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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 Association
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, Stockholm
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 1998 the European Union's trade balance was ECU 20 billion in surplus, while in 1997 there was a surplus of ECU 48 billion.

During 1998 the United States' deficit was ECU 236 billion (against a deficit of ECU 186 billion in 1997), while Japan's external trade showed a surplus of ECU 98 billion (compared with a surplus of ECU 73 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-zone² had a surplus of ECU 83 billion in 1998.

During 1998 the EU's¹ external trade balance recorded a surplus of ECU 20.2 billion: in 1997 it had been ECU 48.4 billion. The growth rates of extra-EU exports and imports were +1.2% and +5.5% respectively, lower than the +15.3% and +15.6% recorded for the flows in 1997.

In 1998 the EU as a whole was the leading world exporter, accounting for 19.2% of world exports (ECU 729.6 billion), while in imports it ranked second with 17.7% (ECU 709.4 billion).

In 1998 the United States' trade deficit worsened by ECU 49.6 billion compared with 1997, reaching ECU 235.7 billion. The growth rates of exports and imports were , the first lower, the second higher than the EU at +0.1% and +6.3% respectively.

The United States took leading place in the world ranking of importers with a share of 21.0%, and was second amongst exporters with a share of 15.9%.

In 1998 Japan's trade recorded a surplus of ECU 97.9 billion, up from the ECU 72.7 billion registered in 1997. The growth rates of Japanese exports and imports were -5.4% and -15.2% respectively.

As a result, the Japanese shares of world exports and imports were 9.2% and 6.3% respectively.

The euro-zone recorded a slightly decreased surplus of ECU 83.0 billion in 1998, compared with ECU 88.4 billion in 1997. The growth rates of euro-zone exports and imports were +3.7% and +5.0% 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 Euro-zone/EUR-11: Member States participating in Phase III of Economic and Monetary Union (EMU) – Belgium, Germany, Spain, France, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Austria, Portugal and Finland. 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-Dec	1998 Dec	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec
	Value (Bn ECU/euro)								
World (intra EU-15 excluded) (*)	3 822.4	3 809.9	321.1	4 023.0	4 014.4	339.5			
European Union	720.7	729.6	59.3	672.4	709.4	55.7	48.4	20.2	3.6
United States	606.3	606.9	50.4	792.4	842.6	67.4	-186.1	-235.7	-17.0
Japan	371.3	351.2	30.0	298.6	253.3	19.7	72.7	97.9	10.3
Intra EU-15	1 166.4	1 237.1	97.8	1 107.6	1 175.8	98.7			
World (intra EU-15 included) (*)	4 988.8	5 047.0	418.9	5 130.6	5 190.1	438.1			
	Annual variation								
	(%)						Bn ECU/euro		
World (intra EU-15 excluded)	21.3	-0.3	9.8	22.4	-0.2	25.8			
European Union	15.3	1.2	-8.4	15.6	5.5	-3.9	4.8	-28.2	-3.1
United States	23.6	0.1	-6.1	23.0	6.3	-3.4	-32.7	-49.6	-0.9
Japan	14.6	-5.4	-8.4	8.5	-15.2	-18.2	24.1	25.2	1.7
Intra EU-15	9.2	6.1	-1.2	8.2	6.2	1.4			
World (intra EU-15 included)	58.3	32.0	43.2	56.1	29.0	62.3			
	WORLD EXPORT SHARE (a)			WORLD IMPORT SHARE (a)			% TRADE BALANCE (b)		
European Union	18.9	19.2	18.5	16.7	17.7	16.4	3.5	1.4	3.1
United States	15.9	15.9	15.7	19.7	21.0	19.9	-13.3	-16.3	-14.4
Japan	9.7	9.2	9.3	7.4	6.3	5.8	10.8	16.2	20.6

Memorandum Items	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec
		Value (Bn ECU/euro)							
Euro-zone (EUR-11)	762.5	790.8	64.3	674.1	707.8	57.3	88.4	83.0	7.0
Intra EUR-11	750.5	805.2	63.7	713.7	768.0	65.5			
	Annual variation								
	(%)						Bn ECU/euro		
Euro-zone (EUR-11)	14.2	3.7	-4.2	13.4	5.0	-2.5	14.9	-5.3	-1.3
Intra EUR-11	6.5	7.3	-0.4	6.0	7.6	3.8			

Sources:

EU-15, EUR-11: 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 1998 (ECU 27 billion), followed by Latin America (ECU 14 billion). In contrast, trade with Japan and China registered the highest deficits (ECU 34 billion and 24 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 9.3 billion in 1998. This represents an improvement compared with 1997 when EU-US trade had a surplus of ECU 3.4 billion. Export and import growth rates were both strong at +13.3% and +9.3% respectively.

Between 1997 and 1998 the trade balance with **Japan** worsened by ECU 10.4 billion to an ECU 34.1 billion deficit. EU exports to Japan fell by -12.9%, while the growth rate of imports over the same period reached +9.6%.

EU trade with the **EFTA** countries improved to be in surplus by ECU 3.6 billion. The EU growth rates for exports and imports to these countries in 1998 were moderate in exports and negative in imports at +7.4% and -0.3% respectively.

In 1998, EU exports to the **CEEC** grew by +12.7%, while imports had growth of +18.4%. The EU trade balance with these countries worsened by ECU 0.1 billion. As a result there was a surplus of ECU 22.7 billion with the CEEC.

EU trade with the **CIS** fell by -13.9% for exports and -12.5% for imports. The trade balance worsened by ECU 0.7 billion to a ECU 1.0 billion surplus.

Extra-EU exports to **Africa** rose by +11.9% while imports fell by -6.9%, resulting in a trade surplus of ECU 5.4 billion.

The export and import growth rates for **Latin America** were divergent at +7.5% and +1.0% respectively. This resulted in the trade surplus improving to ECU 13.6 billion.

EU exports to the **DAE** and **other Asian countries** in 1998 show the effect of the financial crisis in the region, with falls of -22.7% and -12.8% respectively. The results were different for imports, with growth rates of +12.9% for the DAE countries and -1.6% for other Asian countries. As a result, the EU balance with the DAE worsened to a deficit of ECU 16.9 billion and the surplus with the other Asian countries fell by 48% to ECU 10.2 billion.

1998 saw a rise in EU exports and imports to **China** (+5.4% and +11.4% respectively). As a result, the EU-China trade deficit rose by ECU 3.4 billion to reach ECU 24.4 billion.

Trade with **Oceania** showed a surplus of ECU 5.3 billion in 1998, a fall of ECU 1.9 billion in comparison with 1997. Growth rates were divergent at -3.1% for exports and +15.8% for imports.

	EXPORTS				IMPORTS				TRADE BALANCE		
	1997 % share	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec	1997 % share	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec
	Value (Bn ECU/euro)										
Extra EU-15	100.0	720.7	729.6	59.3	100.0	672.4	709.4	55.7	48.4	20.2	3.6
United States	19.6	141.3	160.1	12.9	20.5	137.9	150.8	11.8	3.4	9.3	1.1
Japan	5.0	36.1	31.4	2.6	8.9	59.8	65.5	5.2	-23.7	-34.1	-2.6
EFTA (1)	10.8	78.0	83.8	6.9	12.0	80.4	80.1	6.2	-2.4	3.6	0.7
CEEC (2)	12.1	87.3	98.4	7.8	9.0	60.6	71.7	6.2	26.7	26.7	1.5
CIS	4.7	33.5	28.9	1.8	4.7	31.8	27.8	2.1	1.7	1.0	-0.3
Africa	7.2	52.1	58.2	5.1	8.4	56.7	52.8	4.2	-4.7	5.4	0.9
Latin America	6.3	45.1	48.5	3.9	5.2	34.6	35.0	2.5	10.5	13.6	1.5
DAE (3)	10.8	77.7	60.0	5.2	10.1	68.1	76.9	6.2	9.5	-16.9	-1.0
China	2.3	16.5	17.4	1.8	5.6	37.5	41.8	3.3	-21.0	-24.4	-1.5
Asia other (4)	11.2	81.0	70.6	5.9	9.1	61.5	60.5	4.3	19.5	10.2	1.6
Oceania	2.3	16.4	15.9	1.3	1.4	9.1	10.5	0.8	7.3	5.3	0.5
ACP	2.8	20.4	22.5	1.8	3.4	23.0	21.3	1.7	-2.6	1.2	0.1
Mediterranean Basin	11.6	83.7	86.6	7.2	8.5	57.3	57.1	4.5	26.4	29.5	2.7
ASEAN (5)	6.3	45.7	30.3	2.8	6.9	46.4	51.0	4.0	-0.7	-20.7	-1.1
OPEC	7.2	52.3	47.8	4.2	7.8	52.2	43.5	3.1	0.0	4.2	1.1
NAFTA	22.6	162.9	184.1	14.7	22.9	154.2	167.5	13.2	8.6	16.6	1.5
	Variation 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			Variation 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			absolute annual variation		
Extra EU-15		15.3	1.2	-8.4		15.6	5.5	-3.9	4.8	-28.2	-3.1
United States	1.3	23.5	13.3	4.6	1.1	22.3	9.3	-2.4	1.8	5.8	0.9
Japan	-0.7	1.2	-12.9	-9.4	-0.1	13.9	9.6	0.7	-6.9	-10.4	-0.3
EFTA (1)	-0.8	7.5	7.4	6.7	-0.9	7.6	-0.3	-8.7	-0.2	6.0	1.0
CEEC (2)	0.8	23.3	12.7	-0.5	0.4	21.0	18.4	16.1	6.0	-0.1	-0.9
CIS	0.7	34.9	-13.9	-49.2	0.2	19.7	-12.5	-30.3	3.4	-0.7	-0.8
Africa	-1.4	-3.1	11.9	-1.2	-0.6	8.1	-6.9	-15.1	-5.9	10.1	0.7
Latin America	0.6	27.0	7.5	-2.5	-0.1	14.4	1.0	-3.7	5.2	3.1	-0.0
DAE (3)	-0.4	10.9	-22.7	-17.7	0.3	18.6	12.9	3.6	-3.1	-26.4	-1.3
China	-0.1	11.9	5.4	11.1	0.4	25.0	11.4	5.4	-5.7	-3.4	0.0
Asia other (4)	0.1	16.7	-12.8	-27.0	-0.0	15.4	-1.6	-18.1	3.4	-9.4	-1.2
Oceania	-0.0	13.1	-3.1	-14.8	0.0	16.0	15.8	6.8	0.6	-1.9	-0.3
ACP	-0.1	9.8	10.0	-10.7	-0.4	4.0	-7.4	-19.7	0.9	3.8	0.2
Mediterranean Basin	-0.0	14.9	3.4	-11.8	-0.0	15.6	-0.4	-10.4	3.1	3.1	-0.5
ASEAN (5)	-0.2	11.7	-33.7	-22.0	0.3	20.5	9.9	-2.4	-3.1	-20.0	-0.7
OPEC	0.4	21.8	-8.5	-26.6	-0.1	14.1	-16.6	-33.6	2.9	4.2	0.0
NAFTA	1.8	25.0	13.1	3.3	1.0	21.0	8.6	-2.8	5.8	8.0	0.9

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 1998 the EU's trade in machinery and transport equipment recorded the greatest surplus (ECU 80 billion) while fuel products showed the largest deficit (ECU 51 billion).

In 1998 the deficit on **primary goods (SITC 0-4)** fell slightly compared with 1997 to ECU 84.8 billion.

The EU trade deficit in fuel products (SITC 3) fell to ECU 50.8 billion while the deficit for food, beverages and tobacco (SITC 0+1) fell to ECU 5.9 billion. The deficit for other raw materials except fuel (SITC 2+4) also fell to ECU 28.0 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 -9.4% for exports and -11.5% for imports. This fall was mainly due to fuel products (SITC 3), which recorded falls of -19.7% for exports and -24.2% for imports.

Manufactured products (SITC 5-8) accounted for 87% of total extra-EU exports and 71% of imports in 1997. During 1998 the EU's external trade showed a surplus of ECU 110.5 billion compared with ECU 150.2 billion for 1997.

In 1998 the EU surplus for chemical products (SITC 5) fell to ECU 39.1 billion while that for machinery and transport equipment (SITC 7) fell to ECU 79.5 billion; other manufactured goods (SITC 6+8) recorded a deficit of ECU 8.1 billion.

Export and import growth rates for manufactured goods were +1.5% and +10.3% respectively.

