<b>1 169</b>	120	8	240	43	64	-26	156	21	129	159	23	119	-12
Dec	<b>1 186</b>	146	27	189	19	42	-5	93	39	151	140	101	127	12
1998 Jan	<b>689</b>	95	55	80	34	-15	-4	90	22	83	60	16	72	23
Feb	<b>1 137</b>	176	34	284	51	-54	14	100	28	110	93	86	114	4
Mar	<b>1 182</b>	225	27	203	76	11	-44	95	63	150	111	30	98	6
Apr	<b>1 110</b>	188	35	214	42	30	-22	100	36	117	114	46	116	7
May	<b>1 109</b>	199	37	195	50	36	-10	81	28	129	108	70	102	13
Jun	<b>1 242</b>	255	35	229	46	35	-15	96	47	139	120	40	94	15
Jul	<b>1 152</b>	134	19	233	24	53	47	108	25	171	116	86	68	20
Aug	<b>703</b>	162	38	137	39	-27	-66	65	16	149	65	42	22	15
Sep	<b>1 259</b>	219	49	288	54	12	-17	85	2	160	135	100	49	10
Oct	<b>1 095</b>	186	35	243	38	-2	-21	82	-6	178	118	55	62	14

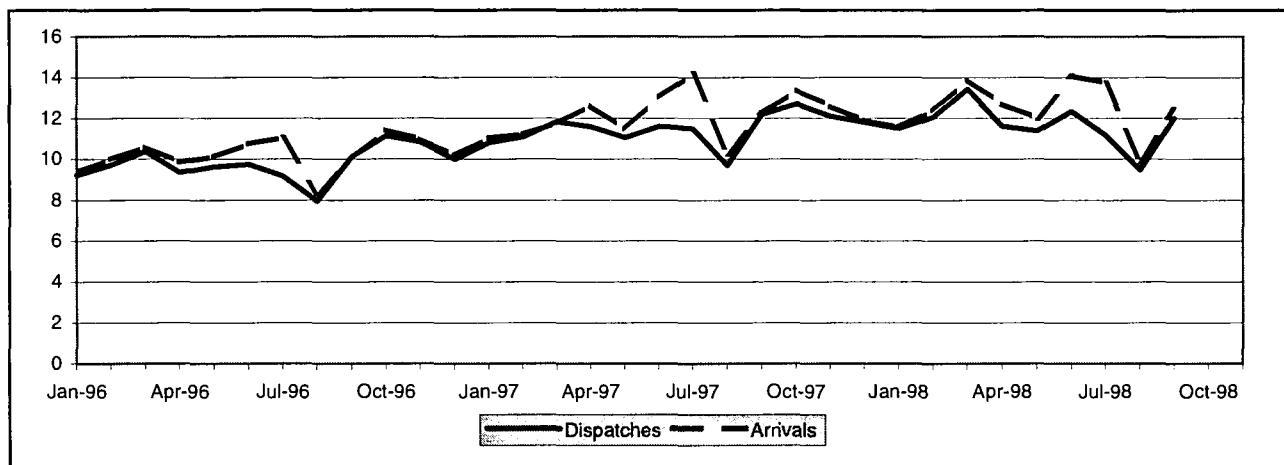




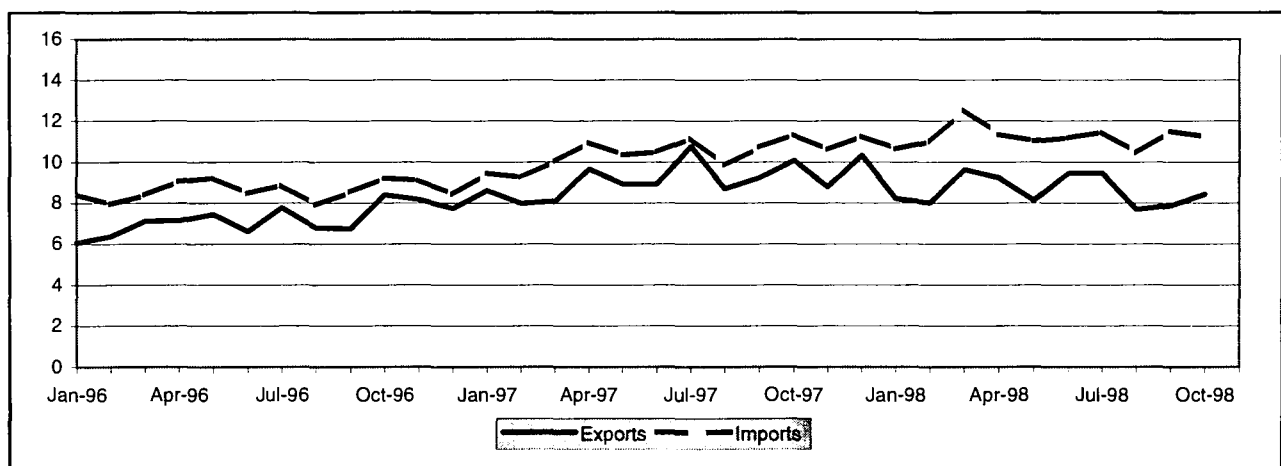
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EXTRA-EU (Bn ECU)





**TRADE BALANCE**
**INTRA EU-15**
*Value (Mio ECU)*

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S
1994	<b>-8 091</b>	364	-475	-5 943	735	1 811	-1 960	1 704	-936	-750	-6	-32	-1 175	-933
1995	<b>-6 644</b>	233	-147	-7 679	744	2 030	-1 628	773	-593	815	247	-20	-963	-456
1996	<b>-5 454</b>	-85	-170	-7 187	951	2 105	-721	2 359	-2 040	1 337	83	32	-956	-444
1997	<b>-7 744</b>	-1 176	-376	-7 489	950	2 125	-1 895	3 247	-2 595	2 042	-407	-32	-1 370	-425
1998 Jan-Sep	<b>-7 685</b>	-1 279	-131	-5 034	733	1 267	-1 755	2 192	-1 736	-312	-206	-126	-939	120
1997 Sep	<b>-39</b>	-175	-14	-303	84	322	-172	358	-24	73	-46	36	-118	-1
Oct	<b>-678</b>	-238	9	-613	77	233	-213	305	-198	124	-60	15	-140	35
Nov	<b>-492</b>	-239	-58	-521	79	109	-105	282	-172	317	-88	-37	-111	9
Dec	<b>-83</b>	-146	-7	-362	76	142	61	302	-138	231	-50	31	-137	-64
1998 Jan	<b>-70</b>	-134	-32	-411	67	166	-45	322	-72	41	-21	10	-110	161
Feb	<b>-328</b>	-57	-24	-442	99	127	-93	219	-99	87	-36	-11	-117	53
Mar	<b>-457</b>	-52	-22	-514	101	212	-291	338	-147	11	-27	32	-122	35
Apr	<b>-1 093</b>	-145	-29	-633	89	72	-219	200	-163	-20	-28	-45	-105	-20
May	<b>-624</b>	-157	13	-597	76	127	-86	232	-142	44	-10	-34	-98	37
Jun	<b>-1 727</b>	-169	-32	-713	72	5	-475	222	-298	-144	-27	-29	-93	-23
Jul	<b>-2 554</b>	-289	-29	-1 018	82	25	-521	186	-517	-76	-48	-68	-122	-94
Aug	<b>-419</b>	-119	2	-449	71	184	82	224	-116	-62	-2	-18	-90	-15
Sep	<b>-414</b>	-156	23	-257	77	348	-106	249	-182	-194	-6	37	-82	-14

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Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzer-land	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1994	<b>-16 287</b>	-2 137	-3 067	-3 360	25	-3 195	-7 767	86	-272	1 669	-893	2 465	-1 043	84
1995	<b>-16 886</b>	-2 785	-2 760	-3 760	-890	-3 572	-7 100	497	-362	2 066	-1 217	2 795	-1 467	-3
1996	<b>-17 232</b>	-3 448	-2 027	-4 989	-662	-4 687	-5 853	1 127	-279	2 307	-1 348	4 408	-2 433	-388
1997	<b>-15 428</b>	-3 060	-2 154	-6 799	-310	-6 018	-7 118	1 293	-179	3 198	43	7 786	-3 106	165
1998 Jan-Oct	<b>-26 328</b>	-1 062	-2 415	-7 517	-233	-5 951	-7 909	784	-429	2 088	4	4 395	-6 391	-138
1997 Oct	<b>-1 254</b>	-344	-122	-298	14	-651	-698	159	45	296	43	608	-369	44
Nov	<b>-1 819</b>	-306	-96	-544	2	-635	-731	83	28	235	3	629	-504	63
Dec	<b>-927</b>	-304	12	-711	6	-560	-582	210	-273	388	14	1 265	-421	59
1998 Jan	<b>-2 421</b>	-212	-103	-701	2	-560	-711	22	30	254	61	434	-788	4
Feb	<b>-2 999</b>	-220	-177	-1 081	-36	-530	-653	88	44	114	-1	234	-662	-38
Mar	<b>-2 917</b>	-217	-269	-1 441	-39	-462	-814	147	37	178	25	741	-746	-35
Apr	<b>-2 122</b>	140	-268	-558	-0	-522	-911	89	26	243	-2	405	-590	-7
May	<b>-2 905</b>	-130	-344	-1 158	15	-549	-829	83	-52	181	33	473	-429	-3
Jun	<b>-1 718</b>	-167	1	-601	27	-580	-793	88	-78	210	-37	438	-311	-19
Jul	<b>-2 014</b>	-140	-368	50	-91	-613	-739	74	-128	279	47	458	-696	-13
Aug	<b>-2 776</b>	39	-246	-677	-54	-580	-966	56	-93	176	-40	353	-616	-3
Sep	<b>-3 651</b>	-79	-233	-971	-37	-785	-723	79	-132	193	-42	320	-833	-52
Oct	<b>-2 805</b>	-77	-407	-377	-20	-768	-771	58	-81	261	-39	540	-721	28