SITC Products (1)	EXPORTS				IMPORTS				TRADE BALANCE		
	1997 % share	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec	1997 % share	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec
	Value (Bn ECU/euro)										
TOTAL PRODUCTS	100.0	720.7	729.6	59.3	100.0	672.4	709.4	55.7	48.4	20.2	3.6
<i>PRIMARY GOODS (0-4)</i>	10.9	78.6	71.2	5.4	26.2	176.1	155.9	11.6	-97.6	-84.8	-6.3
Food (0+1)	6.4	45.9	43.3	3.4	7.2	48.3	49.2	4.1	-2.5	-5.9	-0.7
Crude materials (2+4)	2.2	15.7	14.1	1.1	6.3	42.7	42.2	3.1	-27.0	-28.0	-2.0
Fuel products (3)	2.4	17.1	13.7	0.9	12.7	85.1	64.6	4.4	-68.1	-50.8	-3.6
<i>MANUFACTURED GOODS (5-8)</i>	87.1	627.5	636.9	51.7	71.0	477.3	526.4	41.6	150.2	110.5	10.1
Chemicals (5)	12.9	93.0	93.8	7.5	7.7	51.5	54.7	4.0	41.6	39.1	3.4
Machinery and transport equipments (7)	45.9	331.0	341.8	28.6	34.1	229.3	262.3	22.0	101.7	79.5	6.6
Other manufactured (6+8)	28.2	203.4	201.4	15.6	29.2	196.4	209.5	15.5	7.0	-8.1	0.1
<i>ARTICLES NOT CLASSIFIED (9)</i>	2.0	14.7	21.5	2.2	2.8	19.0	27.1	2.5	-4.3	-5.6	-0.3
	variation of share 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			variation of share 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			absolute annual variation		
TOTAL PRODUCTS		15.3	1.2	-8.4		15.6	5.5	-3.9	4.8	-28.2	-3.1
<i>PRIMARY GOODS (0-4)</i>	-0.2	13.1	-9.4	-19.0	-1.3	10.3	-11.5	-21.7	-7.4	12.8	2.0
Food (0+1)	-0.2	12.0	-5.5	-15.1	-0.6	6.8	1.9	-0.2	1.9	-3.5	-0.6
Crude materials (2+4)	0.1	18.5	-9.7	-14.3	-0.1	14.5	-1.2	-12.8	-3.0	-1.0	0.3
Fuel products (3)	-0.1	11.3	-19.7	-34.8	-0.6	10.4	-24.2	-38.4	-6.3	17.2	2.3
<i>MANUFACTURED GOODS (5-8)</i>	0.2	15.6	1.5	-9.1	1.9	18.8	10.3	1.1	9.0	-39.7	-5.6
Chemicals (5)	0.3	17.7	0.8	-5.6	0.0	16.0	6.2	-5.4	6.9	-2.5	-0.2
Machinery and transport equipments (7)	0.8	17.4	3.3	-9.6	1.8	22.1	14.4	5.5	7.6	-22.1	-4.2
Other manufactured (6+8)	-0.9	11.9	-1.0	-9.7	0.1	16.0	6.6	-2.9	-5.5	-15.1	-1.2
<i>ARTICLES NOT CLASSIFIED (9)</i>	-0.0	14.7	46.4	80.8	-0.7	-6.1	42.8	24.8	3.1	-1.3	0.5

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 1998 **Germany** also had the largest extra-EU trade surplus, ECU 38.1 billion. This was an deterioration of ECU 2.5 billion compared with 1997. Germany's growth rates for exports and imports were +4.7% and +7.5% respectively.

The second-ranking country in trade value terms is 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 31.7 billion) in 1998. This worsened by ECU 16.3 billion over 1997. UK exports fell by -7.5%, while imports grew by +6.4%.

During 1998 **France's** growth rates for exports and imports were +6.4% and +4.0% respectively. As a consequence, France's trade surplus grew to ECU 18.6 billion.

Italy recorded a surplus of ECU 20.5 billion, a fall of ECU 2.7 billion in comparison with 1997. The growth rates of extra-EU exports and extra-EU imports were -1.1% and +2.3% respectively.

During 1998 the extra-EU deficit of the **Netherlands** grew by 3.3 billion compared with 1997. It has the largest deficit among the EU Member States (ECU 34.5 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 +3.0% and +6.4% respectively.

During 1998 the **Belgium/Luxembourg (BLEU)** growth rates for exports and imports were -1.4% and +5.5% respectively. The trade deficit fell to ECU 4.7 billion.

Spain saw growth rates of -1.7% for exports and +1.7% for imports, which produced a rise in its deficit to ECU 7.7 billion.

In 1998 **Sweden** had a surplus of ECU 13.0 billion in its extra-EU trade balance. Sweden registered growth rates of -1.9% for exports and +0.6% for imports.

During 1998 **Austria's** growth rates for exports and imports were +1.3% and +4.4% respectively, resulting in a surplus of ECU 4.0 billion.

In 1998 **Finland** had a surplus of ECU 7.1 billion in its extra-EU trade balance. Finland recorded growth rates of +0.1% for exports and +1.4% for imports.

Denmark had growth rates of -2.8% for exports and +4.5% for imports and its surplus fell by 33% to ECU 1.9 billion.

Ireland registered very high growth rates in 1998 (+20.4% for exports and +22.2% for imports), and a surplus of ECU 3.0 billion.

Greece recorded growth rates of -3.2% for exports and +3.8% for imports. Its deficit fell to ECU 3.7 billion.

Portugal registered growth rates of -1.6% for exports and +2.5% for imports. Its deficit rose slightly to ECU 3.5 billion.

	EXPORTS				IMPORTS				TRADE BALANCE		
	1997 % share	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec	1997 % share	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec
	Value (Bn ECU/euro)										
Extra EU-15	100.0	720.7	729.6	59.3	100.0	672.4	709.4	55.7	48.4	20.2	3.6
Belgium and Luxembourg	5.4	39.1	38.6	3.0	6.1	41.0	43.3	3.3	-1.9	-4.7	-0.3
Denmark	2.0	14.6	14.2	1.1	1.8	11.8	12.3	0.9	2.8	1.9	0.2
Germany	27.9	201.0	210.5	17.2	23.9	160.4	172.4	14.7	40.6	38.1	2.5
Greece	0.7	4.9	4.7	0.4	1.2	8.2	8.5	0.6	-3.3	-3.7	-0.2
Spain	3.9	28.0	27.5	2.2	5.1	34.6	35.2	2.7	-6.6	-7.7	-0.5
France	14.0	101.2	107.6	9.4	12.7	85.7	89.1	7.1	15.5	18.6	2.3
Ireland	2.0	14.6	17.6	1.3	1.8	12.0	14.6	1.2	2.7	3.0	0.1
Italy	13.2	95.5	94.4	7.4	10.8	72.3	74.0	5.4	23.2	20.5	2.0
Netherlands	5.3	38.4	39.6	3.4	10.4	69.7	74.1	5.6	-31.3	-34.5	-2.2
Austria	2.8	19.8	20.1	1.6	2.3	15.4	16.1	1.3	4.4	4.0	0.4
Portugal	0.6	4.1	4.0	0.3	1.1	7.3	7.5	0.6	-3.3	-3.5	-0.3
Finland	2.4	17.1	17.1	1.3	1.5	9.9	10.1	0.8	7.2	7.1	0.5
Sweden	4.5	32.4	31.8	2.7	2.8	18.7	18.8	1.4	13.7	13.0	1.2
United Kingdom	15.3	110.0	101.8	7.9	18.7	125.5	133.5	10.2	-15.4	-31.7	-2.3
	variation of share 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			variation of share 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			absolute annual variation		
Extra EU-15		15.3	1.2	-8.4		15.6	5.5	-3.9	4.8	-28.2	-3.1
Belgium and Luxembourg	0.2	20.4	-1.4	-12.2	-0.0	15.1	5.5	-9.2	1.2	-2.8	-0.1
Denmark	-0.1	8.1	-2.8	-8.3	-0.1	12.3	4.5	0.3	-0.2	-0.9	-0.1
Germany	-0.3	14.1	4.7	-3.8	-0.8	11.8	7.5	9.7	7.9	-2.5	-2.0
Greece	-0.0	14.4	-3.2	-16.8	-0.2	2.5	3.8	-20.5	0.4	-0.5	0.1
Spain	-0.5	1.6	-1.7	-12.1	0.1	18.0	1.7	-6.2	-4.8	-1.1	-0.1
France	-0.5	11.6	6.4	-2.0	-0.0	15.2	4.0	-11.0	-0.8	3.0	0.7
Ireland	0.3	33.5	20.4	11.5	0.2	32.7	22.2	20.1	0.7	0.3	-0.1
Italy	-0.9	7.8	-1.1	-11.9	-0.2	13.3	2.3	-13.0	-1.5	-2.7	-0.2
Netherlands	0.4	23.6	3.0	-2.7	0.3	19.6	6.4	-3.3	-4.1	-3.3	0.1
Austria	0.1	20.6	1.3	-6.6	-0.1	11.4	4.4	-2.3	1.8	-0.4	-0.1
Portugal	-0.0	7.6	-1.6	-12.5	-0.0	11.5	2.5	-6.8	-0.5	-0.3	-0.0
Finland	0.0	16.1	0.1	-7.7	-0.0	15.6	1.4	-3.2	1.0	-0.1	-0.1
Sweden	-0.1	12.9	-1.9	-1.5	-0.1	12.4	0.6	-5.7	1.7	-0.7	0.0
United Kingdom	1.5	27.4	-7.5	-23.1	0.8	21.1	6.4	-9.4	1.8	-16.3	-1.3

Source: EUROSTAT-COMEXT

(*) in percentage points

INTRA-EU TRADE BY MEMBER STATE¹

In 1998 the Netherlands and Germany produced the largest intra-EU surpluses while Spain and the United Kingdom recorded the highest intra-EU deficits.

In 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 1 237.1 billion. This represented an rise of +6.1% compared with 1997. Intra-EUR11 dispatches were ECU 805.2 billion, an rise of +7.3% over 1997.

As for extra-EU trade, **Germany** is the most important player in trade with EU partners, its 1997 share of total intra-EU trade amounting to around 21%. During 1998 it registered an intra-EU trade surplus of ECU 31.0 billion - up ECU 8.7 billion compared with 1997. The growth rate for dispatches was greater than the EU average, at +8.5%, while arrivals (+5.5%) was less.

France ranked second in volume of trade with EU partners with a 1997 share of 15%. In 1998 its intra-EU trade had a deficit of ECU 7.0 billion. Growth rates for dispatches and arrivals were greater than the EU average, at +7.7% and +11.7% respectively.

The **United Kingdom's** intra-EU deficit worsened to ECU 10.3 billion (it is the second deficit). The UK's growth rates for arrivals and dispatches in this period were low at +1.7% and +3.4% respectively.

The **Netherlands** was the Member State with the largest intra-EU surplus. During 1998 it grew to ECU 45.9 billion, down by 0.4 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 +1.5%, and arrivals, at +2.6%, were less than the average.

Italy had less than average growth rates of +4.2% for dispatches and +5.2% for arrivals in 1998 compared with 1997. As a result, the intra-EU surplus fell by ECU 1.0 billion, to ECU 2.7 billion.

During 1998 **Belgium/Luxembourg (BLEU)** recorded an overall surplus of ECU 15.4 billion. This represented an improvement of ECU 2.4 billion over

1997. Growth rates were less than the EU average (+5.4% for dispatches and +3.7% for arrivals).

Spain had high growth rates of +8.4% for dispatches and +13.6% for arrivals. Its deficit rose to ECU 10.6 billion.

Sweden had a surplus of ECU 2.0 billion, and growth rates of +8.3% for dispatches and +7.1% for arrivals.

Austria had a deficit of ECU 10.0 billion, with low growth rates of +3.7% for dispatches and +3.2% for arrivals.

Denmark also had low growth rates (+1.5% for the dispatches, +4.4% for the arrivals), its trade was in surplus.

Between 1997 and 1998 **Ireland** had very divergent growth rates for dispatches and arrivals of +26.1% and +9.9% respectively. As a result the trade surplus grew to ECU 17.4 billion.

Portugal's intra-EU trade was sluggish, with growth rates of +3.1% for dispatches and +7.9% for arrivals. Its trade deficit was ECU 7.8 billion.

Finland's dispatches rose faster than arrivals (+11.5% and +7.2% respectively), and as a result its surplus rose to ECU 2.5 billion.

Greece had a deficit of ECU 10.0 billion, the same as in 1997, with negative growth rates of -8.5% for dispatches and -4.8% for arrivals.

¹ 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	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec	1997 % share	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec
	Value (Bn ECU/euro)										
Intra EU-15	100.0	1 166.4	1 237.1	97.8	100.0	1 107.6	1 175.8	98.7			
Belgium and Luxembourg	9.8	114.8	120.9	9.1	9.2	101.8	105.5	8.6	13.0	15.4	0.5
Denmark	2.5	28.8	29.3	2.3	2.5	27.8	29.0	2.3	1.0	0.2	-0.0
Germany	21.5	250.5	271.9	21.4	20.6	228.3	240.9	21.0	22.3	31.0	0.4
Greece	0.4	5.1	4.6	0.4	1.4	15.4	14.7	1.3	-10.4	-10.0	-0.9
Spain	5.2	60.7	65.8	5.2	6.1	67.3	76.4	6.7	-6.6	-10.6	-1.5
France	14.2	165.3	178.0	14.2	15.0	165.7	185.0	15.5	-0.4	-7.0	-1.3
Ireland	2.8	32.4	40.8	3.6	1.9	21.3	23.4	2.0	11.1	17.4	1.5
Italy	10.0	116.3	121.2	10.2	10.2	112.6	118.5	11.1	3.7	2.7	-0.9
Netherlands	12.4	144.9	147.1	11.8	8.9	98.5	101.1	8.5	46.3	45.9	3.3
Austria	2.8	32.7	33.9	2.6	3.8	42.6	43.9	3.5	-9.9	-10.0	-0.8
Portugal	1.5	17.1	17.6	1.2	2.1	23.6	25.4	2.0	-6.5	-7.8	-0.8
Finland	1.7	19.5	21.7	1.7	1.6	17.9	19.2	1.6	1.5	2.5	0.1
Sweden	3.5	40.5	43.9	3.4	3.5	39.1	41.9	3.4	1.4	2.0	0.0
United Kingdom	11.8	138.0	140.3	10.8	13.2	145.7	150.7	11.3	-7.7	-10.3	-0.5
Intra EUR-11	64.3	750.5	805.2	63.7	64.4	713.7	768.0	65.5			
	variation of share 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			variation of share 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			absolute annual variation		
Intra EU-15		9.2	6.1	-1.2		8.2	6.2	1.4			
Belgium and Luxembourg	-0.2	7.1	5.4	-1.1	-0.3	5.3	3.7	-7.0	2.4	2.4	0.5
Denmark	-0.1	6.9	1.5	-0.4	0.1	10.5	4.4	-2.4	-0.8	-0.8	0.0
Germany	-0.7	5.7	8.5	0.4	-0.7	4.7	5.5	8.2	3.3	8.7	-1.5
Greece	-0.0	2.1	-8.5	41.3	-0.0	7.7	-4.8	17.3	-1.0	0.3	-0.1
Spain	-0.2	6.0	8.4	1.8	-0.4	1.7	13.6	9.5	2.3	-4.0	-0.5
France	0.2	10.4	7.7	-0.7	-0.3	5.8	11.7	5.7	6.6	-6.5	-0.9
Ireland	0.2	19.5	26.1	17.0	0.2	18.3	9.9	14.2	2.0	6.3	0.3
Italy	-0.3	5.6	4.2	-0.0	0.4	12.4	5.2	-4.0	-6.3	-1.0	0.5
Netherlands	0.3	12.1	1.5	-5.9	-0.1	7.1	2.6	-0.2	9.0	-0.4	-0.7
Austria	0.0	11.2	3.7	1.1	-0.1	6.1	3.2	-0.3	0.9	-0.2	0.0
Portugal	0.0	9.3	3.1	-10.8	0.1	11.5	7.9	-5.7	-1.0	-1.3	-0.0
Finland	0.0	10.2	11.5	6.2	0.0	11.0	7.2	-7.5	0.0	0.9	0.2
Sweden	-0.1	6.0	8.3	0.6	0.0	8.3	7.1	-2.5	-0.7	0.6	0.1
United Kingdom	0.8	17.6	1.7	-8.7	1.2	18.7	3.4	-4.9	-2.3	-2.6	-0.4
Intra EUR-11	-1.7	6.5	7.3	-0.4	-1.4	6.0	7.6	3.8			

Source: EUROSTAT-COMEXT

(1) Since the introduction of Intra-stat 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
DISPATCHES															
Value (Bn ECU/euro)															
Belgium/Luxembourg	120.9		1.5	31.1	0.9	5.7	29.0	0.8	9.4	20.0	1.9	1.4	1.0	2.4	15.8
Denmark	29.3	1.0		9.2	0.4	1.0	2.4	0.3	1.8	2.1	0.5	0.2	1.4	4.9	4.1
Germany	271.9	27.4	8.3		3.5	19.5	53.7	2.6	35.7	33.0	25.4	5.4	4.8	11.0	41.6
Greece	4.6	0.1	0.1	1.5		0.2	0.4	0.0	1.2	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.6
Spain	65.8	2.6	0.6	12.7	0.9		18.1	0.5	8.4	3.2	0.8	8.4	0.3	1.0	7.8
France	178.0	21.4	2.5	46.8	2.2	24.1		1.9	25.8	12.7	3.0	4.3	1.3	4.0	27.9
Ireland	40.8	3.6	0.6	9.9	0.1	1.5	4.8		1.9	3.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	1.0	12.8
Italy	121.2	5.9	1.8	35.4	4.3	12.5	27.5	0.9		6.2	4.9	3.0	1.1	2.3	15.5
Netherlands	147.1	23.0	3.1	51.0	1.4	6.2	20.0	1.4	11.0		3.0	1.8	1.9	4.5	18.6
Austria	33.9	1.0	0.4	19.2	0.2	1.4	2.3	0.2	4.7	1.4		0.2	0.3	0.6	2.1
Portugal	17.6	1.0	0.3	4.3	0.1	3.3	3.1	0.1	0.9	1.0	0.2		0.1	0.4	2.6
Finland	21.7	1.0	1.1	4.5	0.4	1.0	2.0	0.2	1.5	1.8	0.5	0.2		3.7	3.6
Sweden	43.9	3.4	4.4	8.3	0.5	2.0	3.8	0.5	2.7	4.3	0.8	0.5	3.9		6.7
United Kingdom	140.3	11.9	3.0	29.4	1.5	10.2	23.5	14.4	12.3	18.5	1.7	2.5	2.1	6.3	
Annual variation (%)															
Belgium/Luxembourg	5.4		5.7	4.5	7.7	18.3	5.7	15.5	10.5	1.2	9.9	22.0	1.5	8.8	3.0
Denmark	1.5	5.6		-1.5	3.9	15.5	-1.5	5.3	11.8	5.3	9.0	8.4	15.4	-1.4	-1.6
Germany	8.5	4.1	4.6		11.3	15.9	11.6	18.1	7.3	4.5	8.7	11.4	15.2	4.9	8.7
Greece	-8.5	-29.1	-13.9	-15.4		7.0	-9.9	29.0	-1.6	3.0	3.4	23.2	-33.5	-13.2	-6.7
Spain	8.4	5.7	10.0	10.2	1.8		13.3	34.2	-1.0	0.2	9.5	9.0	-4.3	19.1	9.7
France	7.7	2.8	7.9	10.6	3.4	17.3		13.0	4.4	6.9	11.2	9.0	14.5	7.9	2.3
Ireland	26.1	54.3	5.1	66.5	-0.8	23.9	26.3		23.9	-3.7	58.7	10.5	13.6	37.8	9.5
Italy	4.2	1.3	2.3	1.8	2.2	13.3	6.0	10.9		1.5	1.6	6.7	4.0	8.5	2.4
Netherlands	1.5	-1.2	4.6	-0.9	2.7	10.3	3.1	4.5	3.9		6.1	17.6	13.3	4.3	1.2
Austria	3.7	5.0	9.7	4.4	-2.9	16.9	4.6	23.7	4.8	-6.2		1.8	3.3	-5.5	-4.2
Portugal	3.1	11.3	-13.5	1.9	3.1	8.5	4.0	7.9	5.8	-0.5	-11.8		-13.5	-5.5	1.5
Finland	11.5	14.9	-3.3	12.8	84.7	23.0	26.1	-21.3	36.4	16.4	50.3	20.4		1.6	-0.5
Sweden	8.3	15.9	-1.6	2.2	20.9	25.5	11.8	19.8	17.8	5.8	5.9	33.2	0.8		0.5
United Kingdom	1.7	1.7	-1.4	0.8	-1.6	7.1	0.5	2.6	7.0	-6.0	4.7	-1.4	-4.1	0.9	
ARRIVALS															
Value (Bn ECU/euro)															
Belgium/Luxembourg	105.5		0.8	27.7	0.2	2.7	20.4	3.8	5.9	24.5	0.9	0.9	1.0	4.0	12.6
Denmark	29.0	1.5		8.9	0.1	0.6	2.3	0.4	1.9	3.1	0.4	0.4	1.1	5.2	3.2
Germany	240.9	27.9	7.0		1.6	14.0	47.8	4.6	31.7	44.6	16.9	4.4	4.2	7.9	28.2
Greece	14.7	0.8	0.3	3.3		1.0	2.0	0.2	3.4	1.4	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.4	1.3
Spain	76.4	4.4	0.9	17.6	0.2		20.7	1.4	10.2	5.7	1.2	3.1	0.9	1.6	8.4
France	185.0	27.0	2.3	52.4	0.4	19.0		4.2	26.5	19.8	2.3	3.1	1.8	3.5	22.6
Ireland	23.4	0.5	0.2	2.4	0.0	0.4	1.5		0.6	1.3	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	14.5
Italy	118.5	9.3	1.7	36.2	1.1	8.7	25.4	2.1		11.9	4.6	0.9	1.4	2.9	12.4
Netherlands	101.1	17.4	1.6	33.0	0.3	4.0	11.3	2.3	5.6		1.3	1.0	1.5	4.4	15.8
Austria	43.9	1.6	0.4	27.6	0.1	0.7	2.8	0.2	4.7	2.9		0.2	0.3	0.8	1.6
Portugal	25.4	1.1	0.2	4.9	0.0	7.9	3.7	0.2	2.6	1.6	0.2		0.2	0.5	2.2
Finland	19.2	0.9	1.6	4.5	0.0	0.4	1.2	0.3	1.1	1.9	0.3	0.1		4.4	2.0
Sweden	41.9	2.2	3.7	10.7	0.1	1.0	3.5	0.8	1.9	4.3	0.8	0.4	3.0		5.7
United Kingdom	150.7	13.7	3.2	36.5	0.5	8.4	25.4	11.3	14.5	19.3	2.1	2.6	3.4	6.4	
Annual variation (%)															
Belgium/Luxembourg	3.7		3.3	5.9	27.5	11.4	1.3	58.3	6.2	-3.1	8.4	11.1	15.3	12.0	-0.9
Denmark	4.4	4.8		4.9	9.0	12.0	10.9	-4.9	14.0	0.9	7.1	-11.2	-7.9	2.1	6.7
Germany	5.5	-2.0	-6.3		4.5	6.8	11.9	4.3	5.2	2.4	13.9	0.5	13.7	17.7	3.9
Greece	-4.8	-4.4	-8.3	0.3		15.5	-4.2	-14.2	-12.0	-2.3	-11.1	-21.9	39.3	-6.0	-13.0
Spain	13.6	14.3	11.3	15.5	-12.4		16.2	23.8	12.1	14.6	16.8	14.3	26.3	16.5	2.1
France	11.7	10.3	0.1	15.1	1.0	17.2		21.8	10.0	16.4	17.4	10.3	17.2	8.4	0.1
Ireland	9.9	17.4	-7.2	19.2	28.3	15.6	-9.4		9.0	5.3	4.3	22.5	0.9	-2.5	10.5
Italy	5.2	6.9	5.6	8.6	-11.9	-1.2	3.4	15.4		4.4	8.2	9.1	28.2	13.7	-0.8
Netherlands	2.6	3.5	-3.1	0.8	4.9	7.9	0.2	9.6	-0.7		10.4	4.3	4.6	7.8	2.3
Austria	3.2	1.1	1.6	3.4	-3.0	-0.2	8.1	16.4	-0.3	3.0		3.2	-4.5	12.0	4.3
Portugal	7.9	13.8	6.5	6.7	18.0	8.8	10.5	10.4	4.3	9.8	2.7		27.1	40.4	-2.8
Finland	7.2	10.8	14.4	12.2	-30.1	26.7	7.4	4.2	9.8	13.6	6.8	-19.6		4.4	-6.3
Sweden	7.1	7.3	-11.7	3.0	-9.8	28.7	6.5	25.5	8.9	5.8	14.5	-4.8	-1.0		3.3
United Kingdom	3.4	5.8	-5.5	-0.4	-10.6	13.5	0.5	5.2	3.0	9.7	3.3	2.0	-4.4	-4.3	

Source: EUROSTAT-COMEXT

	EXPORTS/DISPATCHES				IMPORTS/ARRIVALS				TRADE BALANCE		
	1997 % share	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec	1997 % share	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec	1997	1998 Jan-Dec	1998 Dec
	Value (Bn ECU/euro)										
Extra + Intra EU-15	100.0	1 887.1	1 966.7	157.1	100.0	1 779.9	1 885.2	154.3	107.2	81.5	2.8
Belgium and Luxembourg	8.2	153.9	159.5	12.1	8.0	142.8	148.8	11.8	11.1	10.7	0.3
Denmark	2.3	43.4	43.5	3.5	2.2	39.6	41.3	3.2	3.9	2.1	0.2
Germany	23.9	451.6	482.5	38.6	21.8	388.7	413.4	35.7	62.9	69.1	2.9
Greece	0.5	10.0	9.4	0.8	1.3	23.6	23.2	1.9	-13.6	-13.8	-1.1
Spain	4.7	88.7	93.3	7.4	5.7	101.9	111.6	9.4	-13.1	-18.2	-2.0
France	14.1	266.4	285.7	23.6	14.1	251.3	274.1	22.5	15.1	11.6	1.0
Ireland	2.5	47.0	58.4	4.9	1.9	33.3	38.0	3.2	13.7	20.4	1.7
Italy	11.2	211.8	215.6	17.5	10.4	184.9	192.5	16.4	26.8	23.1	1.1
Netherlands	9.7	183.3	186.6	15.2	9.4	168.2	175.2	14.1	15.1	11.4	1.1
Austria	2.8	52.5	54.0	4.3	3.3	58.0	60.0	4.7	-5.4	-6.0	-0.4
Portugal	1.1	21.1	21.6	1.5	1.7	30.9	33.0	2.6	-9.8	-11.4	-1.1
Finland	1.9	36.6	38.8	3.0	1.6	27.9	29.3	2.4	8.7	9.5	0.7
Sweden	3.9	72.9	75.6	6.0	3.2	57.8	60.6	4.8	15.1	15.0	1.2
United Kingdom	13.1	248.0	242.1	18.7	15.2	271.2	284.2	21.5	-23.2	-42.1	-2.8
	variation of share 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			variation of share 97/96 (*)	annual variation (%)			absolute annual variation		
Extra + Intra EU-15		11.5	4.2	-4.0		10.9	5.9	-0.6	19.1	-25.7	-5.7
Belgium and Luxembourg	-0.1	10.2	3.6	-4.1	-0.2	8.0	4.2	-7.6	3.7	-0.4	0.4
Denmark	-0.1	7.3	0.1	-3.1	0.0	11.0	4.4	-1.7	-1.0	-1.7	-0.1
Germany	-0.5	9.3	6.8	-1.5	-0.7	7.5	6.3	8.8	11.2	6.3	-3.5
Greece	-0.0	7.8	-5.9	4.8	-0.1	5.9	-1.8	2.2	-0.6	-0.2	-0.0
Spain	-0.3	4.6	5.2	-2.8	-0.2	6.7	9.5	4.4	-2.5	-5.1	-0.6
France	-0.1	10.9	7.2	-1.2	-0.3	8.8	9.0	-0.2	5.8	-3.5	-0.3
Ireland	0.2	23.5	24.3	15.4	0.2	23.1	14.3	16.3	2.7	6.7	0.2
Italy	-0.5	6.6	1.8	-5.4	0.2	12.8	4.1	-7.1	-7.8	-3.7	0.3
Netherlands	0.2	14.3	1.8	-5.2	0.1	12.0	4.2	-1.4	4.9	-3.7	-0.6
Austria	0.1	14.5	2.8	-2.0	-0.1	7.4	3.6	-0.9	2.7	-0.6	-0.0
Portugal	-0.0	9.0	2.2	-11.2	0.0	11.5	6.6	-5.9	-1.5	-1.6	-0.0
Finland	0.0	12.9	6.2	-0.4	0.0	12.6	5.2	-6.1	1.1	0.8	0.1
Sweden	-0.1	9.0	3.8	-0.3	-0.0	9.6	5.0	-3.5	1.0	-0.1	0.2
United Kingdom	1.1	21.8	-2.4	-15.4	1.1	19.8	4.8	-7.1	-0.5	-18.9	-1.8

Source: EUROSTAT-COMEXT

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(*) in percentage points

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED TIME SERIES

Extra-EU trade¹

Seasonally adjusted EU exports rose by +0.3% in November and fell by -6.3% in December 1998, reaching ECU 55.1 billion.