## INTRA EU-15

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner													
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	
<b>DISPATCHES</b>															
% 1997	100.0	8.5	2.2	21.1	1.1	6.9	17.0	10.2	8.3	14.2	1.2	1.8	1.6	4.5	
Value (Bn ECU)															
1994	99 224	9 448	2 330	22 080	1 197	6 451	17 347	9 188	8 661	12 059	1 251	1 625	1 559	4 108	
1995	108 487	10 071	2 554	24 539	1 270	7 243	18 466	9 434	9 555	14 953	1 385	1 782	2 114	5 122	
1996	117 268	10 066	2 720	24 895	1 425	8 120	20 371	11 061	9 626	16 008	1 497	2 034	2 123	5 222	
1997	137 954	11 734	3 026	29 164	1 539	9 504	23 412	14 013	11 476	19 656	1 626	2 505	2 170	6 238	
1998 Jan-Sep	105 011	9 063	2 220	22 133	1 116	7 492	17 465	10 510	9 157	14 003	1 296	1 802	1 578	4 740	
1997 Sep	12 192	968	287	2 668	138	838	1 988	1 249	1 123	1 670	145	208	184	584	
Oct	12 703	968	280	2 673	132	915	2 183	1 274	1 104	1 759	145	269	194	633	
Nov	12 101	882	264	2 522	135	788	2 008	1 273	1 048	1 847	147	219	218	564	
Dec	11 804	883	257	2 391	126	839	2 127	1 242	994	1 744	141	234	162	507	
1998 Jan	11 504	981	235	2 402	111	813	1 981	1 166	1 026	1 470	141	211	168	648	
Feb	12 054	1 070	256	2 574	141	835	2 059	1 201	1 086	1 616	136	196	175	575	
Mar	13 442	1 135	302	2 886	141	987	2 160	1 321	1 225	1 859	156	260	200	612	
Apr	11 609	1 016	223	2 502	134	803	1 945	1 151	1 054	1 552	141	191	195	539	
May	11 381	893	219	2 365	116	865	1 933	1 143	1 050	1 559	156	193	168	519	
Jun	12 349	1 134	264	2 532	121	868	2 094	1 246	1 115	1 659	153	206	191	507	
Jul	11 184	964	222	2 343	123	815	1 847	1 176	960	1 543	136	183	167	428	
Aug	9 469	858	218	2 036	102	596	1 461	932	618	1 305	123	147	147	402	
Sep	12 021	1 012	281	2 495	127	910	1 986	1 174	1 024	1 439	155	216	167	511	
Annual Variation (%)															
1994	12.5	13.5	21.5	15.8	10.3	23.7	18.8	22.2	20.5	22.2	12.4	-1.7	16.2	15.5	
1995	9.3	6.6	9.6	11.1	6.1	12.3	6.5	2.7	10.3	24.0	10.7	9.7	35.6	24.7	
1996	8.1	-0.1	6.5	1.4	12.2	12.1	10.3	17.2	0.7	7.1	8.1	14.2	0.4	2.0	
1997	17.6	16.6	11.3	17.1	8.0	17.0	14.9	26.7	19.2	22.8	8.6	23.2	2.2	19.5	
1998 Jan-Sep	3.6	0.7	-0.3	2.6	-2.6	7.6	2.2	2.8	9.9	-2.1	8.7	1.1	-1.1	4.6	
1998 Jun	6.4	5.7	4.5	4.7	-6.3	2.5	8.7	10.5	12.6	3.0	6.4	0.3	9.1	-1.0	
Jul	-2.8	1.5	-10.3	-8.1	-2.3	1.6	-7.1	-0.1	4.9	-3.0	9.0	-24.6	-8.5	-3.1	
Aug	-2.3	-4.9	-2.0	-2.3	-1.4	-5.0	-9.0	-13.2	-1.3	-4.2	8.3	-16.1	-6.9	-16.1	
Sep	-1.4	4.5	-2.3	-6.5	-7.6	8.6	-0.1	-6.0	-8.8	-13.8	7.3	3.9	-9.2	-12.6	
<b>ARRIVALS</b>															
% 1997	100.0	8.9	2.3	25.2	0.4	5.1	17.4	7.4	9.7	12.1	1.4	1.7	2.4	4.6	
Value (Bn ECU)															
1994	107 315	9 084	2 805	28 023	462	4 640	19 307	7 484	9 597	12 809	1 257	1 656	2 734	5 042	
1995	115 132	9 839	2 701	32 218	526	5 213	20 094	8 661	10 148	14 138	1 138	1 801	3 077	5 578	
1996	122 722	10 151	2 890	32 082	474	6 015	21 092	8 702	11 666	14 670	1 414	2 002	3 079	5 666	
1997	145 698	12 910	3 402	36 653	589	7 379	25 308	10 765	14 072	17 615	2 033	2 537	3 540	6 663	
1998 Jan-Sep	112 696	10 342	2 351	27 167	383	6 225	19 220	8 318	10 893	14 316	1 502	1 927	2 517	4 621	
1997 Sep	12 231	1 143	301	2 971	54	516	2 160	890	1 147	1 597	190	172	302	585	
Oct	13 381	1 206	271	3 286	55	682	2 397	970	1 302	1 634	205	255	334	598	
Nov	12 593	1 121	321	3 043	56	678	2 113	991	1 220	1 530	236	256	329	556	
Dec	11 887	1 029	264	2 753	50	697	2 066	940	1 132	1 513	191	203	299	571	
1998 Jan	11 574	1 115	268	2 813	44	647	2 026	844	1 097	1 429	161	200	278	487	
Feb	12 382	1 128	280	3 015	42	707	2 153	982	1 185	1 529	172	207	292	523	
Mar	13 899	1 188	324	3 400	40	775	2 451	983	1 372	1 848	183	227	322	577	
Apr	12 701	1 161	252	3 135	45	732	2 163	951	1 216	1 572	169	235	300	559	
May	12 005	1 050	205	2 962	41	737	2 020	910	1 192	1 514	166	227	265	482	
Jun	14 075	1 303	297	3 245	49	863	2 569	1 024	1 413	1 804	181	235	284	531	
Jul	13 738	1 253	251	3 360	41	790	2 368	990	1 477	1 619	184	251	290	522	
Aug	9 887	976	217	2 485	32	412	1 379	709	734	1 368	124	165	237	416	
Sep	12 434	1 168	258	2 752	50	561	2 092	925	1 206	1 633	161	179	248	524	
Annual Variation (%)															
1994	10.9	13.2	10.9	17.2	20.5	20.0	18.6	15.4	19.6	18.5	4.8	11.3	20.2	13.8	
1995	7.3	8.3	-3.7	15.0	13.9	12.3	4.1	15.7	5.7	10.4	-9.5	8.7	12.5	10.6	
1996	6.6	3.2	7.0	-0.4	-9.9	15.4	5.0	0.5	15.0	3.8	24.3	11.2	0.1	1.6	
1997	18.7	27.2	17.7	14.2	24.4	22.7	20.0	23.7	20.6	20.1	43.7	26.7	15.0	17.6	
1998 Jan-Sep	4.5	8.2	-7.7	-1.5	-10.5	17.0	2.6	5.8	4.6	10.7	7.1	5.7	-2.4	-6.4	
1998 Jun	8.0	-14.3	-10.9	-2.7	0.2	33.3	6.9	15.4	9.5	22.8	13.3	-0.4	1.5	-3.0	
Jul	-3.3	3.0	-9.6	-12.2	-19.3	9.7	-5.6	2.7	-6.7	7.7	6.9	1.8	-5.3	-10.5	
Aug	-3.7	0.8	-21.8	-9.2	-32.9	-2.4	-9.5	-13.2	-10.2	-1.3	-13.5	-9.5	-11.2	-10.8	
Sep	1.7	2.2	-14.5	-7.4	-7.0	8.8	-3.1	3.9	5.2	2.2	-15.2	4.2	-17.8	-10.3	

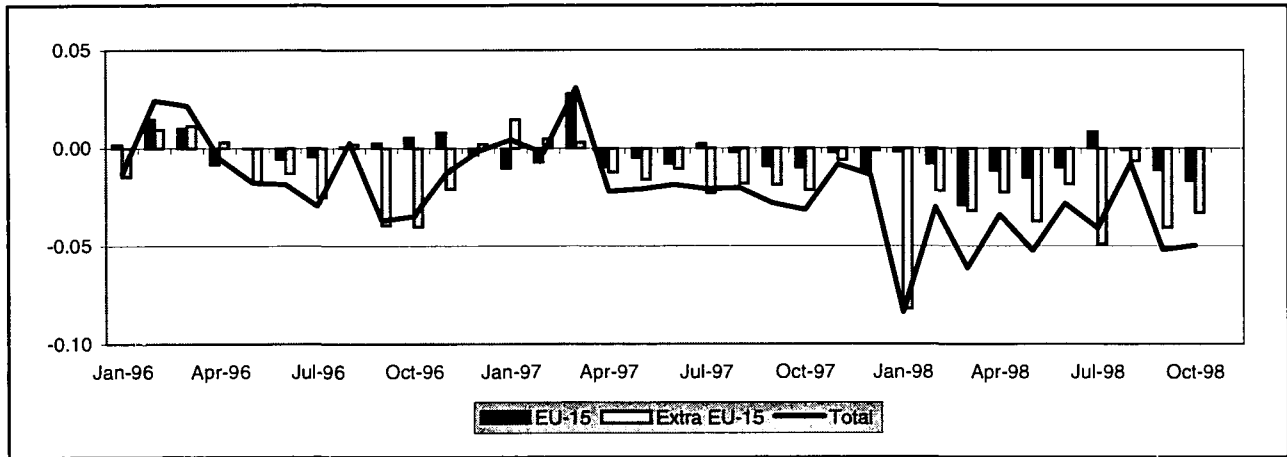
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Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
<b>EXPORTS</b>														
% 1997	100.0	3.5	3.8	27.5	2.8	1.2	5.5	4.5	2.1	7.3	4.0	11.4	12.6	3.1
Value (Bn ECU)														
1994	73 181	2 510	2 963	21 724	2 451	1 085	3 826	2 393	1 076	4 865	2 730	6 026	9 939	2 655
1995	75 975	2 282	3 149	21 744	2 160	979	4 520	3 071	1 158	5 493	2 568	6 487	10 406	2 769
1996	86 337	2 474	4 128	23 766	2 378	905	5 185	3 909	1 445	6 338	3 007	8 379	11 190	2 842
1997	110 029	3 825	4 196	30 277	3 108	1 322	6 050	4 953	2 292	7 985	4 451	12 521	13 868	3 430
1998 Jan-Oct	86 030	3 418	3 405	26 500	2 699	1 041	4 021	4 136	1 770	6 442	3 778	8 426	9 087	2 678
1997 Oct	10 072	280	346	2 826	313	135	587	494	245	740	393	1 161	1 214	304
Nov	8 787	256	338	2 420	273	125	457	418	199	645	356	1 034	1 102	285
Dec	10 334	275	375	2 626	287	143	569	523	295	774	367	1 684	1 187	320
1998 Jan	8 208	255	352	2 404	238	110	411	337	211	648	404	805	972	285
Feb	8 009	283	302	2 586	239	94	427	410	199	578	330	657	809	241
Mar	9 625	326	345	2 817	257	105	513	497	209	686	401	1 172	962	277
Apr	9 222	664	305	2 803	282	113	404	418	219	642	394	903	872	283
May	8 115	294	269	2 517	270	88	358	389	188	587	385	836	873	257
Jun	9 450	358	582	2 628	308	126	395	442	187	694	424	881	1 161	273
Jul	9 448	266	365	3 098	298	117	455	435	199	707	437	906	903	289
Aug	7 673	384	261	2 377	250	104	349	356	150	584	348	723	803	248
Sep	7 857	286	338	2 452	270	93	357	439	122	639	331	677	831	266
Oct	8 423	302	285	2 818	287	90	353	412	85	675	324	866	901	259
Annual Variation (%)														
1994	9.2	32.4	4.0	9.8	3.9	14.7	12.7	19.0	20.0	-0.6	22.2	-16.9	15.7	-8.1
1995	3.8	-9.1	6.3	0.1	-11.9	-9.8	18.1	28.3	7.7	12.9	-5.9	7.7	4.7	4.3
1996	13.6	8.4	31.1	9.3	10.1	-7.5	14.7	27.3	24.7	15.4	17.1	29.2	7.5	2.6
1997	27.4	54.6	1.7	27.4	30.7	46.0	16.7	26.7	58.7	26.0	48.0	49.4	23.9	20.7
1998 Jan-Oct	-5.4	3.8	-2.2	5.0	5.9	-1.2	-20.0	3.1	-1.5	-1.9	1.4	-14.1	-21.5	-5.2
1998 Jul	-12.3	-67.7	1.7	12.5	18.6	28.8	-18.5	5.6	-14.1	-9.4	-7.8	-21.4	-33.6	-11.8
Aug	-11.7	36.7	-10.2	3.1	6.8	5.3	-34.5	-2.9	-17.6	1.0	-12.9	-39.1	-27.4	-12.4
Sep	-14.8	5.7	1.3	-4.8	-4.3	-10.1	-28.8	7.6	-42.6	-6.9	-20.3	-35.6	-23.9	0.0
Oct	-16.4	7.9	-17.6	-0.3	-8.3	-33.4	-39.9	-16.6	-65.2	-8.8	-17.7	-25.4	-25.8	-14.8
<b>IMPORTS</b>														
% 1997	100.0	5.5	5.1	29.6	2.7	5.9	10.5	2.9	2.0	3.8	3.5	3.8	13.5	2.6
Value (Bn ECU)														
1994	89 468	4 647	6 030	25 083	2 426	4 280	11 593	2 307	1 348	3 196	3 622	3 561	10 982	2 571
1995	92 861	5 067	5 910	25 504	3 050	4 551	11 620	2 574	1 521	3 427	3 785	3 692	11 873	2 773
1996	103 569	5 922	6 154	28 755	3 040	5 593	11 038	2 782	1 724	4 031	4 354	3 971	13 623	3 230
1997	125 457	6 885	6 350	37 076	3 418	7 340	13 169	3 660	2 471	4 787	4 408	4 735	16 974	3 265
1998 Jan-Oct	112 358	4 480	5 820	34 017	2 932	6 991	11 931	3 352	2 199	4 354	3 774	4 031	15 478	2 817
1997 Oct	11 326	624	468	3 124	299	787	1 285	336	200	444	350	553	1 583	260
Nov	10 606	562	434	2 964	270	761	1 188	335	171	410	353	404	1 607	222
Dec	11 261	580	363	3 338	281	703	1 151	313	569	386	353	419	1 608	262
1998 Jan	10 630	468	455	3 105	236	670	1 122	316	181	394	343	372	1 760	281
Feb	11 008	502	479	3 667	274	623	1 080	322	156	464	332	423	1 471	279
Mar	12 542	544	614	4 258	296	567	1 328	349	172	508	376	431	1 708	312
Apr	11 344	524	573	3 361	282	636	1 314	328	194	399	396	498	1 462	290
May	11 020	423	613	3 675	256	637	1 187	307	241	407	352	364	1 302	260
Jun	11 167	525	581	3 230	281	707	1 188	354	264	485	462	443	1 471	293
Jul	11 462	406	733	3 048	389	730	1 194	361	328	428	390	448	1 599	302
Aug	10 449	345	507	3 054	304	684	1 315	300	242	409	388	370	1 419	250
Sep	11 509	365	572	3 423	307	879	1 080	360	255	446	373	357	1 664	319
Oct	11 228	379	692	3 195	307	858	1 123	354	167	414	362	326	1 622	231
Annual Variation (%)														
1994	7.2	-8.8	3.9	14.3	6.3	22.0	12.3	33.5	26.7	5.1	26.9	-14.9	10.6	8.7
1995	3.8	9.0	-2.0	1.7	25.7	6.3	0.2	11.6	12.8	7.2	4.5	3.7	8.1	7.9
1996	11.5	16.9	4.1	12.7	-0.3	22.9	-5.0	8.1	13.3	17.6	15.1	7.6	14.7	16.5
1997	21.1	16.3	3.2	28.9	12.5	31.2	19.3	31.6	43.4	18.7	1.2	19.2	24.6	1.1
1998 Jan-Oct	8.5	-22.0	4.8	10.5	2.3	19.0	10.2	11.3	27.0	9.1	1.9	3.1	12.5	1.3
1998 Jul	2.6	-35.1	9.4	-2.6	14.9	10.1	2.4	9.9	59.7	5.3	-11.1	3.6	1.6	2.9
Aug	6.2	-33.5	13.9	16.2	29.1	8.3	11.0	3.4	85.5	9.3	-0.9	0.4	1.8	-37.9
Sep	7.4	-39.0	8.8	12.3	7.4	14.9	-0.9	14.9	71.0	2.7	3.6	-8.9	17.8	17.4
Oct	-0.9	-39.3	47.9	2.3	2.8	9.1	-12.6	5.5	-16.9	-6.8	3.4	-41.1	2.5	-11.1