Seasonally adjusted EU imports fell by -1.5% in November 1998, then fell by -1.7% in December, to reach ECU 56.7 billion.

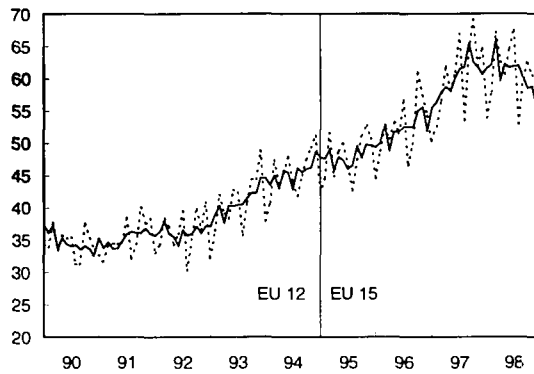
The seasonally adjusted external trade surplus was ECU 1.0 billion in November and the

deficit ECU -1.6 billion in December 1998. The seasonally adjusted trade balance has been in surplus since December 1994 except for October 1998 and December 1998.

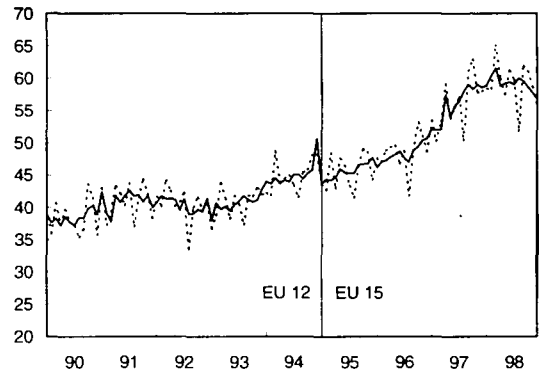
Intra-EU trade²

Seasonally adjusted intra-EU trade rose +0.2% in November and fell -3.7% in December 1998 to ECU 99.8 billion.

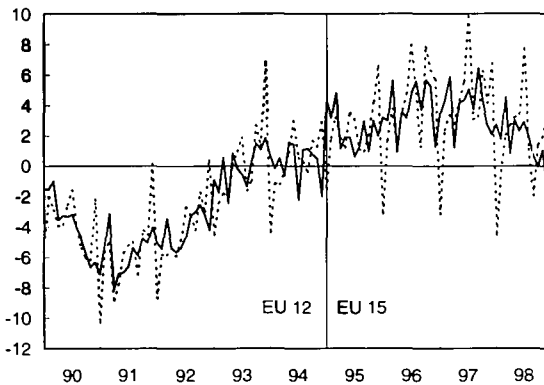
Extra-EU Exports
(Bn ECU)



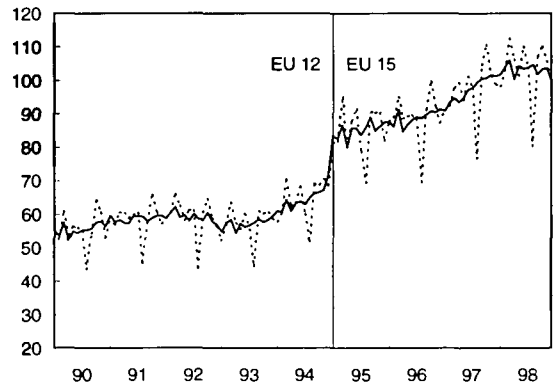
Extra-EU Imports
(Bn ECU)



Extra-EU trade balance
(Bn ECU)



Intra-EU trade
(Bn ECU)



..... Unadjusted series

_____ Seasonally adjusted series

¹ 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).

² 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	44.6	42.3	44.0	-4.4	0.6
	Feb	60.2	60.8	40.8	43.5	41.9	43.7	-1.1	-0.2
	Mar	70.6	64.3	47.5	45.0	48.7	44.5	-1.2	0.5
	Apr	62.4	60.9	43.4	43.0	43.8	43.7	-0.4	-0.6
	May	63.4	63.3	45.3	45.8	44.4	44.2	0.9	1.6
	Jun	68.3	63.8	48.0	45.4	45.0	44.0	3.0	1.4
	Jul	60.1	63.0	44.0	42.8	43.4	45.0	0.6	-2.2
	Aug	51.8	64.9	41.9	46.1	41.6	45.1	0.3	1.1
	Sep	69.2	66.2	45.0	45.5	45.4	44.4	-0.4	1.1
	Oct	68.8	66.6	47.5	46.0	45.8	45.2	1.7	0.8
	Nov	70.5	67.2	49.3	46.2	48.0	45.8	1.3	0.5
	Dec	68.6	71.5	51.2	48.6	48.3	50.6	2.9	-2.0
1995	Jan	81.5	83.4	42.1	47.8	43.6	43.6	-1.5	4.2
	Feb	81.7	82.6	44.6	47.6	42.7	44.4	1.8	3.2
	Mar	95.1	86.6	51.6	49.0	48.4	44.2	3.2	4.8
	Apr	80.1	80.0	44.8	45.7	43.0	44.6	1.9	1.2
	May	88.0	85.9	48.8	47.8	47.6	46.0	1.2	1.9
	Jun	91.6	85.8	50.0	47.3	46.5	45.4	3.5	1.9
	Jul	78.9	83.7	46.5	46.0	43.4	45.3	3.1	0.6
	Aug	69.4	86.0	42.6	46.6	41.5	45.3	1.1	1.3
	Sep	90.6	89.0	47.4	49.5	46.5	46.6	1.0	2.9
	Oct	90.5	85.0	51.1	47.7	49.1	46.7	2.0	1.0
	Nov	90.4	86.3	52.8	49.8	48.6	46.8	4.2	3.0
	Dec	81.9	87.5	50.8	49.7	44.3	47.7	6.6	2.0
1996	Jan	87.7	87.7	44.5	49.4	47.7	46.2	-3.1	3.2
	Feb	88.9	86.2	48.8	50.0	47.1	47.0	1.7	3.0
	Mar	95.1	91.3	52.5	52.9	48.7	47.3	3.8	5.6
	Apr	88.6	84.6	50.6	48.8	49.3	47.8	1.3	0.9
	May	89.2	86.8	53.3	51.7	49.6	48.2	3.7	3.5
	Jun	89.8	88.2	51.5	51.8	46.7	48.7	4.7	3.2
	Jul	88.5	89.1	56.7	52.5	48.8	47.7	8.0	4.9
	Aug	69.5	88.6	46.6	52.6	41.7	47.0	4.8	5.6
	Sep	91.4	89.6	49.9	52.5	48.7	48.8	1.2	3.7
	Oct	99.7	90.8	61.0	55.0	53.2	49.4	7.8	5.6
	Nov	91.9	90.5	57.4	55.6	51.1	50.3	6.3	5.2
	Dec	87.4	91.4	54.3	51.9	48.6	50.6	5.7	1.3
1997	Jan	91.0	91.0	50.3	55.5	53.5	52.0	-3.2	3.5
	Feb	92.4	93.3	52.5	56.3	50.2	51.9	2.4	4.3
	Mar	97.8	94.7	56.6	57.9	53.2	52.0	3.3	5.9
	Apr	99.3	93.6	61.9	58.7	59.1	57.5	2.8	1.2
	May	94.2	94.9	58.0	58.1	53.6	54.0	4.3	4.1
	Jun	101.4	97.3	61.0	60.0	55.4	55.7	5.6	4.3
	Jul	97.9	97.7	67.0	61.5	57.1	56.4	9.9	5.0
	Aug	76.7	99.4	53.5	61.7	50.4	58.0	3.1	3.7
	Sep	104.6	100.5	64.3	65.5	61.1	59.0	3.2	6.4
	Oct	110.8	100.8	69.2	62.5	63.0	58.3	6.3	4.2
	Nov	101.4	101.7	61.9	61.7	57.7	59.0	4.1	2.7
	Dec	99.0	101.3	64.7	60.6	58.0	58.5	6.8	2.1
1998	Jan	98.2	101.8	53.9	61.6	58.4	58.9	-4.5	2.7
	Feb	103.0	103.8	58.0	62.2	58.3	60.4	-0.4	1.8
	Mar	112.6	106.1	67.2	66.1	65.2	61.5	2.0	4.5
	Apr	106.4	100.3	62.6	59.7	59.9	58.8	2.7	0.8
	May	101.4	104.3	60.6	62.2	57.5	59.2	3.2	3.1
	Jun	110.2	103.5	64.6	61.7	61.2	59.4	3.4	2.3
	Jul	104.0	103.9	67.5	61.9	59.7	59.0	7.7	2.9
	Aug	80.4	104.7	52.9	62.0	51.8	60.0	1.1	2.0
	Sep	107.2	101.8	59.9	60.2	61.9	59.5	-2.0	0.7
	Oct	110.2	103.4	62.5	58.6	61.1	58.6	1.4	-0.1
	Nov	105.8	103.6	60.5	58.8	58.6	57.7	1.9	1.0
	Dec	97.8	99.8	59.3	55.1	55.7	56.7	3.6	-1.6

(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

EXPORTS

1995 = 100

Period	Extra EU-15	USA	Japan	CEEC	Mediterr. Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
Value									
1994	90.8	100.3	89.1	80.0	88.5	94.8	96.9	86.7	87.2
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	109.6	111.1	106.6	120.1	112.3	108.2	106.6	105.4	105.4
1997	124.1	134.6	105.8	144.7	127.0	134.2	127.7	113.1	113.6
1998	128.8	155.1	94.1	166.1	133.4	150.6	119.6	90.2	128.0
1997 Dec	131.4	138.6	99.1	156.5	148.0	143.1	166.0	110.6	131.6
1998 Jan	114.3	131.1	93.3	138.6	114.0	124.8	110.1	89.5	104.6
Feb	123.2	149.3	95.2	152.0	128.4	134.3	108.8	88.1	107.9
Mar	142.8	165.2	112.7	180.1	147.4	159.5	136.9	102.0	141.1
Apr	132.6	159.7	92.2	166.7	132.6	155.4	123.5	90.7	134.0
May	128.5	149.2	86.9	172.1	135.0	148.1	119.9	86.3	133.2
Jun	136.9	164.0	91.6	175.5	144.6	159.9	120.6	96.2	157.4
Jul	142.8	177.5	105.0	177.7	152.9	182.4	135.0	95.5	128.7
Aug	112.0	129.6	83.3	141.9	108.0	150.6	99.4	79.3	102.5
Sep	126.9	159.5	91.9	170.8	129.6	145.1	110.7	91.3	112.7
Oct	132.3	169.4	95.6	182.9	141.5	155.2	126.1	84.4	130.3
Nov	128.2	157.0	89.2	176.1	133.2	145.5	119.6	83.9	160.3
Dec	125.5	150.6	92.9	158.3	134.4	146.7	124.3	94.8	123.1
Volume									
1994	94.9	104.6	90.2	85.0	94.2	98.0	100.4	89.7	92.0
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	105.5	104.4	105.1	118.0	108.8	104.8	100.5	100.7	101.1
1997	114.1	116.7	100.4	140.9	119.4	125.1	113.4	102.7	103.4
1998	117.3	131.8	89.9	161.3	126.1	139.3	104.6	81.1	115.2
1997 Dec	120.3	119.2	95.9	151.9	138.2	134.9	146.1	100.7	119.6
1998 Jan	102.5	110.5	86.1	133.7	104.7	112.8	94.3	78.4	91.7
Feb	110.5	125.6	88.7	146.2	118.6	121.8	93.1	76.9	94.3
Mar	127.6	137.2	104.6	174.0	136.1	144.9	115.2	89.3	125.0
Apr	119.7	135.9	87.6	161.7	122.9	141.9	105.9	80.6	119.5
May	116.6	127.6	83.8	166.4	125.8	137.3	104.5	75.7	120.5
Jun	124.6	138.9	88.0	170.7	136.8	147.6	105.2	86.7	140.5
Jul	129.5	149.7	101.9	172.2	144.5	169.4	117.5	83.3	114.7
Aug	102.4	110.3	81.4	137.8	103.0	139.3	86.6	72.8	92.3
Sep	116.2	134.8	89.9	166.5	124.0	135.1	97.2	83.5	101.3
Oct	122.4	144.9	93.2	178.4	137.0	146.0	114.4	78.6	120.4
Nov	119.6	136.5	85.4	173.5	130.0	138.3	109.5	78.0	149.1
Dec	116.2	129.9	87.8	154.0	129.9	137.7	111.9	89.0	113.5
Unit value									
1994	95.7	95.9	98.8	94.1	94.0	96.7	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	103.9	106.4	101.4	101.8	103.2	103.2	106.1	104.7	104.3
1997	108.8	115.3	105.4	102.7	106.4	107.3	112.6	110.1	109.9
1998	109.8	117.7	104.7	103.0	105.8	108.1	114.3	111.2	111.1
1997 Dec	109.2	116.3	103.3	103.0	107.1	106.1	113.6	109.8	110.0
1998 Jan	111.5	118.6	108.4	103.7	108.9	110.6	116.8	114.2	114.1
Feb	111.5	118.9	107.3	104.0	108.3	110.3	116.9	114.6	114.4
Mar	111.9	120.4	107.7	103.5	108.3	110.1	118.8	114.2	112.9
Apr	110.8	117.5	105.2	103.1	107.9	109.5	116.6	112.5	112.1
May	110.2	116.9	103.7	103.4	107.3	107.9	114.7	114.0	110.5
Jun	109.9	118.1	104.1	102.8	105.7	108.3	114.6	111.0	112.0
Jul	110.3	118.6	103.0	103.2	105.8	107.7	114.9	114.6	112.2
Aug	109.4	117.5	102.3	103.0	104.9	108.1	114.8	108.9	111.0
Sep	109.2	118.3	102.2	102.6	104.5	107.4	113.9	109.4	111.3
Oct	108.1	116.9	102.6	102.5	103.3	106.3	110.2	107.4	108.2
Nov	107.2	115.0	104.4	101.5	102.5	105.2	109.2	107.6	107.5
Dec	108.0	115.9	105.8	102.8	103.5	106.5	111.1	106.5	108.5