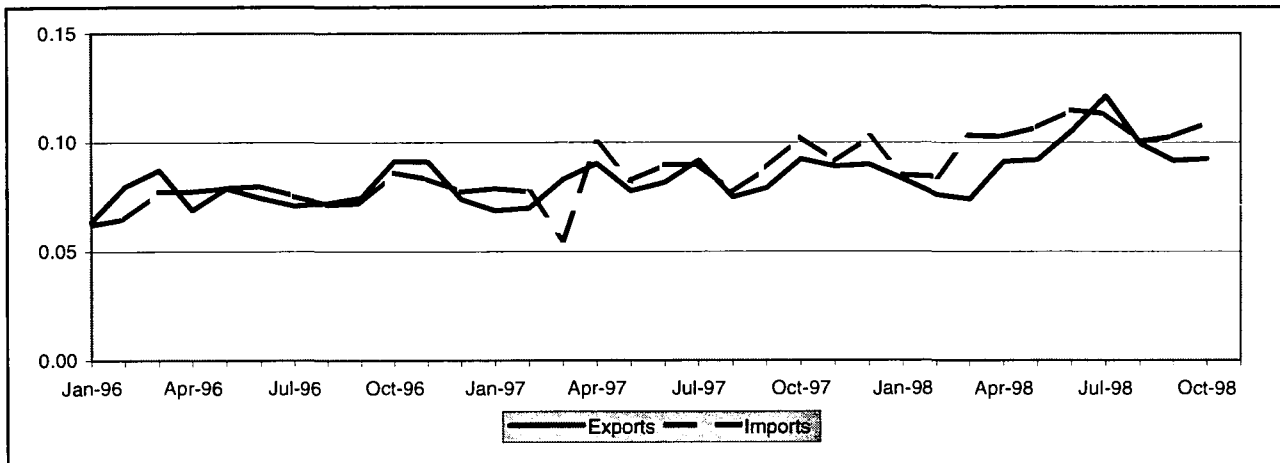


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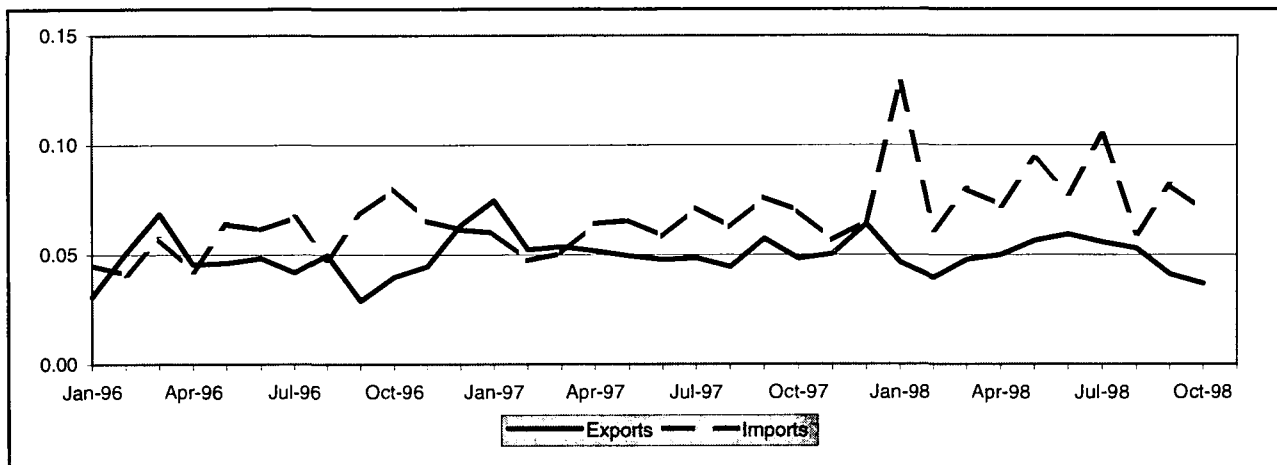
TRADE BALANCE (Bn ECU)



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EXTRA-EU (Bn ECU)



**TRADE BALANCE**
**EU-15 MEMBER STATES**
*Value (Mio ECU)*

Period	EU-15	Partner													
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
1994	124	-0	-23	37	10	46	56	-10	-8	-55	-6	2	-11	-72	157
1995	61	-3	-18	35	10	29	37	-11	-16	-51	-6	13	-18	-76	136
1996	21	-11	-27	17	9	30	47	-14	-23	-42	-8	27	-12	-89	119
1997	-46	-15	-61	4	9	42	44	-18	-29	-61	-9	31	-10	-101	128
1998 Jan-Oct	-96	-15	-60	9	5	33	35	-15	-36	-56	-9	46	-18	-103	88
1997 Oct	-10	-2	-9	1	1	4	5	-2	-3	-6	-1	5	-3	-11	11
Nov	-2	-1	-11	3	1	3	4	-2	-2	-8	-1	2	-1	-9	19
Dec	-12	-2	-6	-11	1	3	5	-1	-3	-5	-1	1	1	-8	14
1998 Jan	-2	-1	-6	7	1	5	3	-1	-2	-7	-1	4	-1	-8	5
Feb	-8	-1	-5	4	0	5	2	-2	-4	-3	-1	2	-1	-9	4
Mar	-29	-2	-9	-2	0	4	1	-2	-5	-7	-1	4	-2	-10	3
Apr	-11	-0	-4	-1	0	1	6	-1	-6	-7	-1	6	-4	-10	9
May	-15	-1	-7	-3	0	3	5	-2	-4	-7	-1	5	-3	-9	9
Jun	-10	-1	-8	-3	0	5	3	-3	-5	-4	-1	11	-1	-11	7
Jul	8	-2	-4	5	1	5	10	-1	-4	-5	-1	5	-1	-13	13
Aug	-1	-3	1	6	1	3	-0	-2	-4	-5	-1	2	-2	-9	12
Sep	-11	-2	-9	1	1	-1	1	-1	-1	-5	-1	3	-2	-13	16
Oct	-17	-2	-10	-6	1	3	5	-1	-2	-5	-1	4	-2	-11	9