Source : TREND

IMPORTS

1995 = 100

Period	Extra EU-15	USA	Japan	CEEC	Mediterr. Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
Value									
1994	91.9	94.5	95.0	80.0	95.7	93.2	102.3	90.4	94.3
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	106.4	108.4	96.5	105.9	110.7	99.3	116.0	105.4	110.9
1997	121.5	129.2	108.4	127.0	123.4	112.1	126.8	120.9	113.5
1998	130.9	144.7	120.1	151.0	122.9	114.8	106.0	138.8	106.5
1997 Dec	123.5	132.5	111.6	134.8	127.4	98.4	132.8	127.6	123.5
1998 Jan	129.4	138.1	116.0	125.9	122.9	106.0	118.2	150.9	116.3
Feb	129.2	149.9	108.1	139.0	131.4	102.1	120.5	130.0	115.5
Mar	144.2	175.0	135.4	162.9	139.6	118.4	110.0	148.7	107.4
Apr	132.5	150.8	129.7	149.2	118.2	124.8	109.2	132.3	107.5
May	127.2	147.5	116.9	141.0	120.5	119.7	102.9	124.3	97.2
Jun	135.4	147.8	124.3	158.5	132.1	135.3	114.2	135.8	109.9
Jul	132.1	138.7	116.4	159.9	125.3	126.0	101.3	134.6	110.3
Aug	114.6	123.3	106.9	130.7	103.9	110.1	102.6	124.9	92.9
Sep	137.0	146.7	120.5	164.2	119.3	119.1	101.5	152.5	121.8
Oct	135.2	141.0	125.4	167.3	125.8	112.7	108.7	148.7	105.8
Nov	129.8	141.5	126.2	156.9	119.6	106.2	93.8	147.7	94.2
Dec	123.2	136.3	114.6	157.8	116.1	97.0	89.3	136.1	99.9
Volume									
1994	94.7	93.5	98.1	88.3	100.9	98.4	104.0	90.0	99.8
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	102.9	101.8	99.7	105.5	103.9	98.9	100.7	104.7	109.7
1997	109.6	106.7	109.5	122.7	110.6	98.0	104.1	113.2	103.4
1998	124.4	117.1	125.2	145.8	121.7	108.8	113.3	140.1	104.1
1997 Dec	112.0	108.1	112.6	129.1	115.8	85.2	113.3	123.4	112.1
1998 Jan	117.1	109.2	117.9	120.9	112.3	91.5	106.9	143.6	109.0
Feb	116.4	116.9	108.0	132.6	121.6	89.0	111.9	122.9	107.1
Mar	131.7	138.2	135.4	155.7	132.6	104.5	109.8	144.2	99.8
Apr	122.5	121.0	130.7	143.2	114.0	112.5	110.6	128.3	100.0
May	119.1	120.2	120.9	134.9	117.0	109.5	103.5	123.7	91.3
Jun	127.9	118.5	128.4	152.1	130.5	127.3	121.4	134.9	105.7
Jul	125.6	109.7	122.9	152.6	125.9	119.8	113.8	134.9	106.3
Aug	110.5	99.6	115.1	125.8	106.1	106.0	117.9	127.1	93.0
Sep	131.6	118.6	130.7	159.0	120.5	116.3	112.1	156.4	121.4
Oct	133.3	116.9	136.6	162.7	128.6	114.6	122.1	157.5	108.6
Nov	131.2	121.5	134.7	153.7	125.9	112.3	114.1	160.7	99.0
Dec	125.1	114.8	121.1	156.9	125.7	102.2	115.7	146.8	108.6
Unit value									
1994	97.0	101.1	96.8	90.6	94.8	94.7	98.4	100.4	94.5
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	103.4	106.5	96.8	100.4	106.5	100.4	115.2	100.7	101.1
1997	110.9	121.1	99.0	103.5	111.6	114.4	121.8	106.8	109.8
1998	105.2	123.6	95.9	103.6	101.0	105.5	93.6	99.1	102.3
1997 Dec	110.3	122.6	99.1	104.4	110.0	115.5	117.2	103.4	110.2
1998 Jan	110.5	126.5	98.4	104.1	109.4	115.9	110.6	105.1	106.7
Feb	111.0	128.2	100.1	104.8	108.1	114.7	107.7	105.8	107.8
Mar	109.5	126.6	100.0	104.6	105.3	113.3	100.2	103.1	107.6
Apr	108.2	124.6	99.2	104.2	103.7	110.9	98.7	103.1	107.5
May	106.8	122.7	96.7	104.5	103.0	109.3	99.4	100.5	106.5
Jun	105.9	124.7	96.8	104.2	101.2	106.3	94.1	100.7	104.0
Jul	105.2	126.4	94.7	104.8	99.5	105.2	89.0	99.8	103.8
Aug	103.7	123.8	92.9	103.9	97.9	103.9	87.0	98.3	99.9
Sep	104.1	123.7	92.2	103.3	99.0	102.4	90.5	97.5	100.3
Oct	101.4	120.6	91.8	102.8	97.8	98.3	89.0	94.4	97.4
Nov	98.9	116.5	93.7	102.1	95.0	94.6	82.2	91.9	95.2
Dec	98.5	118.7	94.6	100.6	92.4	94.9	77.2	92.7	92.0

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

Value

1994	90.8	92.2	85.5	103.9	90.7	91.9	97.7	88.4	100.4	90.3
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	109.6	106.5	99.2	129.4	109.9	106.4	105.7	93.5	123.9	105.4
1997	124.1	117.0	113.1	135.5	124.7	121.5	110.4	104.8	130.7	123.7
1998	128.8	111.5	105.6	119.1	128.4	130.9	113.4	105.2	99.6	137.9
1997 Dec	131.4	120.1	106.5	114.2	133.7	123.5	112.3	103.0	131.1	126.0
1998 Jan	114.3	103.1	101.3	139.0	112.9	129.4	114.8	107.7	119.7	132.5
Feb	123.2	110.4	110.1	116.3	122.5	129.2	107.3	107.0	117.2	133.3
Mar	142.8	126.4	122.0	142.5	142.3	144.2	125.1	116.4	107.1	152.5
Apr	132.6	118.0	107.2	122.1	132.1	132.5	121.0	111.3	105.5	138.9
May	128.5	110.7	102.7	116.8	128.3	127.2	108.0	108.8	103.6	133.7
Jun	136.9	119.0	108.5	130.6	136.1	135.4	115.2	120.8	102.2	142.1
Jul	142.8	114.4	112.8	134.4	144.1	132.1	120.8	108.5	92.8	139.5
Aug	112.0	101.2	100.3	108.6	111.2	114.6	101.1	88.6	89.6	120.6
Sep	126.9	108.0	101.5	104.8	127.3	137.0	110.8	103.6	93.0	147.9
Oct	132.3	112.9	104.4	115.4	131.8	135.2	111.9	100.7	98.1	143.2
Nov	128.2	109.1	99.9	109.0	127.5	129.8	110.6	96.2	85.0	140.2
Dec	125.5	104.3	97.5	90.1	125.0	123.2	113.8	92.5	81.8	130.8

Volume

1994	94.9	96.9	94.5	120.1	94.3	94.7	99.3	97.3	101.4	92.9
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	105.5	99.8	100.6	107.4	106.4	102.9	104.7	94.9	104.5	104.4
1997	114.1	105.9	111.5	103.8	115.1	109.6	97.8	98.3	103.7	114.6
1998	117.3	101.9	107.8	113.0	116.3	124.4	101.5	101.2	107.0	129.5
1997 Dec	120.3	106.5	106.0	91.0	123.0	112.0	97.1	96.4	109.0	116.9
1998 Jan	102.5	90.8	99.2	116.9	101.3	117.1	98.3	98.9	108.1	120.8
Feb	110.5	97.1	107.7	99.5	110.0	116.4	91.3	97.5	109.5	120.2
Mar	127.6	111.7	121.0	127.2	126.8	131.7	105.8	108.6	106.9	138.9
Apr	119.7	104.9	107.4	111.5	119.0	122.5	103.4	103.3	107.2	127.8
May	116.6	99.8	102.5	106.0	116.2	119.1	94.2	100.2	103.8	125.4
Jun	124.6	108.6	107.9	124.3	123.4	127.9	101.5	113.9	109.7	132.8
Jul	129.5	104.8	114.5	129.6	129.8	125.6	107.0	103.6	106.2	129.9
Aug	102.4	93.6	100.8	107.3	101.1	110.5	91.6	84.4	103.5	114.0
Sep	116.2	100.1	104.3	103.5	115.8	131.6	101.6	101.1	104.1	139.8
Oct	122.4	107.1	111.8	115.7	120.8	133.3	106.6	101.9	111.2	138.6
Nov	119.6	104.4	109.4	116.4	117.7	131.2	107.6	102.3	104.9	137.9
Dec	116.2	100.0	107.1	98.3	114.4	125.1	109.2	98.1	109.1	127.7

Unit value

1994	95.7	95.2	90.5	86.5	96.2	97.0	98.4	90.9	99.0	97.2
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	103.9	106.7	98.6	120.5	103.3	103.4	101.0	98.5	118.6	101.0
1997	108.8	110.5	101.4	130.5	108.3	110.9	112.9	106.6	126.0	107.9
1998	109.8	109.4	98.0	105.4	110.4	105.2	111.7	104.0	93.1	106.5
1997 Dec	109.2	112.8	100.5	125.5	108.7	110.3	115.7	106.8	120.3	107.8
1998 Jan	111.5	113.5	102.1	118.9	111.5	110.5	116.8	108.9	110.7	109.7
Feb	111.5	113.7	102.2	116.9	111.4	111.0	117.5	109.7	107.0	110.9
Mar	111.9	113.2	100.8	112.0	112.2	109.5	118.2	107.2	100.2	109.8
Apr	110.8	112.5	99.8	109.5	111.0	108.2	117.0	107.7	98.4	108.7
May	110.2	110.9	100.2	110.2	110.4	106.8	114.7	108.6	99.8	106.6
Jun	109.9	109.6	100.6	105.1	110.3	105.9	113.5	106.1	93.2	107.0
Jul	110.3	109.2	98.5	103.7	111.0	105.2	112.9	104.7	87.4	107.4
Aug	109.4	108.1	99.5	101.2	110.0	103.7	110.4	105.0	86.6	105.8
Sep	109.2	107.9	97.3	101.3	109.9	104.1	109.1	102.5	89.3	105.8
Oct	108.1	105.4	93.4	99.7	109.1	101.4	105.0	98.8	88.2	103.3
Nov	107.2	104.5	91.3	93.6	108.3	98.9	102.8	94.0	81.0	101.7
Dec	108.0	104.3	91.0	91.7	109.3	98.5	104.2	94.3	75.0	102.4

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
Value					
1994	89.3	95.7	93.2	100.3	90.1
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	443.0	105.5	93.9	128.8	99.5
1997	488.2	108.1	104.7	132.4	115.2
1998	122.7	108.5	99.6	101.7	123.8
1997 Dec	496.9	112.5	98.6	137.1	115.5
1998 Jan	117.3	107.0	105.7	128.7	116.9
Feb	122.8	103.1	111.7	123.2	124.7
Mar	134.0	112.0	119.3	117.8	136.6
Apr	126.4	114.0	109.3	110.6	127.5
May	120.8	109.9	104.7	108.7	121.0
Jun	131.3	112.6	104.9	101.0	134.4
Jul	123.5	109.5	93.7	99.4	126.7
Aug	95.6	96.6	79.4	83.6	94.9
Sep	127.5	105.6	99.2	80.4	129.3
Oct	130.9	111.9	98.0	88.8	132.3
Nov	125.8	107.9	89.1	91.2	126.9
Dec	116.1	111.3	81.3	87.1	114.8
Volume					
1994	94.4	98.8	103.5	102.8	95.5
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	441.2	103.9	98.5	109.8	98.4
1997	476.3	105.6	105.4	105.2	111.6
1998	118.4	106.2	102.6	100.7	118.6
1997 Dec	485.3	109.3	98.5	115.7	111.9
1998 Jan	111.6	104.5	102.5	114.1	110.8
Feb	116.7	100.5	110.7	111.2	117.9
Mar	127.5	108.6	120.4	110.8	129.1
Apr	120.7	109.0	110.1	104.2	121.3
May	115.8	105.7	104.9	102.7	115.7
Jun	126.0	109.9	106.2	101.1	128.1
Jul	119.1	107.9	97.1	99.0	121.1
Aug	92.5	95.8	83.3	86.9	90.7
Sep	123.9	104.9	105.2	82.5	124.4
Oct	128.2	111.5	105.7	92.8	128.3
Nov	123.9	107.0	96.0	100.9	123.7
Dec	115.1	108.5	89.5	101.9	112.5
Unit value					
1994	94.6	96.9	90.0	97.6	94.3
1995	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1996	100.4	101.5	95.3	117.3	101.1
1997	102.5	102.4	99.3	125.9	103.2
1998	103.6	102.2	97.1	101.0	104.4
1997 Dec	102.4	102.9	100.1	118.5	103.2
1998 Jan	105.1	102.4	103.1	112.8	105.5
Feb	105.2	102.6	100.9	110.8	105.8
Mar	105.1	103.1	99.1	106.3	105.8
Apr	104.7	104.6	99.3	106.1	105.1
May	104.3	104.0	99.8	105.8	104.6
Jun	104.2	102.5	98.8	99.9	104.9
Jul	103.7	101.5	96.5	100.4	104.6
Aug	103.3	100.8	95.3	96.2	104.6
Sep	102.9	100.7	94.3	97.4	103.9
Oct	102.1	100.4	92.7	95.7	103.1
Nov	101.5	100.8	92.8	90.4	102.6
Dec	100.9	102.6	90.8	85.5	102.0

Source : TREND

European Union and world trade

TRADE BALANCE
Value (Bn ECU/euro)

Period	Main exporters and importers in 1998												
	EU (Extra EU-15)	USA	Japan	Canada (*)	China	Hong Kong	South Korea	Singapore	Mexico (*)	Switzerland	Malaysia	Russia	Australia (*)
1994	5.1	-148.7	101.8	8.2	4.3	-8.7	-5.3	-4.8	-15.5	2.0	-0.7	20.6	-2.2
1995	27.7	-143.4	81.8	20.6	12.8	-14.7	-7.5	-4.7	5.4	1.0	-3.0	23.8	-3.4
1996	43.6	-153.5	48.6	23.7	9.6	-14.2	-15.6	-4.9	5.1	1.0	-0.2	31.1	-0.8
1997	48.4	-186.1	72.7	15.5	35.9	-18.3	-7.6	-5.8	0.5	0.3	-1.2	28.8	1.2
1998	20.2	-235.7	97.9	9.8	51.5	-9.7	20.5	3.8	-0.2	-1.3	9.6	21.1	-3.7
1998 Jan	-4.5	-16.5	2.7	1.1	3.7	0.1	1.0	0.4	0.0	-0.1	0.3	1.3	-0.5
Feb	-0.4	-14.5	9.3	0.9	2.9	-2.2	1.6	-0.0	-0.3	-0.1	0.8	1.2	-0.2
Mar	2.0	-17.3	8.7	0.6	3.3	-1.8	1.7	0.5	0.2	-0.3	0.9	1.5	-0.5
Apr	2.7	-19.8	8.5	0.5	3.9	-2.1	1.9	0.7	0.2	-0.2	0.4	1.2	-0.1
May	3.2	-18.1	8.1	1.0	3.3	-1.3	2.2	0.8	0.2	-0.0	0.6	1.2	0.2
Jun	3.4	-20.8	10.1	0.5	3.4	-0.8	2.1	0.8	0.2	-0.1	-0.1	1.7	-0.4
Jul	7.7	-24.7	8.5	-0.4	3.8	-0.5	1.9	0.5	-0.5	0.2	0.6	0.9	-0.2
Aug	1.1	-23.4	5.6	1.0	4.2	-0.1	1.8	0.7	0.3	-0.2	1.3	0.9	-0.2
Sep	-2.0	-22.1	10.0	1.0	8.3	-0.2	1.4	1.1	-0.2	0.1	1.0	2.3	-0.5
Oct	1.4	-21.8	9.4	1.2	7.0	-0.1	1.9	-0.4	0.0	0.2	1.9	2.7	-0.6
Nov	1.9	-19.6	6.4	1.0	5.7	-0.1	1.8	-0.2	-0.2	-0.0	1.8	2.9	-0.7
Dec	3.6	-17.0	10.3	1.5	1.6	-0.8	1.3	-0.9	0.1	-0.6	0.0	3.0	0.2
1999 Jan	-7.1	-19.6	3.4	-0.6	6.5	-2.3	0.6	-0.3	0.6	-0.2	0.5	0.7	-0.5

Value (Bn ECU/euro)

Period	Main exporters and importers in 1998												
	Brazil	Thailand	Saudi Arabia	Indonesia	Turkey	India	Poland	Philippines	Norway	South Africa (*)	Argentina	United Arab Emirates	Czech Republic (*)
1994	6.1	-7.4	16.2	6.8	-6.2	-0.5	-3.6	-7.7	6.1	3.0	-4.9	0.5	-0.6
1995	-5.9	-12.6	17.2	3.2	-10.8	-3.0	-4.7	-8.3	6.5	1.1	0.8	2.3	-2.9
1996	-8.8	-13.9	23.3	5.4	-15.2	-2.9	-10.0	-8.8	11.6	2.0	0.1	3.9	-4.7
1997	-12.5	-4.6	18.3	9.3	-19.8	-5.1	-14.6	-17.7	10.8	2.7	-4.3	-0.3	-4.0
1998	-10.8	6.7	6.0	20.2	-20.6	-3.5	-19.5	-12.0	3.5	7.1	-4.6	-5.4	-6.2
1998 Jan	-1.0	0.6	1.3	1.1	-1.6	-0.8	-1.4	-1.1	0.9	1.0	-0.8	-0.2	-0.3
Feb	-0.4	1.0	0.8	1.4	-1.7	-0.8	-1.5	-0.9	0.4	0.5	-0.5	-0.1	-0.4
Mar	-1.2	0.8	0.2	1.7	-2.1	0.1	-1.9	-0.8	0.4	0.5	-0.6	-0.7	-0.5
Apr	-0.6	0.6	0.8	1.7	-1.9	0.1	-1.6	-0.9	0.4	0.8	-0.3	-0.5	-0.5
May	-0.7	0.1	0.5	1.7	-2.0	-0.3	-1.9	-0.8	0.3	0.7	0.4	-0.5	-0.6
Jun	-0.4	-0.1	0.7	2.0	-2.0	-0.3	-1.6	-1.0	0.3	0.6	-0.2	-0.2	-0.5
Jul	-0.8	0.4	0.7	1.9	-2.0	-0.4	-1.8	-1.1	0.4	0.4	-0.6	-0.4	-0.6
Aug	-1.0	0.5	0.5	2.1	-1.5	-0.3	-1.5	-0.8	0.0	0.5	-0.4	-0.2	-0.4
Sep	-1.2	0.5	0.2	2.1	-1.7	-0.3	-1.7	-0.7	0.2	0.7	-0.2	-0.5	-0.4
Oct	-1.3	1.1	0.6	2.0	-1.6	0.2	-1.7	-0.9	0.1	0.5	-0.4	-0.9	-0.5
Nov	-1.3	1.1	-0.3	1.5	-1.4	-0.1	-1.7	-1.0	0.1	0.3	-0.6	-0.6	-0.7
Dec	-0.9	0.1	0.1	1.1	-1.7	-0.6	-1.3	-2.0	0.0	0.4	-0.3	-0.6	-0.6
1999 Jan	-1.0	0.7	1.4	1.4	-1.5	-0.7	-1.3	-1.0	0.5	1.0	-0.6	-0.0	-0.3

Source : IMF, Eurostat (EU-15)

(*) Imports F.O.B.

EXPORTS

Value (Bn ECU/euro)

Period	Main exporters in 1998												
	World (1)	EU (Extra EU-15)	USA	Japan	China	Canada	Hong Kong	South Korea	Singapore	Mexico	Malaysia	Russia	Switzer- land
1994	2 701.4	523.6	430.8	332.3	101.6	135.6	127.3	80.7	81.5	51.2	49.4	53.0	59.2
1995	2 904.7	572.8	446.1	338.7	113.9	145.4	132.7	95.8	90.4	60.8	56.4	59.3	62.2
1996	3 152.2	625.1	490.6	323.9	119.1	157.6	142.2	102.8	98.5	75.6	61.6	66.1	62.5
1997	3 822.4	720.7	606.3	371.3	161.3	187.8	165.7	119.9	110.5	97.4	69.4	75.0	67.0
1998	3 809.9	729.6	606.9	351.2	194.0	188.5	154.9	118.8	98.4	95.1	73.4	72.8	70.3
1998 Jan	297.4	53.9	50.5	27.4	11.7	15.4	13.6	8.6	7.6	7.4	5.8	5.0	5.3
Feb	300.4	58.0	50.8	29.9	11.2	15.9	10.4	9.1	8.1	7.3	5.4	5.2	5.8
Mar	342.4	67.2	57.3	32.9	14.2	17.6	12.9	10.2	9.7	8.7	6.6	5.6	6.4
Apr	322.3	62.6	52.1	30.3	14.6	16.7	13.7	10.1	8.7	8.2	6.0	4.9	5.9
May	310.8	60.6	50.7	27.0	13.5	16.1	13.2	9.7	7.9	8.0	6.0	5.2	5.7
Jun	331.3	64.6	51.7	33.2	14.2	16.2	13.7	10.9	8.5	8.3	6.4	5.4	6.1
Jul	321.4	67.5	46.9	29.5	14.7	13.7	14.0	9.7	8.4	7.4	6.1	6.2	6.2
Aug	295.1	52.9	48.2	25.2	14.1	15.0	13.9	9.2	7.7	8.0	6.3	6.0	4.5
Sep	319.9	59.9	48.1	29.7	22.2	15.6	12.8	9.5	8.0	8.0	6.1	6.3	6.2
Oct	331.3	62.5	51.1	30.3	22.1	15.9	12.7	10.4	8.2	8.3	6.6	6.9	6.4
Nov	318.0	60.5	49.8	26.2	20.4	15.6	12.5	10.5	8.0	8.0	6.4	7.1	6.2
Dec	321.1	59.3	50.4	30.0	19.9	15.0	11.8	10.8	8.0	7.6	5.7	8.6	5.7
1999 Jan	271.6	47.6	44.2	24.8	13.8	13.8	10.3	8.3	6.8	7.3	5.5	5.0	5.0

Share (%), excluding Intra EU-15

1994	100.0	19.4	15.9	12.3	3.8	5.0	4.7	3.0	3.0	1.9	1.8	2.0	2.2
1995	100.0	19.7	15.4	11.7	3.9	5.0	4.6	3.3	3.1	2.1	1.9	2.0	2.1
1996	100.0	19.8	15.6	10.3	3.8	5.0	4.5	3.3	3.1	2.4	2.0	2.1	2.0
1997	100.0	18.9	15.9	9.7	4.2	4.9	4.3	3.1	2.9	2.5	1.8	2.0	1.8
1998	100.0	19.2	15.9	9.2	5.1	4.9	4.1	3.1	2.6	2.5	1.9	1.9	1.8

Value (Bn ECU/euro)

Period	Main exporters in 1998												
	Thailand	Australia	Indonesia	Brazil	Saudi Arabia	Norway	India	South Africa	Philippines	Turkey	Poland	Argentina	United Arab Emirates
1994	38.3	39.9	33.7	36.7	35.8	28.9	20.3	21.4	11.3	13.4	14.5	13.9	18.2
1995	43.7	40.5	34.4	35.6	38.2	31.4	23.3	21.6	13.3	16.6	17.5	15.6	18.4
1996	43.9	47.6	39.3	37.6	45.2	38.3	25.5	23.1	16.2	18.2	19.2	18.9	21.7
1997	50.8	55.6	47.1	47.5	54.3	42.0	29.3	27.5	25.1	23.1	22.7	22.4	27.1
1998	52.1	50.6	49.1	45.6	44.1	35.3	33.3	31.8	27.7	25.5	24.6	24.4	23.9
1998 Jan	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.6	4.4	3.5	2.4	2.7	2.0	2.1	1.8	1.5	2.2
Feb	4.4	4.1	3.5	3.4	3.8	3.0	2.4	2.4	2.2	1.8	1.9	1.6	2.1
Mar	4.6	4.5	4.2	3.9	3.9	3.4	3.5	2.7	2.4	2.2	2.1	1.9	2.1
Apr	3.9	4.3	4.1	4.2	3.9	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.2	2.0
May	4.1	4.5	3.9	4.2	3.4	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.0	2.0	1.8	2.8	1.9
Jun	4.7	4.2	4.5	4.4	3.8	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.4	2.1
Jul	4.4	4.7	4.2	4.5	3.7	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.3	2.3	2.0	2.2	1.9
Aug	4.3	4.1	4.1	3.6	3.3	2.4	2.8	2.6	2.3	2.1	1.9	2.0	2.0
Sep	4.3	3.9	4.4	3.9	3.3	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.3	1.9
Oct	4.6	4.1	4.2	3.4	3.7	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.0	1.8
Nov	4.5	4.0	4.1	3.2	3.6	2.8	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.2	1.6	2.0
Dec	4.4	4.4	4.0	3.4	3.5	2.6	2.6	2.5	3.0	2.2	2.2	2.0	2.0
1999 Jan	3.7	3.4	3.7	3.4	3.9	2.7	2.3	2.6	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.5	2.0

Share (%), excluding Intra EU-15

1994	1.4	1.5	1.2	1.4	1.3	1.1	0.8	0.8	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.7
1995	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.1	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6
1996	1.4	1.5	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.2	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7
1997	1.3	1.5	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.1	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7
1998	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.2	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6

Source : IMF, Eurostat (EU-15)

(1) Excluding intra EU-15

IMPORTS
Value (Bn ECU/euro)

Period	Main importers in 1998												
	World ⁽¹⁾	EU (Extra EU-15)	USA	Japan	Canada ⁽¹⁾	Hong Kong	China	South Korea	Mexico ⁽¹⁾	Singapore	Switzerland	Malaysia	Brazil
1994	2 813.0	518.5	579.5	230.5	127.4	136.0	97.3	86.0	66.7	86.3	57.2	50.1	30.6
1995	3 019.8	545.1	589.4	256.9	124.8	147.4	101.0	103.3	55.4	95.1	61.2	59.3	41.6
1996	3 286.9	581.5	644.1	275.3	133.9	156.4	109.4	118.4	70.5	103.4	61.6	61.8	46.4
1997	4 023.0	672.4	792.4	298.6	172.4	184.0	125.4	127.5	96.8	116.3	66.7	70.6	60.1
1998	4 014.4	709.4	842.6	253.3	178.7	164.7	142.6	98.3	95.3	94.6	71.6	63.8	56.5
1998 Jan	322,1	58,4	67,0	24,7	14,3	13,4	8,0	7,6	7,4	7,3	5,4	5,5	4,6
1998 Feb	318,7	58,3	65,3	20,5	15,1	12,7	8,3	7,5	7,7	8,1	5,8	4,6	3,8
1998 Mar	365,0	65,2	74,6	24,2	17,0	14,7	10,9	8,6	8,6	9,2	6,7	5,8	5,1
1998 Apr	342,5	59,9	71,9	21,7	16,2	15,8	10,7	8,2	8,0	8,0	6,1	5,6	4,8
1998 May	328,6	57,5	68,8	18,9	15,1	14,5	10,2	7,6	7,9	7,1	5,7	5,4	4,9
1998 Jun	351,3	61,2	72,5	23,1	15,7	14,4	10,8	8,8	8,1	7,8	6,2	6,5	4,8
1998 Jul	343,4	59,7	71,6	21,0	14,1	14,5	10,9	7,9	7,9	7,9	6,0	5,6	5,3
1998 Aug	317,8	51,8	71,6	19,6	14,0	14,0	9,9	7,4	7,8	7,0	4,8	5,0	4,6
1998 Sep	338,6	61,9	70,1	19,7	14,6	12,9	13,8	8,1	8,2	6,8	6,1	5,1	5,1
1998 Oct	349,2	61,1	72,9	20,8	14,8	12,8	15,1	8,5	8,3	8,6	6,2	4,7	4,6
1998 Nov	336,1	58,6	69,4	19,9	14,6	12,6	14,7	8,8	8,2	8,2	6,2	4,6	4,4
1998 Dec	339,5	55,7	67,4	19,7	13,6	12,6	18,3	9,5	7,5	8,9	6,3	5,7	4,3
1999 Jan	299,7	54,7	63,8	21,5	14,4	12,6	7,3	7,7	6,7	7,0	5,2	4,9	4,4