**EXTRA EU-15**
*Value (Mio ECU)*

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1994	12	-138	9	88	5	-16	143	-11	-19	-3	-5	7	-19	8
1995	-25	-91	14	58	10	-16	97	-30	-23	-2	-1	4	-15	7
1996	-143	-162	6	25	3	-20	82	-39	-25	-1	3	4	-17	20
1997	-103	-114	10	65	1	-18	21	-11	-15	-2	7	8	-25	11
1998 Jan-Oct	-343	-101	38	-52	8	-18	-25	-35	-20	-7	-6	-2	-44	9
1997 Oct	-21	-15	5	-3	-1	-2	-2	0	-1	-0	1	1	-4	1
Nov	-6	-5	4	5	-1	-4	-2	-1	0	-0	2	0	-3	0
Dec	-1	-17	6	4	-1	-2	-3	3	6	-0	-0	1	-3	2
1998 Jan	-82	-12	4	-40	-1	-1	-5	0	-6	-0	1	1	-3	1
Feb	-22	-11	1	1	0	-2	-1	-5	3	-0	1	-2	-4	1
Mar	-32	-7	6	-15	-0	-1	0	-1	3	-1	-1	-0	-4	1
Apr	-22	-9	3	-0	-1	-1	-5	-3	2	-0	-2	-1	-5	0
May	-37	-18	5	-1	-1	-1	2	-4	-5	-1	-1	0	-4	1
Jun	-18	-11	7	2	2	-1	4	-13	-1	-0	-1	0	-5	1
Jul	-49	-10	4	-4	4	-2	-7	-2	-6	-0	-1	1	-4	2
Aug	-7	-5	8	-2	4	-2	-3	-1	-1	-1	-0	1	-4	1
Sep	-41	-8	-0	5	1	-3	-5	-4	-3	-1	0	1	-7	1
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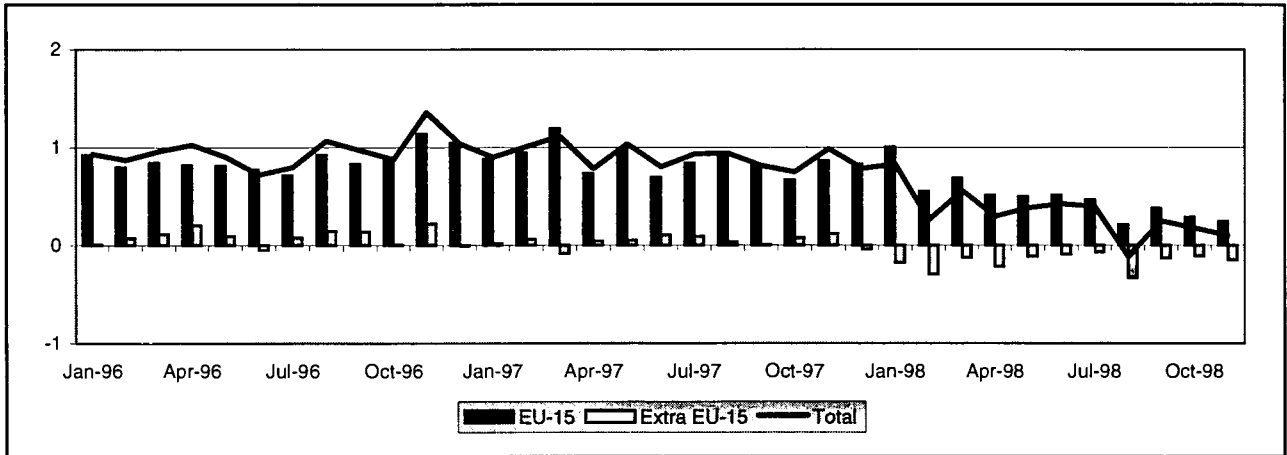
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<b>EXPORTS</b>																
% 1997	100.0	2.2	9.3	21.6	1.0	7.2	10.5	0.3	2.9	5.5	0.2	4.4	1.9	1.9	31.2	
Value (Bn ECU)																
1994	842	25	87	175	11	63	99	2	32	22	2	17	13	14	278	
1995	863	24	108	188	11	50	93	2	28	41	2	25	7	18	265	
1996	926	20	107	192	10	58	100	2	28	53	1	38	14	19	283	
1997	988	22	92	213	10	71	103	3	29	55	2	43	19	18	308	
1998 Jan-Oct	926	19	80	220	6	70	100	6	22	54	2	59	11	13	264	
1997 Oct	92	2	6	20	1	8	10	0	4	6	0	6	0	1	27	
Nov	89	2	4	19	2	5	9	0	4	3	0	3	2	1	35	
Dec	90	2	7	16	1	6	10	1	2	5	0	2	3	1	32	
1998 Jan	83	2	9	23	1	7	7	1	2	3	0	4	2	1	20	
Feb	76	1	7	21	1	8	8	0	1	5	0	3	1	1	19	
Mar	74	1	5	18	0	8	8	0	1	4	0	5	1	1	21	
Apr	91	2	8	18	0	5	12	1	1	6	0	8	1	3	27	
May	92	2	5	22	0	7	12	0	1	5	0	6	2	2	27	
Jun	105	3	6	24	0	10	11	0	3	6	0	13	2	1	26	
Jul	121	3	12	27	1	8	17	1	2	8	0	6	2	1	33	
Aug	99	1	16	26	1	6	8	1	2	5	0	4	0	1	30	
Sep	92	1	7	21	1	6	7	0	4	5	0	5	0	1	33	
Oct	92	2	6	19	1	7	11	1	5	6	0	6	1	1	28	
Annual Variation (%)																
1994	14.2	29.8	30.1	33.2	15.2	9.0	0.6	87.8	30.1	-15.5	54.9	-12.2	51.3	2.1	7.8	
1995	2.5	-1.1	23.5	7.1	-3.6	-20.6	-5.5	-0.8	-11.2	83.3	-11.4	46.0	-46.8	26.3	-4.6	
1996	7.3	-17.5	-0.5	2.0	-9.2	14.4	6.7	-13.3	0.7	31.3	-9.9	52.8	109.0	6.7	6.6	
1997	6.7	6.5	-14.0	11.2	-0.8	23.1	3.7	51.1	1.2	2.2	10.5	12.6	31.5	-3.4	9.0	
1998 Jan-Oct	14.4	6.4	-1.2	23.9	-13.8	17.5	19.9	166.7	-6.9	16.2	14.8	53.6	-16.0	-13.7	9.2	
1998 Jul	32.3	43.8	13.7	38.3	47.0	8.6	171.1	↗	-33.0	101.8	-12.6	76.1	-23.6	-7.6	6.3	
Aug	32.6	-10.4	46.3	41.8	39.8	23.9	1.2	↗	-14.6	28.8	225.8	14.7	-72.2	-48.5	47.5	
Sep	15.9	-29.9	-20.8	15.9	-13.1	16.4	-7.5	-39.7	44.5	56.9	1.6	32.2	-71.2	3.9	35.0	
Oct	0.0	-0.3	-3.6	-5.1	2.4	-15.2	6.2	758.8	32.3	-2.3	217.5	-12.4	60.1	-2.1	2.1	
<b>IMPORTS</b>																
% 1997	100.0	3.6	14.9	20.3	0.1	2.8	5.7	2.0	5.6	11.1	1.0	1.2	2.8	11.5	17.4	
Value (Bn ECU)																
1994	718	25	111	138	1	17	43	12	40	77	8	15	23	86	122	
1995	802	27	126	153	1	22	57	13	44	92	8	12	25	94	129	
1996	905	31	134	175	1	28	53	16	52	96	10	12	26	108	164	
1997	1 034	37	154	209	1	29	59	21	58	115	11	12	29	119	180	
1998 Jan-Oct	1 022	34	140	212	1	37	65	21	58	110	11	13	30	116	176	
1997 Oct	102	4	15	19	0	3	5	2	6	12	1	1	3	12	16	
Nov	91	3	15	16	0	2	5	2	5	11	1	1	3	10	15	
Dec	102	5	13	27	0	3	5	2	5	10	1	1	2	9	18	
1998 Jan	85	2	15	16	0	3	5	2	4	10	1	1	3	10	14	
Feb	84	2	12	16	0	3	5	2	5	9	1	1	2	10	15	
Mar	103	4	13	21	0	4	7	2	6	12	1	1	3	11	18	
Apr	103	3	12	20	0	3	6	2	7	13	1	1	5	12	18	
May	107	4	12	25	0	4	7	2	5	12	1	1	4	11	19	
Jun	115	3	15	27	0	4	8	3	8	10	1	1	3	12	20	
Jul	113	4	16	23	0	3	7	2	6	12	1	1	2	15	20	
Aug	100	4	15	20	0	3	8	3	5	10	1	2	3	10	17	
Sep	103	3	16	19	0	6	6	1	5	10	1	2	3	14	17	
Oct	109	4	16	25	0	3	6	2	7	11	1	1	3	12	18	
Annual Variation (%)																
1994	7.8	11.4	2.9	1.0	-21.8	7.2	8.8	36.4	-1.1	12.1	-11.6	26.5	3.1	11.0	18.0	
1995	11.7	9.3	13.9	10.8	-7.2	26.6	33.9	11.5	10.6	18.8	-7.5	-20.8	5.7	8.5	6.4	
1996	12.9	16.3	6.3	14.2	-25.9	28.7	-7.6	23.1	17.8	4.5	28.4	-1.0	7.2	15.0	26.7	
1997	14.2	16.7	14.6	19.8	18.7	5.4	12.0	27.8	11.5	20.1	8.1	7.1	9.6	10.5	9.8	
1998 Jan-Oct	21.5	15.2	11.9	27.2	23.2	57.6	34.8	20.1	21.6	16.9	27.6	25.3	24.5	16.5	19.9	
1998 Jul	26.2	54.3	29.6	20.3	16.9	96.4	13.6	11.0	6.6	59.4	27.3	23.8	-1.0	32.0	16.8	
Aug	30.3	62.9	40.5	25.3	3.7	30.1	85.8	65.2	20.4	22.8	2.2	70.8	6.5	33.8	11.4	
Sep	16.3	9.3	8.3	4.6	40.2	238.3	28.5	-13.8	42.0	-5.1	7.1	76.7	0.3	26.9	11.6	
Oct	6.5	-6.0	4.0	27.8	-33.1	-0.6	13.4	-20.4	10.4	-11.8	8.3	30.6	-23.1	-1.4	12.3	



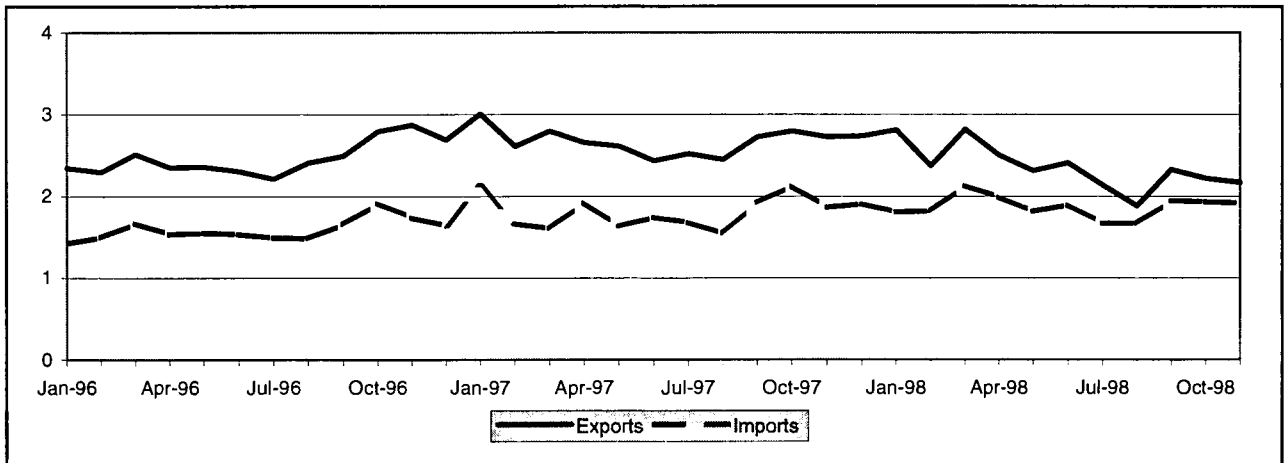
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Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
<b>EXPORTS</b>														
% 1997	100.0	14.1	7.7	36.2	3.1	1.0	16.8	3.0	4.6	0.8	2.4	1.8	4.7	2.1
Value (Bn ECU)														
1994	525	38	24	198	18	0	193	3	8	2	4	9	20	9
1995	514	45	30	171	23	2	156	5	8	2	7	7	29	8
1996	558	55	29	177	17	1	146	9	15	5	11	7	32	22
1997	643	91	50	233	20	7	108	19	30	5	16	12	30	13
1998 Jan-Oct	486	73	65	160	24	6	75	16	19	2	9	11	13	12
1997 Oct	48	4	7	15	1	1	6	3	5	1	2	1	2	1
Nov	50	10	5	19	1	0	4	2	2	0	3	0	2	0
Dec	64	9	8	19	1	0	3	5	8	1	0	2	2	2
1998 Jan	46	8	7	20	1	0	2	2	1	0	1	1	1	1
Feb	40	2	4	15	1	1	5	2	4	0	2	1	2	1
Mar	48	8	8	9	1	2	10	3	5	0	0	1	1	1
Apr	50	8	6	17	1	1	8	1	4	0	0	1	2	1
May	56	6	9	16	1	1	15	1	2	0	0	1	2	1
Jun	59	7	10	18	3	1	14	1	1	0	1	1	1	1
Jul	56	11	7	14	6	0	8	2	1	0	1	2	1	2
Aug	53	12	10	13	5	1	5	2	1	0	0	1	1	1
Sep	41	7	2	20	2	0	4	1	0	0	1	1	1	1
Oct	37	3	2	19	1	0	4	2	0	0	2	1	2	1
Annual Variation (%)														
1994	15.2	-5.1	-45.4	4.6	188.2	207.3	74.1	74.6	76.0	-58.7	-16.3	-22.3	-25.5	-44.0
1995	-2.2	18.2	27.8	-13.9	27.7	479.4	-18.9	52.0	-3.7	21.8	80.3	-25.1	40.4	-9.7
1996	8.7	22.8	-3.3	3.6	-25.5	-58.0	-6.5	93.2	89.8	134.8	60.2	9.1	11.0	169.8
1997	15.2	63.8	68.8	31.5	14.2	701.7	-26.0	122.8	93.2	10.5	42.7	63.2	-4.5	-39.1
1998 Jan-Oct	-7.9	3.0	79.3	-17.7	32.8	-1.5	-25.7	29.7	-3.5	-44.8	-28.4	10.2	-49.9	8.8
1998 Jul	14.8	35.6	80.5	-4.5	204.5	-53.2	-16.9	252.5	144.3	-46.0	-17.2	-10.7	-63.4	-4.7
Aug	18.9	145.3	209.0	-18.1	217.6	-52.2	-45.3	358.8	-56.1	-50.3	-76.5	-14.6	-38.6	-4.2
Sep	-28.3	-42.4	-42.3	-8.2	-24.5	-38.6	-10.2	87.5	-94.8	-30.4	54.8	311.8	-44.7	302.7
Oct	-23.7	-16.4	-69.6	24.1	24.8	-61.8	-41.7	-35.1	-99.0	-85.7	-14.3	-30.8	-3.6	-25.3
<b>IMPORTS</b>														
% 1997	100.0	27.5	5.3	22.5	2.5	3.3	11.7	4.1	5.9	1.0	1.2	0.4	7.4	0.3
Value (Bn ECU)														
1994	513	176	15	110	13	16	50	14	28	5	8	2	39	1
1995	539	137	16	113	13	18	59	34	31	4	8	2	44	1
1996	701	217	24	152	15	21	64	48	40	6	8	3	49	2
1997	746	205	40	168	18	24	87	31	44	8	9	3	56	2
1998 Jan-Oct	829	175	27	212	16	24	100	51	38	9	15	13	57	2
1997 Oct	70	18	2	18	2	3	9	2	6	1	1	0	6	0
Nov	56	16	2	14	2	4	6	3	2	1	1	0	5	0
Dec	65	26	2	15	2	2	6	2	2	1	1	0	5	0
1998 Jan	128	20	3	60	3	2	7	2	7	1	1	0	4	0
Feb	61	14	3	13	1	2	7	7	1	1	1	3	5	0
Mar	80	15	2	24	1	3	9	4	2	1	1	1	5	0
Apr	72	17	4	17	2	2	13	4	2	1	2	1	6	0
May	94	24	4	17	2	2	13	5	6	2	1	1	6	0
Jun	78	18	3	16	2	2	10	14	2	1	2	1	6	0
Jul	105	21	2	18	2	2	15	4	8	1	1	1	5	0
Aug	60	17	1	16	2	2	7	3	2	1	1	0	5	1
Sep	82	15	2	15	1	3	9	5	4	1	1	0	8	0
Oct	70	12	3	17	1	4	9	4	6	1	3	3	7	0
Annual Variation (%)														
1994	6.3	24.0	-22.9	2.3	79.9	39.2	-22.2	10.5	-5.0	6.3	-6.5	19.7	14.4	0.3
1995	5.1	-22.5	4.9	2.8	0.3	10.9	19.0	143.7	13.2	-11.5	-1.8	9.1	11.5	68.2
1996	30.0	59.1	47.3	34.5	13.8	15.9	9.4	40.2	27.0	40.9	-6.0	11.2	12.0	92.1
1997	6.5	-5.6	68.2	10.8	26.0	16.2	35.7	-36.0	11.0	20.5	17.9	20.9	14.1	0.0
1998 Jan-Oct	32.6	6.5	-22.9	51.9	7.9	30.5	32.9	101.3	-5.9	55.5	93.2	405.6	25.3	8.9
1998 Jul	46.5	21.8	-61.6	19.2	19.8	43.9	58.6	99.3	72.8	85.4	58.0	640.2	33.3	4.3
Aug	-4.8	-3.0	-54.5	7.1	-1.4	25.8	1.8	37.2	-76.6	57.6	0.5	18.7	-4.7	53.4
Sep	7.5	-9.4	13.6	10.7	-18.9	53.8	36.3	86.8	-36.7	34.8	17.7	11.1	41.1	-73.1
Oct	0.1	-32.5	40.0	-6.6	-37.4	37.4	3.7	55.1	-9.7	18.9	307.1	825.5	12.1	-52.3