	Share (%), excluding Intra EU-15												
1994	100.0	18.4	20.6	8.2	4.5	4.8	3.5	3.1	2.4	3.1	2.0	1.8	1.1
1995	100.0	18.1	19.5	8.5	4.1	4.9	3.3	3.4	1.8	3.1	2.0	2.0	1.4
1996	100.0	17.7	19.6	8.4	4.1	4.8	3.3	3.6	2.1	3.1	1.9	1.9	1.4
1997	100.0	16.7	19.7	7.4	4.3	4.6	3.1	3.2	2.4	2.9	1.7	1.8	1.5
1998	100.0	17.7	21.0	6.3	4.5	4.1	3.6	2.4	2.4	2.4	1.8	1.6	1.4

Value (Bn ECU/euro)

Period	Main importers in 1998												
	Australia ⁽¹⁾	Russia	Turkey	Thailand	Poland	Philippines	Saudi Arabia	India	Norway	United Arab Emirates	Argentina	Indonesia	Czech Republic ⁽¹⁾
1994	42,1	32,4	19,6	45,7	18,1	18,9	19,6	20,9	22,7	17,7	18,8	26,9	12,4
1995	43,9	35,5	27,3	56,3	22,2	21,6	21,0	26,4	24,9	16,0	14,8	31,2	15,9
1996	48,5	35,0	33,4	57,8	29,2	25,0	21,9	28,4	26,7	17,8	18,8	33,8	22,0
1997	54,5	46,2	42,9	55,4	37,3	42,8	36,0	34,5	31,2	27,4	26,7	37,8	23,8
1998	54,4	51,6	46,1	45,4	44,1	39,8	38,1	36,8	31,8	29,3	29,0	28,9	28,3
1998 Jan	4,3	3,7	3,7	3,1	3,3	3,1	3,1	3,2	2,6	2,4	2,3	2,8	1,9
1998 Feb	4,3	4,0	3,6	3,4	3,4	3,1	3,0	3,3	2,6	2,2	2,1	2,1	2,1
1998 Mar	5,1	4,1	4,3	3,9	4,0	3,2	3,8	3,4	3,0	2,8	2,5	2,5	2,4
1998 Apr	4,5	3,8	3,9	3,3	3,5	3,1	3,0	2,8	2,7	2,5	2,5	2,3	2,4
1998 May	4,4	3,9	4,0	4,1	3,7	2,9	2,9	3,1	2,6	2,4	2,5	2,2	2,3
1998 Jun	4,6	3,8	4,1	4,8	3,7	3,3	3,1	3,1	2,6	2,3	2,5	2,5	2,4
1998 Jul	5,0	5,3	4,3	4,0	3,8	3,3	3,0	3,3	2,4	2,3	2,8	2,4	2,4
1998 Aug	4,4	5,1	3,6	3,8	3,3	3,1	2,8	3,1	2,4	2,1	2,4	2,1	2,0
1998 Sep	4,4	4,0	4,0	3,8	3,9	3,1	3,1	3,1	2,8	2,4	2,5	2,3	2,4
1998 Oct	4,7	4,2	3,9	3,5	4,1	3,2	3,1	2,7	2,8	2,7	2,4	2,2	2,6
1998 Nov	4,7	4,2	3,8	3,4	3,8	3,2	3,8	2,5	2,7	2,6	2,2	2,5	2,6
1998 Dec	4,2	5,6	3,9	4,3	3,5	5,1	3,4	3,2	2,6	2,6	2,3	2,9	2,4
1999 Jan	3,9	4,3	3,4	3,0	3,1	2,9	2,5	3,0	2,2	2,1	2,0	2,3	1,8

	Share (%), excluding Intra EU-15												
1994	1,5	1,2	0,7	1,6	0,6	0,7	0,7	0,7	0,8	0,6	0,7	1,0	0,4
1995	1,5	1,2	0,9	1,9	0,7	0,7	0,7	0,9	0,8	0,5	0,5	1,0	0,5
1996	1,5	1,1	1,0	1,8	0,9	0,8	0,7	0,9	0,8	0,5	0,6	1,0	0,7
1997	1,4	1,1	1,1	1,4	0,9	1,1	0,9	0,9	0,8	0,7	0,7	0,9	0,6
1998	1,4	1,3	1,1	1,1	1,1	1,0	0,9	0,9	0,8	0,7	0,7	0,7	0,7

Source : IMF, Eurostat (EU-15)

⁽¹⁾ Imports F.O.B.

⁽¹⁾ Excluding intra EU-15

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

1998

Value (Bn ECU/euro)

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 %
EXPORTS									
World (¹)	3 809.9	726.2	19.1	650.2	17.1	197.8	5.2	1 574.2	41.3
EU-15	729.6			160.1	21.9	31.4	4.3	191.5	26.2
Norway	35.3	27.2	77.1	2.2	6.3	0.8	2.3	30.2	85.8
Switzerland	70.3	43.9	62.4	7.8	11.0	2.7	3.8	54.3	77.2
Turkey	25.5	12.3	48.2	2.2	8.5	0.1	0.4	14.6	57.1
Poland	24.6	15.4	62.9	0.7	2.8	0.1	0.3	16.2	65.9
Russia	72.8	22.6	31.1	4.5	6.2	2.1	2.9	29.3	40.3
South Africa	31.8	8.7	27.5	2.6	8.1	1.9	5.9	13.2	41.5
USA	606.9	133.6	22.0			51.6	8.5	185.3	30.5
Canada	188.5	9.2	4.9	163.1	86.5	4.3	2.3	176.5	93.6
Mexico	95.1	3.7	3.9	77.9	81.9	1.0	1.0	82.6	86.9
Brazil	45.6	13.2	28.9	8.8	19.4	2.0	4.3	24.0	52.5
Argentina	24.4	4.1	16.9	1.9	7.6	0.7	2.7	6.6	27.2
Iran	18.0	4.7	26.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	11.3	6.7	37.3
Israel	21.0	6.7	31.9	7.1	33.9	0.7	3.2	14.5	69.0
Saudi Arabia	44.1	7.8	17.6	5.8	13.2	6.0	13.7	19.6	44.5
United Arab Emirates	23.9	1.4	5.9	0.6	2.4	7.1	29.5	9.0	37.9
India	33.3	8.8	26.3	6.9	20.6	1.7	5.2	17.3	52.1
Philippines	27.7	4.3	15.7	10.0	36.1	3.7	13.4	18.1	65.2
China	194.0	28.9	14.9	43.5	22.4	27.3	14.1	99.7	51.4
Indonesia	49.1	7.9	16.1	7.7	15.6	8.8	18.0	24.4	49.7
Thailand	52.1	9.2	17.7	11.2	21.5	6.8	13.0	27.2	52.2
Malaysia	73.4	10.8	14.7	15.8	21.6	7.3	10.0	33.9	46.3
Singapore	98.4	14.6	14.8	18.5	18.8	5.7	5.8	38.8	39.4
South Korea	118.8	13.7	11.5	20.1	16.9	10.4	8.7	44.2	37.2
Japan	351.2	64.5	18.4	106.5	30.3			171.0	48.7
Hong Kong	154.9	24.4	15.8	36.3	23.4	8.1	5.3	68.9	44.5
Australia	50.6	6.9	13.6	4.7	9.3	9.9	19.5	21.5	42.5
IMPORTS									
World (¹)	4 014.4	808.4	20.1	503.4	12.5	315.1	7.8	1 626.8	40.5
EU-15	709.4			150.8	21.3	65.5	9.2	216.3	30.5
Norway	31.8	22.3	70.2	2.4	7.6	1.4	4.3	26.1	82.2
Switzerland	71.6	54.9	76.7	5.2	7.3	1.9	2.6	62.0	86.6
Turkey	46.1	24.2	52.4	3.4	7.5	1.7	3.7	29.3	63.6
Poland	44.1	31.0	70.3	0.9	2.0	0.3	0.7	32.2	73.0
Russia	51.6	18.5	35.9	3.3	6.3	0.8	1.5	22.6	43.8
South Africa (²)	24.7	10.4	42.1	3.2	13.1	1.6	6.5	15.2	61.7
USA	842.6	162.4	19.3			111.6	13.2	274.0	32.5
Canada (²)	178.7	16.8	9.4	122.0	68.3	8.2	4.6	147.0	82.3
Mexico (²)	95.3	9.3	9.8	70.5	73.9	3.8	4.0	83.6	87.7
Brazil	56.5	16.5	29.2	13.3	23.6	3.2	5.7	33.0	58.4
Argentina	29.0	7.9	27.3	5.6	19.4	1.2	4.1	14.7	50.8
Iran	12.7	4.9	38.7	0.0	0.0	0.9	6.8	5.8	45.5
Israel	27.4	12.4	45.3	6.8	25.0	1.1	3.9	20.3	74.1
Saudi Arabia	38.1	12.9	33.9	10.3	27.1	3.8	10.0	27.1	71.0
United Arab Emirates	29.3	9.2	31.4	2.3	7.9	2.8	9.6	14.3	48.9
India	36.8	9.8	26.8	3.5	9.6	2.4	6.4	15.7	42.8
Philippines	39.8	3.8	9.5	6.6	16.6	7.4	18.6	17.8	44.7
China	142.6	18.2	12.8	14.8	10.4	22.9	16.1	55.9	39.2
Indonesia	28.9	4.8	16.6	2.2	7.8	4.5	15.7	11.6	40.0
Thailand	45.4	6.0	13.2	5.3	11.7	10.0	21.9	21.3	46.8
Malaysia	63.8	6.3	9.9	8.8	13.8	10.1	15.9	25.3	39.6
Singapore	94.6	12.1	12.8	16.5	17.5	15.1	16.0	43.7	46.3
South Korea	98.3	10.3	10.4	16.2	16.5	16.4	16.7	42.9	43.6
Japan	253.3	35.0	13.8	59.8	23.6			94.8	37.4
Hong Kong	164.7	17.5	10.6	12.3	7.5	20.7	12.6	50.5	30.7
Australia (²)	54.4	13.1	24.0	11.8	21.6	7.4	13.6	32.2	59.2

Source : IMF, Eurostat (EU-15)

⁽¹⁾ Excluding intra EU-15⁽²⁾ Imports F.O.B.

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

SITC Rev. 3		1994		1995		1996		1997		1998	
		Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%
EXPORTS											
EU-15 (1)	0-9 TOTAL	523.6	100.0	572.8	100.0	625.1	100.0	720.7	100.0	729.6	100.0
	0+1 Food	37.2	7.1	38.9	6.8	40.9	6.5	45.9	6.4	43.3	5.9
	2+4 Raw materials	12.0	2.3	13.7	2.4	13.2	2.1	15.7	2.2	14.1	1.9
	3 Energy	15.4	2.9	13.3	2.3	15.3	2.5	17.1	2.4	13.7	1.9
	5 Chemistry	68.1	13.0	73.4	12.8	79.1	12.6	93.0	12.9	93.8	12.9
	7 Machinery and transport equip.	231.5	44.2	255.8	44.7	281.9	45.1	331.0	45.9	341.8	46.8
	6+8 Other manufactured goods	154.1	29.4	167.4	29.2	181.8	29.1	203.4	28.2	201.4	27.6
USA	0-9 TOTAL	430.8	100.0	446.1	100.0	490.6	100.0	606.3	100.0	606.9	100.0
	0+1 Food	36.5	8.5	38.4	8.6	42.4	8.6	43.5	7.2	:	:
	2+4 Raw materials	24.5	5.7	28.6	6.4	26.9	5.5	30.3	5.0	:	:
	3 Energy	7.5	1.8	8.0	1.8	9.6	2.0	11.1	1.8	:	:
	5 Chemistry	44.1	10.2	47.2	10.6	49.6	10.1	62.5	10.3	:	:
	7 Machinery and transport equip.	212.1	49.2	215.2	48.2	241.1	49.2	311.0	51.3	:	:
	6+8 Other manufactured goods	87.1	20.2	90.9	20.4	100.4	20.5	124.7	20.6	:	:
Japan	0-9 TOTAL	332.3	100.0	338.7	100.0	323.9	100.0	371.3	100.0	351.2	100.0
	0+1 Food	1.7	0.5	1.6	0.5	1.5	0.5	1.9	0.5	:	:
	2+4 Raw materials	2.2	0.7	2.4	0.7	2.4	0.8	2.7	0.7	:	:
	3 Energy	1.9	0.6	1.9	0.6	1.5	0.5	1.7	0.5	:	:
	5 Chemistry	19.8	6.0	23.0	6.8	22.7	7.0	26.4	7.1	:	:
	7 Machinery and transport equip.	239.3	72.0	238.1	70.3	225.1	69.5	256.7	69.1	:	:
	6+8 Other manufactured goods	61.2	18.4	64.3	19.0	62.3	19.2	71.5	19.3	:	:
IMPORTS											
EU-15 (1)	0-9 TOTAL	518.5	100.0	545.1	100.0	581.5	100.0	672.4	100.0	709.4	100.0
	0+1 Food	43.4	8.4	43.2	7.9	45.2	7.8	48.3	7.2	49.2	6.9
	2+4 Raw materials	35.4	6.8	40.2	7.4	37.3	6.4	42.7	6.3	42.2	5.9
	3 Energy	69.1	13.3	64.8	11.9	77.1	13.3	85.1	12.7	64.6	9.1
	5 Chemistry	37.5	7.2	43.1	7.9	44.4	7.6	51.5	7.7	54.7	7.7
	7 Machinery and transport equip.	164.7	31.8	173.3	31.8	187.9	32.3	229.3	34.1	262.3	37.0
	6+8 Other manufactured goods	154.0	29.7	164.8	30.2	169.4	29.1	196.4	29.2	209.5	29.5
USA	0-9 TOTAL	579.5	100.0	589.4	100.0	644.1	100.0	792.4	100.0	842.6	100.0
	0+1 Food	27.8	4.8	26.8	4.5	30.1	4.7	37.6	4.7	:	:
	2+4 Raw materials	17.2	3.0	18.2	3.1	19.3	3.0	22.3	2.8	:	:
	3 Energy	50.5	8.7	48.2	8.2	60.7	9.4	72.8	9.2	:	:
	5 Chemistry	29.8	5.1	32.2	5.5	36.7	5.7	46.0	5.8	:	:
	7 Machinery and transport equip.	264.5	45.6	273.6	46.4	290.8	45.2	355.2	44.8	:	:
	6+8 Other manufactured goods	170.0	29.3	170.7	29.0	183.4	28.5	229.5	29.0	:	:
Japan	0-9 TOTAL	230.5	100.0	256.9	100.0	275.3	100.0	298.6	100.0	253.3	100.0
	0+1 Food	39.2	17.0	38.9	15.1	39.9	14.5	40.6	13.6	:	:
	2+4 Raw materials	25.6	11.1	26.9	10.5	25.7	9.3	27.8	9.3	:	:
	3 Energy	40.5	17.6	41.2	16.0	47.9	17.4	55.4	18.6	:	:
	5 Chemistry	16.6	7.2	18.4	7.2	18.0	6.5	20.2	6.8	:	:
	7 Machinery and transport equip.	44.3	19.2	58.0	22.6	67.1	24.4	73.7	24.7	:	:
	6+8 Other manufactured goods	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