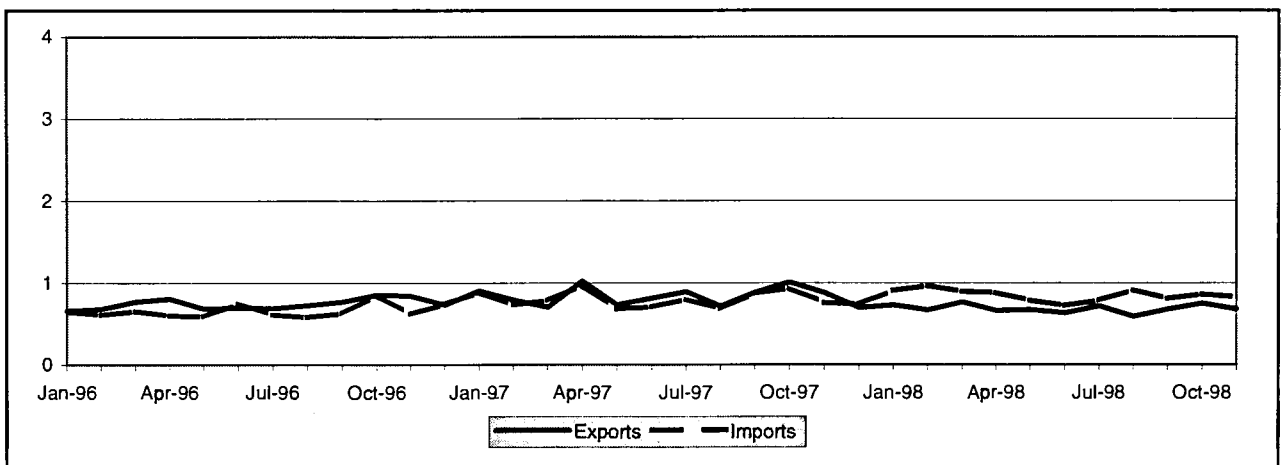
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Period	EU-15	Partner													
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
1994	6 891	237	-318	433	40	167	1 445	85	41	1 800	-110	47	31	-704	3 695
1995	6 794	271	-284	326	131	69	1 377	-84	-7	1 926	-112	53	-109	-707	3 944
1996	10 487	531	-329	679	45	355	2 256	-23	4	3 074	-121	44	-122	-1 035	5 130
1997	10 333	651	-34	-26	47	-259	2 436	131	-40	3 485	-177	55	-124	-1 162	5 351
1998 Jan-Nov	5 363	288	-111	14	142	154	1 697	55	-492	1 984	-153	105	-145	-1 263	3 088
1997 Nov	863	43	-8	-10	7	13	265	0	9	240	-18	14	-14	-80	403
Dec	828	57	8	-48	6	23	324	12	-8	249	-39	-1	-29	-116	390
1998 Jan	1 006	68	20	91	3	10	208	-3	-95	326	-8	13	41	-90	421
Feb	550	65	3	38	9	12	208	1	-34	200	-10	-5	-26	-124	213
Mar	688	37	-5	-3	12	-0	190	-0	-47	216	-10	3	-30	-164	489
Apr	513	29	1	32	3	-76	178	35	-72	212	-15	19	-16	-113	295
May	498	-2	88	-25	3	20	128	-26	-36	171	-11	24	2	-134	296
Jun	515	9	-46	6	96	55	119	10	-37	126	-19	24	-9	-170	353
Jul	464	42	-23	-37	1	33	118	-1	-48	188	-12	1	-15	-116	334
Aug	213	3	-31	-62	3	18	88	7	-51	127	-12	-0	-3	-40	166
Sep	381	19	-59	-8	4	27	160	28	-24	162	-20	2	-35	-113	238
Oct	287	4	-11	10	3	26	143	1	-46	133	-19	2	-16	-108	165
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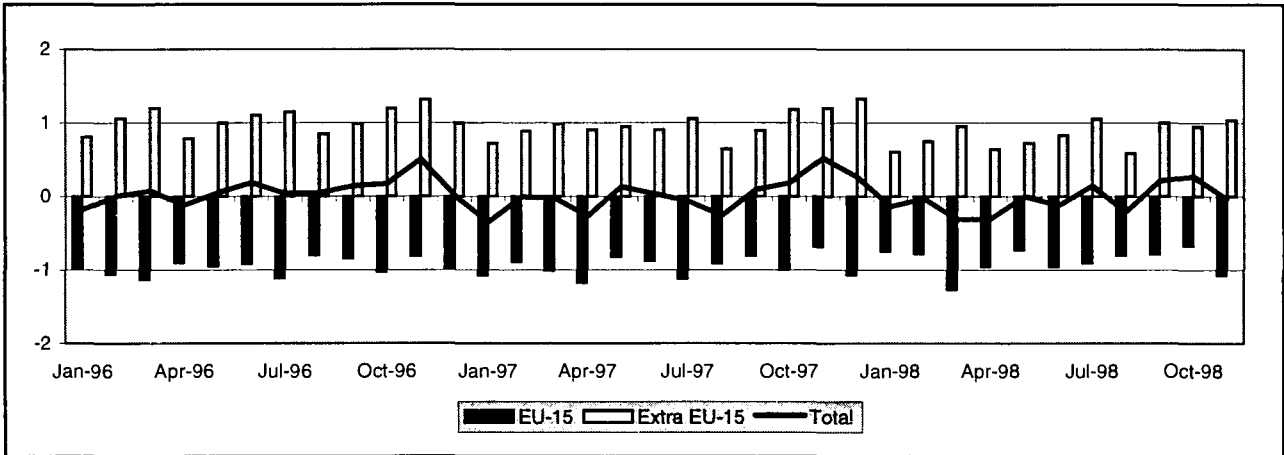
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		Iceland	Switzer-land	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterra- nean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
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1995	135	80	-176	291	668	-333	-391	96	-310	179	48	128	30	-203
1996	1 021	134	-211	1 105	975	-387	-337	146	-239	191	111	88	-252	-219
1997	496	98	-170	537	1 453	-429	-507	84	-320	122	-48	25	42	-403
1998 Jan-Nov	-1 810	87	-243	-162	611	-493	-658	27	-273	-19	-116	35	-193	-206
1997 Nov	121	6	-16	67	108	-49	-12	6	-16	-4	-8	5	17	-9
Dec	-43	6	-22	15	122	-28	-91	-6	-28	0	-5	6	-2	-10
1998 Jan	-177	13	-16	40	55	-46	-180	2	-0	-9	-1	3	-4	10
Feb	-296	2	-18	-15	75	-55	-69	-7	-13	-1	3	7	-131	-30
Mar	-129	15	-26	-12	61	-39	-33	16	-3	1	-13	7	-43	-11
Apr	-218	4	-22	-82	64	-11	-74	8	-29	4	-13	3	-21	-34
May	-116	7	-25	9	44	-32	-69	5	-21	19	-38	-8	15	-15
Jun	-92	5	-18	48	-5	-26	-14	-7	-10	-23	-10	3	3	-24
Jul	-69	6	-18	14	71	-61	-26	3	-42	11	-24	0	5	-28
Aug	-325	8	-23	-13	41	-60	-130	-9	-22	-43	-8	7	1	-54
Sep	-131	8	-20	-53	62	-63	-7	-1	-46	5	-9	1	16	-12
Oct	-110	9	-27	-11	55	-59	-26	9	-54	12	6	4	-8	-12
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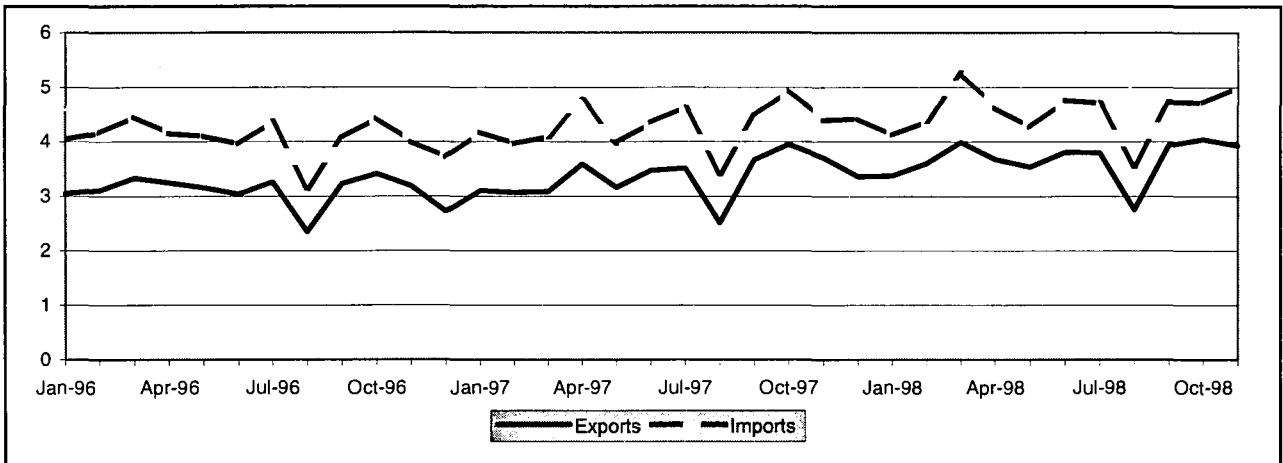
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Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Iceland	Switzer- land	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterra- nean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
<b>EXPORTS</b>														
% 1997	100.0	1.9	2.0	26.3	19.9	2.7	8.5	6.4	3.3	4.2	4.8	1.9	11.4	2.4
<b>Value (Bn ECU)</b>														
1994	6 480	167	179	1 970	968	143	547	417	127	320	301	172	553	327
1995	7 267	127	172	1 963	1 205	141	567	498	172	380	391	220	912	199
1996	8 901	197	170	2 853	1 558	159	712	569	243	397	500	187	860	220
1997	10 014	192	196	2 636	1 992	275	848	643	334	423	476	192	1 146	243
1998 Jan-Nov	7 523	170	170	2 086	1 124	196	736	654	253	321	365	166	846	205
1997 Nov	878	15	15	237	161	14	111	63	34	26	35	21	90	20
Dec	694	12	14	189	170	15	49	45	29	23	31	15	65	14
1998 Jan	727	17	18	208	117	15	46	45	35	30	51	15	74	36
Feb	666	10	18	162	121	11	54	56	43	23	52	20	50	14
Mar	763	22	17	204	124	19	94	71	34	27	25	20	55	34
Apr	660	17	15	159	119	43	49	61	24	30	24	13	82	10
May	668	14	12	233	89	15	42	60	22	43	18	12	80	12
Jun	629	13	18	216	63	18	72	46	24	24	35	15	63	9
Jul	716	19	15	190	100	16	55	55	22	33	23	13	115	18
Aug	588	15	11	191	82	15	44	50	18	20	29	14	74	8
Sep	677	15	15	143	120	13	85	66	8	31	39	10	94	17
Oct	750	15	15	203	92	12	112	74	10	34	45	17	86	15
Nov	678	13	15	176	98	20	84	68	14	26	24	17	71	31
<b>Annual Variation (%)</b>														
1994	7.9	19.9	13.1	16.3	52.5	-17.2	8.4	15.4	31.8	-33.6	-29.4	-7.0	15.8	-10.0
1995	12.2	-23.9	-3.8	-0.3	24.4	-1.4	3.7	19.4	35.3	18.7	29.7	27.9	64.8	-39.0
1996	22.5	54.6	-1.4	45.3	29.3	12.6	25.6	14.4	41.1	4.3	28.1	-15.1	-5.7	10.2
1997	12.5	-2.2	15.3	-7.6	27.8	72.6	19.2	12.9	37.7	6.6	-4.8	2.9	33.2	10.8
1998 Jan-Nov	-19.3	-5.3	-6.6	-14.7	-38.3	-24.4	-8.1	9.1	-17.4	-19.9	-18.3	-6.2	-21.7	-10.6
1998 Aug	-17.6	-3.4	-22.4	9.5	-51.4	-30.7	-17.5	38.1	-23.0	-17.7	23.5	6.2	-24.0	-19.5
Sep	-23.0	-20.9	-11.7	-39.2	-26.7	-30.2	3.3	-12.0	-83.5	-14.6	-39.6	-43.4	48.9	-8.2
Oct	-25.5	-55.4	-16.5	18.0	-58.3	-26.3	-30.3	5.2	-77.5	-13.2	2.1	-17.9	-19.2	42.4
Nov	-22.7	-13.8	-1.6	-25.5	-38.8	46.8	-24.5	6.4	-59.3	-2.1	-30.7	-18.8	-20.7	58.3
<b>IMPORTS</b>														
% 1997	100.0	1.0	3.8	22.1	5.7	7.4	14.2	5.9	6.9	3.2	5.5	1.8	11.6	6.8
<b>Value (Bn ECU)</b>														
1994	7 132	35	309	1 690	449	434	1 370	289	577	172	375	86	716	390
1995	7 133	47	349	1 672	537	475	958	402	482	201	343	92	882	403
1996	7 880	62	381	1 748	583	546	1 049	423	482	206	390	99	1 112	438
1997	9 518	94	366	2 100	538	704	1 355	559	655	301	524	167	1 103	647
1998 Jan-Nov	9 333	83	413	2 249	513	689	1 393	626	526	341	480	131	1 039	411
1997 Nov	757	9	31	170	53	63	123	57	50	30	43	16	72	29
Dec	737	6	36	174	48	43	139	51	57	23	36	10	68	24
1998 Jan	903	5	33	168	62	61	225	43	35	39	52	12	78	26
Feb	962	8	35	177	47	66	123	62	57	25	49	12	181	44
Mar	892	7	43	216	62	57	127	55	38	27	38	13	99	45
Apr	878	13	38	241	55	55	123	53	53	27	37	9	103	44
May	785	7	37	224	46	47	111	55	43	24	56	20	66	27
Jun	720	8	37	168	68	44	86	53	34	46	45	11	61	33
Jul	785	13	33	176	29	76	81	52	64	22	47	13	110	46
Aug	913	7	34	204	41	75	174	60	40	63	37	8	73	62
Sep	807	7	36	196	58	77	92	67	54	25	48	9	77	29
Oct	860	6	42	215	36	71	137	65	63	21	39	14	94	27
Nov	826	3	45	264	10	61	114	62	46	22	34	9	97	27
<b>Annual Variation (%)</b>														
1994	5.7	-22.0	-2.8	1.9	8.4	19.0	-16.5	31.9	80.4	15.4	46.9	-10.8	-3.0	19.1
1995	0.0	33.4	12.7	-1.1	19.6	9.5	-30.1	39.1	-16.4	17.0	-8.5	7.1	23.1	3.4
1996	10.5	32.7	9.2	4.5	8.6	15.0	9.5	5.2	-0.1	2.3	13.7	7.7	26.1	8.8
1997	20.8	51.1	-4.0	20.1	-7.7	28.9	29.2	32.1	35.9	46.4	34.4	69.5	-0.8	47.6
1998 Jan-Nov	6.2	-5.5	25.2	16.6	4.6	4.0	14.6	23.5	-11.9	22.2	-1.3	-17.0	0.2	-34.4
1998 Aug	34.4	-28.2	47.4	50.7	81.0	7.2	71.8	42.9	-10.4	237.7	-31.0	-53.1	3.1	48.0
Sep	-7.4	12.3	9.9	18.0	302.5	-2.7	-46.2	-17.8	-3.5	21.4	-15.4	-19.1	-4.1	-49.3
Oct	-7.7	43.8	34.7	2.3	-44.3	-5.1	-5.3	12.2	3.3	-54.2	-28.7	-38.4	14.4	-32.2
Nov	9.1	-66.9	45.8	55.1	-80.2	-2.8	-7.4	7.2	-8.8	-27.1	-20.3	-40.6	34.4	-4.5

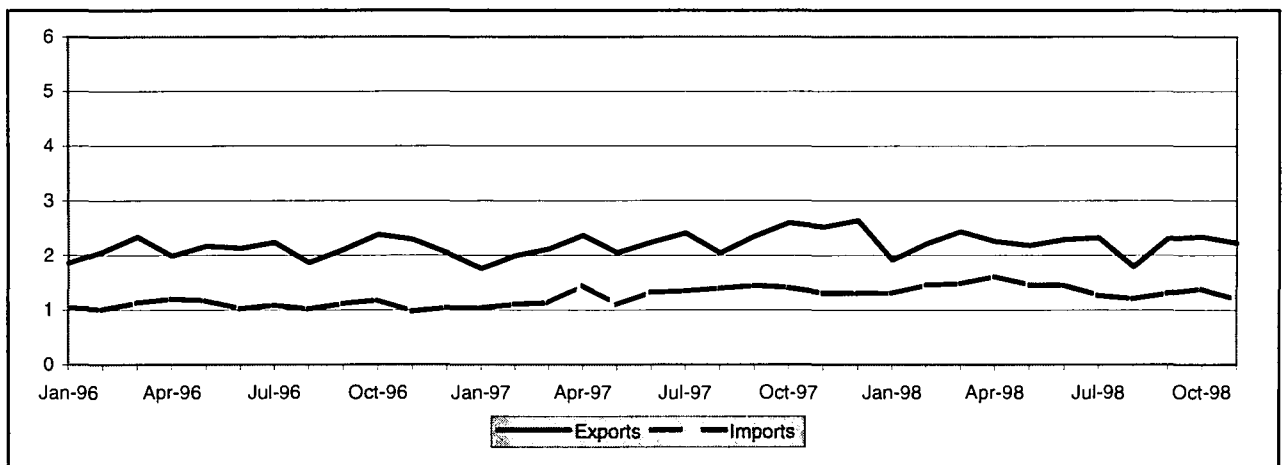
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**TRADE BALANCE**
**EU-15 MEMBER STATES**
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Period	EU-15	Partner													
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
1994	-9 425	-714	-33	-5 137	264	335	-1 070	-318	-1 326	-1 122	-254	100	-51	-154	55
1995	-10 793	-802	18	-6 019	275	404	-1 314	-391	-1 533	-1 152	-388	95	-53	-247	314
1996	-11 333	-716	-28	-5 344	284	359	-1 531	-514	-1 957	-1 289	-541	113	12	-105	-77
1997	-11 446	-876	-23	-5 225	348	566	-1 256	-891	-1 564	-1 725	-468	165	63	-114	-447
1998 Jan-Nov	-9 683	-750	-60	-5 026	471	714	-851	-880	-1 365	-1 354	-575	168	-4	-75	-96
1997 Nov	-686	-56	-4	-349	34	42	-31	-90	-63	-131	-29	15	6	2	-32
Dec	-1 064	-42	-5	-478	39	33	-45	-132	-152	-223	-15	9	5	-11	-47
1998 Jan	-744	-53	-7	-301	30	56	-60	-61	-73	-136	-46	14	4	-7	-101
Feb	-781	-67	5	-455	42	56	-70	-84	-95	-95	-38	15	1	-6	10
Mar	-1 268	-91	-45	-497	49	67	-70	-75	-129	-119	-73	18	5	-7	-300
Apr	-953	-85	1	-501	51	63	-124	-75	-107	-138	-38	19	7	-14	-11
May	-728	-81	13	-446	45	66	-52	-82	-115	-139	-43	18	8	3	76
Jun	-957	-98	-3	-450	53	64	-40	-108	-145	-145	-77	18	3	-20	-10
Jul	-911	-65	-4	-500	52	73	-52	-69	-212	-102	-34	8	-1	-2	-4
Aug	-800	-55	-5	-508	20	48	-43	-44	-116	-107	-48	6	-7	1	58
Sep	-791	-50	-1	-352	51	83	-128	-108	-118	-150	-75	17	8	-16	50
Oct	-676	-37	-4	-410	36	77	-58	-75	-124	-114	-42	17	-5	7	55
Nov	-1 075	-68	-9	-605	42	62	-155	-99	-131	-109	-61	17	-25	-14	80

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*Value (Mio ECU)*

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Iceland	Norway	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1994	11 308	-17	131	1 469	208	-179	301	736	40	987	989	1 012	3 092	43
1995	11 927	-27	137	1 310	232	-158	496	787	-5	1 176	807	1 138	3 168	-1
1996	12 521	-15	193	1 290	242	-214	901	899	111	1 410	974	783	3 158	-120
1997	11 647	-34	181	1 425	232	-380	834	1 134	-198	1 830	1 321	813	3 475	-136
1998 Jan-Nov	9 133	-10	233	2 373	129	-512	718	998	-72	1 508	1 352	753	993	-102
1997 Nov	1 206	-6	17	279	13	11	68	98	-84	102	143	91	360	6
Dec	1 328	-3	14	229	25	-22	214	95	-60	162	153	102	284	-1
1998 Jan	607	-7	18	91	22	-73	47	83	16	94	67	54	102	-0
Feb	751	-4	18	234	17	-59	142	104	28	123	117	84	-126	-26
Mar	954	-5	23	193	38	-39	34	99	40	172	113	122	87	-6
Apr	642	-1	17	174	36	-33	27	104	45	157	113	-26	37	-15
May	724	16	27	126	3	-25	51	86	35	117	124	100	-18	7
Jun	831	-3	18	289	11	-56	64	99	-57	152	134	95	44	-25
Jul	1 053	-1	19	338	21	-58	87	99	8	160	141	-7	180	-8
Aug	584	-2	24	127	3	-61	52	74	-52	135	112	37	102	-6
Sep	1 000	-1	26	305	-17	-58	56	76	-72	153	142	69	215	4
Oct	947	-0	16	181	-13	-23	90	79	-54	127	163	118	193	-9
Nov	1 040	-2	27	315	7	-26	67	95	-10	117	126	107	175	-18









## Annexes



## ECU EXCHANGE RATE (1)

Periods	Belg.-Lux.	Denmark	Germany	Greece	Spain	France	Ireland	Italy	Netherlands
	1 ECU = ... BEF	1 ECU = ... DKK	1 ECU = ... DEM	1 ECU = ... GRD	1 ECU = ... ESP	1 ECU = ... FRF	1 ECU = ... IEP	1 ECU = ... ITL	1 ECU = ... NLG
1993	40.471	7.594	1.936	268.568	149.124	6.634	0.800	1 841.230	2.175
1994	39.657	7.543	1.925	288.026	158.918	6.583	0.794	1 915.060	2.158
1995	38.552	7.328	1.874	302.989	163.000	6.525	0.816	2 130.143	2.099
1996	39.299	7.359	1.910	305.546	160.748	6.493	0.793	1 958.960	2.140
1997	40.533	7.484	1.964	309.355	165.887	6.613	0.748	1 929.300	2.211
1997 Jul	40.849	7.536	1.979	310.426	166.903	6.676	0.738	1 926.480	2.228
Aug	40.771	7.522	1.974	309.469	166.818	6.655	0.739	1 928.720	2.224
Sep	40.621	7.492	1.968	310.321	166.035	6.615	0.743	1 920.350	2.216
Oct	40.589	7.492	1.968	309.904	166.076	6.601	0.763	1 927.770	2.217
Nov	40.710	7.512	1.974	309.754	166.681	6.609	0.758	1 933.780	2.225
Dec	40.764	7.526	1.976	310.863	167.119	6.614	0.763	1 937.160	2.227
1998 Jan	40.760	7.526	1.976	312.325	167.474	6.617	0.787	1 944.670	2.227
Feb	40.762	7.528	1.975	312.364	167.396	6.621	0.791	1 949.130	2.226
Mar	40.850	7.548	1.980	331.641	167.911	6.638	0.793	1 949.910	2.232
Apr	40.849	7.549	1.979	345.012	168.074	6.635	0.785	1 955.170	2.229
May	40.604	7.500	1.968	340.314	167.205	6.600	0.782	1 941.080	2.218
Jun	40.707	7.517	1.973	334.766	167.513	6.617	0.783	1 944.260	2.224
Jul	40.692	7.519	1.973	328.679	167.463	6.615	0.784	1 945.480	2.224
Aug	40.621	7.503	1.970	331.643	167.189	6.604	0.785	1 943.550	2.221
Sep	40.511	7.479	1.964	337.886	166.780	6.585	0.785	1 940.260	2.215
Oct	40.359	7.439	1.956	336.530	166.258	6.559	0.784	1 935.390	2.206
Nov	40.388	7.444	1.958	329.129	166.495	6.565	0.787	1 937.610	2.208

Periods	Austria	Portugal	Finland	Sweden	United Kingdom	Iceland	Norway	Switzerland	USA	Japan
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1993	:	188.370	:	:	0.780	79.253	8.310	1.730	1.171	130.147
1994	:	196.898	:	:	0.776	83.106	8.374	1.621	1.190	121.322
1995	13.182	196.105	5.709	9.332	0.829	84.685	8.286	1.546	1.308	123.012
1996	13.435	195.761	5.828	8.515	0.814	84.656	8.197	1.568	1.270	138.084
1997	13.824	198.589	5.881	8.651	0.692	80.439	8.019	1.644	1.134	137.077
1997 Jul	13.923	199.781	5.865	8.629	0.661	78.515	8.221	1.636	1.105	127.200
Aug	13.894	200.090	5.903	8.565	0.669	77.863	8.178	1.623	1.073	126.456
Sep	13.849	199.897	5.891	8.473	0.687	78.979	8.049	1.619	1.100	132.788
Oct	13.849	200.441	5.897	8.480	0.687	80.114	7.926	1.626	1.120	135.511
Nov	13.891	201.461	5.949	8.619	0.675	80.984	8.043	1.603	1.139	142.621
Dec	13.902	201.944	5.971	8.658	0.669	79.748	8.064	1.599	1.112	143.935
1998 Jan	13.901	202.106	5.980	8.717	0.665	79.257	8.156	1.604	1.088	140.848
Feb	13.898	202.202	5.991	8.795	0.664	78.712	8.229	1.593	1.088	136.805
Mar	13.932	202.667	6.010	8.639	0.653	78.658	8.221	1.614	1.084	139.874
Apr	13.927	202.812	6.009	8.534	0.653	78.514	8.218	1.643	1.091	144.150
May	13.850	201.639	5.982	8.535	0.677	79.126	8.264	1.639	1.109	149.674
Jun	13.886	202.070	5.998	8.712	0.667	78.594	8.343	1.645	1.101	154.352
Jul	13.883	201.883	5.998	8.767	0.668	78.530	8.366	1.661	1.098	154.346
Aug	13.860	201.638	5.990	8.958	0.675	78.975	8.510	1.646	1.102	159.374
Sep	13.818	201.324	5.978	9.121	0.687	80.822	8.741	1.617	1.154	155.322
Oct	13.764	200.645	5.952	9.366	0.705	81.727	8.878	1.596	1.194	144.172
Nov	13.775	200.782	5.954	9.306	0.701	81.538	8.676	1.612	1.164	140.115

(1) The ECU is a 'basket' monetary unit based on the market exchange rates of certain quantity of each European Union currency weighted on the basis of the average gross national product over five years and of the intra-EU trade of each Member State. The rates used here are averages of the daily rates.

## PRODUCT LIST : SITC REV. 3

### 0 Food and live animals

- 00 Live animals other than animals of division 03
- 01 Meat and meat preparations
- 02 Dairy products and birds' eggs
- 03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates and preparations thereof
- 04 Cereals and cereal preparations
- 05 Vegetables and fruit
- 06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey
- 07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices, and manufactures thereof
- 08 Feeding stuff for animals (not including unmilled cereals)
- 09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations

### 1 Beverages and tobacco

- 11 Beverages
- 12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures

### 2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels

- 21 Hides, skins and fur skins, raw
- 22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits
- 23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)
- 24 Cork and wood
- 25 Pulp and waste paper
- 26 Textile fibres (other than wool tops and other combed wool), and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)
- 27 Crude fertilizers, other than those of division 56, and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)
- 28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap
- 29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.

### 3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials

- 32 Coal, coke and briquettes
- 33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials
- 34 Gas, natural and manufactured
- 35 Electric current

### 4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes

- 41 Animal oils and fats
- 42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated
- 43 Animal or vegetable fats and oils, processed; waxes of animal or vegetable origin; inedible mixtures or preparations of animal or vegetable fats and oils n.e.s

### 5 Chemicals and related products, n.e.s

- 51 Organic chemicals
- 52 Inorganic chemicals
- 53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials
- 54 Medical and pharmaceutical products
- 55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials toilet, polishing and cleaning preparations
- 56 Fertilizers (other than those of group 272)
- 57 Plastics in primary forms
- 58 Plastics in non-primary forms
- 59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s

### 6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material

- 60 Complete industrial plant appropriate to section 6
- 61 Leather, leather manufacture, n.e.s, and dressed fur skins
- 62 Rubber manufacture, n.e.s
- 63 Cork and wood manufacture (excluding furniture)
- 64 Paper, paperboard and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard
- 65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s, and related products
- 66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s
- 67 Iron and steel
- 68 Non-ferrous metals
- 69 Manufacture of metals, n.e.s

## PRODUCT LIST : SITC REV. 3

### **7 Machinery and transport equipment**

- 70 Complete industrial plant appropriate to section 7
- 71 Power-generating machinery and equipment
- 72 Machinery specialized for particular industries
- 73 Metal working machinery
- 74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s, and machine parts, n.e.s
- 75 Office machines and automatic data-processing machines
- 76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment
- 77 Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, n.e.s and electrical parts thereof (including non-electrical counterparts n.e.s of electrical household type equipment)
- 78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)
- 79 Other transport equipment

### **8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles**

- 80 Complete industrial plant appropriate to section 8
- 81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s
- 82 Furniture and parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings
- 83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers
- 84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories
- 85 Footwear
- 87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s
- 88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s; watches and clocks
- 89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s

### **9 Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in SITC**

- 91 Postal packages not classified according to kind
- 93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind
- 94 Complete industrial plant, not elsewhere specified
- 96 Coin (other than gold coin) not being legal tender
- 97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold, ores and concentrates)

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#### 5110 European Union

0001 France  
0002 Belgium and Luxembourg  
0003 Netherlands  
0004 Germany  
0005 Italy  
0006 United Kingdom  
0007 Ireland  
0008 Denmark  
0009 Greece  
0010 Portugal  
0011 Spain  
0030 Sweden  
0032 Finland  
0038 Austria

#### 5190 Other european countries

0024 Iceland  
0028 Norway  
0037 Liechtenstein  
0039 Switzerland  
0041 Faroe Islands  
0043 Andorra  
0044 Gibraltar  
0045 Vatican City State  
0046 Malta  
0047 San Marino  
0052 Turkey  
0053 Estonia  
0054 Latvia  
0055 Lithuania  
0060 Poland  
0061 Czech Republic  
0063 Slovakia  
0064 Hungary  
0066 Romania  
0068 Bulgaria  
0070 Albania  
0072 Ukraine  
0073 Belarus  
0074 Moldova  
0075 Russia  
0091 Slovenia  
0092 Croatia  
0093 Bosnia and Herzegovina  
0094 Federal Republic of Yugoslavia  
0096 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
0600 Cyprus

### 5200 AFRICA

#### 5210 North Africa

0022 Ceuta and Melilla  
0204 Morocco  
0208 Algeria  
0212 Tunisia  
0216 Libya  
0220 Egypt

#### 5290 Other countries of Africa

0224 Sudan  
0228 Mauritania  
0232 Mali  
0236 Burkina Faso  
0240 Niger  
0244 Chad  
0247 Cape Verde  
0248 Senegal  
0252 Gambia  
0257 Guinea Bissau  
0260 Guinea  
0264 Sierra Leone  
0268 Liberia  
0272 Ivory Coast  
0276 Ghana  
0280 Togo  
0284 Benin  
0288 Nigeria  
0302 Cameroon  
0306 Central African Republic  
0310 Equatorial Guinea  
0311 Sao Tomé and Príncipe  
0314 Gabon  
0318 Congo (Republic)  
0322 Congo (Democratic Republic)  
0324 Rwanda  
0328 Burundi  
0329 St Helena and dependencies  
0330 Angola  
0334 Ethiopia  
0336 Eritrea  
0338 Djibouti  
0342 Somalia  
0346 Kenya  
0350 Uganda  
0352 Tanzania  
0355 Seychelles and dependencies  
0357 British Indian Ocean Territory  
0366 Mozambique  
0370 Madagascar



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0373	Mauritius	0474	Aruba
0375	Comoros	0478	Netherlands Antilles
0377	Mayotte		
0378	Zambia	<b>5330</b>	<b>South America</b>
0382	Zimbabwe	0480	Colombia
0386	Malawi	0484	Venezuela
0388	South Africa	0488	Guyana
0389	Namibia	0492	Suriname
0391	Botswana	0500	Ecuador
0393	Swaziland	0504	Peru
0395	Lesotho	0508	Brazil
		0512	Chile
<b>5300</b>	<b>AMERICA</b>	0516	Bolivia
		0520	Paraguay
<b>5310</b>	<b>North America</b>	0524	Uruguay
0400	United States of America	0528	Argentina
0404	Canada	0529	Falkland Islands
0406	Greenland		
0408	St Pierre and Miquelon	<b>5400</b>	<b>ASIA</b>
<b>5320</b>	<b>Central America and West Ind.</b>	<b>5410</b>	<b>Near and Middle East</b>
0412	Mexico	0076	Georgia
0413	Bermuda	0077	Armenia
0416	Guatemala	0078	Azerbaijan
0421	Belize	0604	Lebanon
0424	Honduras	0608	Syria
0428	El Salvador	0612	Iraq
0432	Nicaragua	0616	Iran
0436	Costa Rica	0624	Israel
0442	Panama	0625	West Bank/Gaza
0446	Anguilla	0628	Jordan
0448	Cuba	0632	Saudi Arabia
0449	St Kitts and Nevis	0636	Kuwait
0452	Haiti	0640	Bahrain
0453	Bahamas	0644	Qatar
0454	Turks and Caicos Islands	0647	United Arab Emirates
0456	Dominican Republic	0649	Oman
0457	US Virgin Islands	0653	Yemen
0459	Antigua and Barbuda		
0460	Dominica	<b>5490</b>	<b>Other countries of Asia</b>
0463	Cayman Islands	0079	Kazakhstan
0464	Jamaica	0080	Turkmenistan
0465	St Lucia	0081	Uzbekistan
0467	St Vincent	0082	Tajikistan
0468	British Virgin Islands	0083	Kyrgyzstan
0469	Barbados	0660	Afghanistan
0470	Montserrat	0662	Pakistan
0472	Trinidad and Tobago	0664	India
0473	Grenada	0666	Bangladesh

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0667 Maldives  
0669 Sri Lanka  
0672 Nepal  
0675 Bhutan  
0676 Myanmar  
0680 Thailand  
0684 Laos  
0690 Vietnam  
0696 Cambodia  
0700 Indonesia  
0701 Malaysia  
0703 Brunei  
0706 Singapore  
0708 Philippines  
0716 Mongolia  
0720 China  
0724 North Korea  
0728 South Korea  
0732 Japan  
0736 Taiwan  
0740 Hong Kong  
0743 Macau

### 5500 OCEANIA AND POLAR REGIONS

0800 Australia  
0801 Papua New Guinea  
0802 Australian Oceania  
0803 Nauru  
0804 New Zealand  
0806 Solomon Islands  
0807 Tuvalu  
0809 New Caledonia and dependencies  
0810 American Oceania  
0811 Wallis and Futuna Islands  
0812 Kiribati  
0813 Pitcairn  
0814 New Zealand Oceania  
0815 Fiji  
0816 Vanuatu  
0817 Tonga  
0819 Western Samoa  
0820 Northern Mariana Islands  
0822 French Polynesia  
0823 Federated States of Micronesia  
0824 Marshall Islands  
0825 Palau  
0890 Polar Regions

## ECONOMIC ZONES 1998

The economic zones may overlap and must not, therefore, be used to make up larger units.

<p><b>1110: Intra EU-15</b> Member States of the European Union 001 + 002 + 003 + 004 + 005 + 006 + 007 + 008 + 009 + 010 + 011 + 030 + 032 + 038 + 5910</p>	<p><b>1031: ACP <sup>3</sup></b> Countries of Africa, the Caribbean and the Pacific – Lomé Convention 224 + 228 + 232 + 236 + 240 + 244 + 247 + 248 + 252 + 257 + 260 + 264 + 268 + 272 + 276 + 280 + 284 + 288 + 302 + 306 + 310 + 311 + 314 + 318 + 322 + 324 + 328 + 330 + 334 + 336 + 338 + 342 + 346 + 350 + 352 + 355 + 366 + 370 + 373 + 375 + 378 + 382 + 386 + 389 + 391 + 393 + 395 + 421 + 449 + 452 + 453 + 456 + 459 + 460 + 464 + 465 + 467 + 469 + 472 + 473 + 488 + 492 + 801 + 806 + 807 + 812 + 815 + 816 + 817 + 819</p>
<p><b>1811: Extra EU-15</b> Grand total less European Union 5190 + 5200 + 5300 + 5400 + 5500 + 5920</p>	
<p><b>1021: EFTA</b> Countries of the European Free Trade Agreement 024 + 028 + 037 + 039</p>	
<p><b>1820: OECD , excluding EU <sup>1</sup></b> Member states of the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development 024 + 028 + 039 + 052 + 060 + 061 + 064 + 400 + 404 + 412 + 728 + 732 + 800 + 802 + 804 + 814</p>	<p><b>1051: Mediterranean Basin</b> Countries and territories that make up the Mediterranean Basin 022 + 044 + 046 + 052 + 070 + 091 + 092 + 093 + 094 + 096 + 204 + 208 + 212 + 216 + 220 + 600 + 604 + 608 + 624 + 625 + 628</p>
<p><b>1120: CEEC <sup>2</sup></b> Countries of Central and Eastern Europe 053 + 054 + 055 + 060 + 061 + 063 + 064 + 066 + 068 + 070 + 091 + 092 + 093 + 094 + 096</p>	<p><b>1310: NAFTA</b> Countries of the North American Free Trade Agreement 400 + 404 + 412</p>
<p><b>1815: CIS</b> Commonwealth of Independent States 072 + 073 + 074 + 075 + 076 + 077 + 078 + 079 + 080 + 081 + 082 + 083</p>	<p><b>1058: Latin America</b> 412 + 416 + 424 + 428 + 432 + 436 + 442 + 448 + 452 + 456 + 480 + 484 + 500 + 504 + 508 + 512 + 516 + 520 + 524 + 528</p>
<p><b>1053: OPEC</b> Member States of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries 208 + 216 + 288 + 314 + 484 + 612 + 616 + 632 + 636 + 644 + 647 + 700</p>	<p><b>1330: MERCOSUR</b> Countries of the South Cone common market (in South America) 508 + 520 + 524 + 528</p>
	<p><b>1415: Dynamic Asian Economies (DAE)</b> 680 + 701 + 706 + 728 + 736 + 740</p>

<sup>1</sup> OECD includes Mexico since 1.1.1994, Czech Republic since 1.1.1995, Poland, Hungary and South Korea since 1.1.1996.

<sup>2</sup> CEEC includes Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania since 1.1.1992.

<sup>3</sup> ACP includes Eritrea since 1.1.1994.



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