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European Union trading partners

EXPORTS

Partner	Value (Bn ECU/euro)					%					Σ %	Rank
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998		
Extra EU-15	523.6	572.8	625.1	720.7	729.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0		
USA	103.7	103.3	114.4	141.3	160.1	19.8	18.0	18.3	19.6	21.9	21.9	1
Switzerland	46.8	51.0	51.4	53.0	56.9	8.9	8.9	8.2	7.4	7.8	29.7	2
Japan	29.1	32.9	35.7	36.1	31.4	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.0	4.3	34.0	3
Poland	12.3	15.3	19.9	25.1	28.1	2.4	2.7	3.2	3.5	3.8	37.9	4
Norway	16.5	17.3	19.7	23.3	24.9	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.4	41.3	5
Turkey	9.3	13.4	18.2	22.4	22.1	1.8	2.3	2.9	3.1	3.0	44.3	6
Russia	14.4	16.1	19.1	25.5	21.0	2.7	2.8	3.1	3.5	2.9	47.2	7
China	14.0	14.7	14.7	16.5	17.4	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.4	49.6	8
Hong Kong	13.9	15.8	17.5	20.4	17.3	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.4	52.0	9
Czech Republic	9.2	11.7	14.0	15.8	17.1	1.8	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.3	54.3	10
Hungary	8.1	8.7	10.0	13.6	16.7	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.9	2.3	56.6	11
Brazil	7.5	11.4	11.7	14.9	15.6	1.4	2.0	1.9	2.1	2.1	58.7	12
Canada	10.6	10.3	10.7	14.1	14.9	2.0	1.8	1.7	2.0	2.0	60.8	13
Australia	9.7	10.5	11.5	13.1	12.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	62.5	14
Taiwan	8.7	10.1	9.9	12.7	12.1	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.8	1.7	64.2	15
Saudi Arabia	9.3	8.6	10.3	13.2	12.0	1.8	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.6	65.8	16
Singapore	9.7	10.9	12.3	13.5	10.9	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.5	67.3	17
Israel	9.4	9.7	10.4	11.5	10.9	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.5	68.8	18
South Africa	7.5	8.7	8.9	9.7	10.4	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	70.2	19
India	7.5	9.4	9.9	10.2	9.5	1.4	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.3	71.6	20
Mexico	7.1	4.5	5.1	7.4	9.2	1.4	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.3	72.8	21
South Korea	10.9	12.3	14.3	14.5	9.1	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.0	1.2	74.1	22
United Arab Emirates	6.2	6.5	6.7	7.9	8.8	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2	75.3	23
Argentina	5.2	4.6	5.8	7.3	7.6	1.0	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.0	76.3	24
Egypt	4.9	5.0	5.7	6.8	7.5	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.0	77.3	25
Slovenia	4.3	5.2	5.4	6.3	6.7	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	78.3	26
Morocco	4.5	4.7	4.7	5.3	6.5	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.9	79.2	27
Romania	2.9	3.8	4.4	5.0	6.3	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.9	80.0	28
Tunisia	3.9	4.2	4.3	5.3	5.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	80.8	29
Slovakia	2.2	3.2	4.0	4.8	5.7	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.8	81.6	30
Malaysia	6.4	7.9	7.5	8.8	5.4	1.2	1.4	1.2	1.2	0.7	82.3	31
Thailand	6.7	8.5	8.5	7.8	5.2	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.1	0.7	83.1	32
Algeria	4.8	4.7	4.1	4.4	5.2	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.7	83.8	33
Iran	4.1	3.5	3.9	4.9	4.4	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6	84.4	34
Croatia	3.2	3.7	3.9	4.8	4.4	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.6	85.0	35
Indonesia	4.7	5.9	7.0	8.3	3.9	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.1	0.5	85.5	36
Ukraine	1.8	2.2	2.6	3.4	3.5	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	86.0	37
Chile	2.1	2.4	2.7	3.4	3.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	86.4	38
Philippines	2.1	2.3	3.2	5.1	3.1	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.4	86.9	39
Venezuela	1.7	1.9	1.7	2.4	3.0	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	87.3	40
Lebanon	2.3	2.5	2.7	3.1	2.8	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	87.7	41
Nigeria	2.2	2.1	2.4	2.7	2.8	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	88.0	42
Libya	2.2	2.3	2.5	2.8	2.7	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	88.4	43
Estonia	1.0	1.3	1.7	2.4	2.7	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	88.8	44
Bulgaria	1.8	2.1	1.7	1.8	2.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	89.1	45
Colombia	1.9	1.8	2.0	2.4	2.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	89.4	46
Lithuania	0.9	1.0	1.5	2.2	2.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	89.8	47
Kuwait	1.9	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.2	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	90.1	48
Cyprus	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.1	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	90.3	49
Malta	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.0	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	90.6	50

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Partner	Value (Bn ECU/euro)					%					Σ %	Rank
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1998	1998
Extra EU-15	518.5	545.1	581.5	672.4	709.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0		
USA	100.0	103.6	112.8	137.9	150.8	19.3	19.0	19.4	20.5	21.3	21.3	1
Japan	53.8	54.3	52.5	59.8	65.5	10.4	10.0	9.0	8.9	9.2	30.5	2
Switzerland	41.8	43.2	42.7	45.1	49.3	8.1	7.9	7.3	6.7	6.9	37.4	3
China	24.6	26.3	30.0	37.5	41.8	4.7	4.8	5.2	5.6	5.9	43.3	4
Norway	23.7	25.5	30.6	33.6	29.0	4.6	4.7	5.3	5.0	4.1	47.4	5
Russia	21.5	21.5	23.3	27.0	23.1	4.1	3.9	4.0	4.0	3.2	50.7	6
Taiwan	10.3	11.8	12.9	15.7	18.1	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.6	53.2	7
Poland	10.1	12.3	12.3	14.2	16.1	2.0	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.3	55.5	8
South Korea	9.1	10.9	11.1	13.1	15.6	1.8	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.2	57.7	9
Czech Republic	7.4	9.0	9.8	11.8	14.7	1.4	1.7	1.7	1.7	2.1	59.8	10
Hungary	6.1	7.6	8.8	11.7	14.5	1.2	1.4	1.5	1.7	2.0	61.8	11
Turkey	7.9	9.2	10.2	11.9	13.6	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.9	63.7	12
Brazil	10.9	10.8	10.4	12.6	13.2	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.9	1.9	65.6	13
Canada	9.8	11.7	11.5	12.5	12.7	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.8	67.4	14
Singapore	8.2	8.8	9.3	11.5	12.3	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	69.1	15
Malaysia	7.9	9.2	9.4	10.8	11.9	1.5	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.7	70.8	16
India	7.2	7.8	8.6	9.5	9.8	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.4	72.2	17
South Africa	6.9	7.8	8.2	9.1	9.7	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	73.5	18
Hong Kong	7.1	7.2	7.2	8.4	9.7	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.4	74.9	19
Thailand	6.6	6.6	7.5	8.6	9.3	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.3	76.2	20
Indonesia	6.0	6.1	7.1	8.3	8.9	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	77.5	21
Saudi Arabia	9.2	8.8	10.1	10.9	7.8	1.8	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.1	78.5	22
Australia	4.9	5.0	5.2	6.3	7.6	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.1	79.6	23
Israel	4.3	4.7	5.3	6.3	6.9	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.0	80.6	24
Algeria	6.2	4.8	5.4	8.4	6.7	1.2	0.9	0.9	1.2	1.0	81.5	25
Philippines	2.2	2.4	3.3	4.4	5.7	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.8	82.3	26
Libya	6.1	5.8	7.1	7.6	5.7	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.1	0.8	83.1	27
Slovakia	2.2	3.1	3.4	4.0	5.4	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.8	83.9	28
Morocco	3.8	4.0	4.2	4.7	5.3	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	84.6	29
Slovenia	3.8	4.2	4.3	4.7	5.2	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	85.4	30
Romania	2.8	3.4	3.6	4.4	5.1	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	86.1	31
Tunisia	3.1	3.4	3.6	4.0	4.3	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	86.7	32
Argentina	3.6	3.7	3.9	3.8	4.2	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	87.3	33
Mexico	2.7	3.2	3.2	3.8	4.0	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.6	87.9	34
Iran	5.6	5.4	6.0	5.2	3.9	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.6	88.4	35
Chile	2.5	3.2	3.2	3.5	3.5	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	88.9	36
Nigeria	4.3	3.4	5.0	4.5	2.9	0.8	0.6	0.9	0.7	0.4	89.3	37
Vietnam	0.9	1.2	1.4	2.2	2.6	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	89.7	38
Colombia	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.5	2.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	90.0	39
Egypt	2.9	2.2	2.8	2.6	2.4	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.3	90.4	40
Pakistan	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	90.7	41
Ivory Coast	1.8	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	91.0	42
Iraq	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4	2.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.3	91.3	43
Bulgaria	1.4	1.8	1.7	2.1	2.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	91.6	44
Ukraine	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.9	2.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	92.0	45
New Zealand	1.6	1.7	1.9	2.1	2.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	92.3	46
Bangladesh	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.8	2.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	92.5	47
Croatia	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.8	1.8	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	92.8	48
Estonia	0.6	0.9	1.1	1.5	1.8	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	93.0	49
United Arab Emirates	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.5	1.6	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	93.3	50

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Main partners	1995		1996		1997		1998		Jan-Feb 1999	
	Value	95/94	Value	96/95	Value	97/96	Value	98/97	Value	99/98
Extra EU-15	572 840	9.4	625 116	9.1	720 734	15.3	729 610	1.2	101 075	-9.6
Europe excluding EU-15	166 421	15.8	189 862	14.1	223 954	18.0	235 888	5.3	32 119	-11.7
<i>of which</i> Iceland	793	13.3	918	15.8	1 137	23.8	1 232	8.4	168	-4.3
Norway	17 321	4.7	19 694	13.7	23 323	18.4	24 898	6.8	3 556	-3.8
Switzerland	51 019	9.1	51 383	0.7	52 990	3.1	56 911	7.4	9 087	3.4
Liechtenstein	448	:	534	19.2	551	3.2	714	29.7	86	5.3
Andorra	722	5.4	687	-4.8	849	23.6	833	-1.9	112	-4.1
Gibraltar	400	-32.8	642	60.3	687	7.1	475	-30.8	49	-35.6
Malta	2 015	6.7	1 867	-7.3	1 998	7.0	1 970	-1.4	257	-11.9
Turkey	13 389	43.8	18 243	36.2	22 357	22.6	22 072	-1.3	2 585	-22.6
Estonia	1 348	30.9	1 697	25.8	2 387	40.7	2 688	12.6	322	-22.3
Latvia	939	30.6	1 110	18.1	1 535	38.3	1 807	17.7	196	-31.6
Lithuania	1 016	18.7	1 460	43.7	2 154	47.5	2 377	10.3	285	-18.5
Poland	15 297	24.2	19 858	29.8	25 065	26.2	28 072	12.0	4 087	-4.5
Czech Republic	11 653	26.3	13 975	19.9	15 849	13.4	17 117	8.0	2 488	0.3
Slovakia	3 194	45.5	3 998	25.2	4 816	20.5	5 673	17.8	763	-2.2
Hungary	8 729	8.2	10 001	14.6	13 586	35.8	16 749	23.3	2 607	6.4
Romania	3 794	31.1	4 445	17.2	5 014	12.8	6 275	25.2	757	-4.3
Bulgaria	2 052	17.1	1 699	-17.2	1 846	8.6	2 427	31.5	338	2.2
Albania	518	19.6	744	43.7	564	-24.2	554	-1.7	75	3.0
Ukraine	2 249	25.5	2 625	16.7	3 433	30.8	3 517	2.4	313	-42.2
Belarus	885	42.5	917	3.6	1 233	34.5	1 169	-5.2	134	-24.9
Russia	16 128	12.1	19 094	18.4	25 547	33.8	21 010	-17.8	1 635	-62.1
Slovenia	5 178	19.1	5 377	3.9	6 318	17.5	6 726	6.5	945	-7.5
Croatia	3 736	15.5	3 890	4.1	4 783	23.0	4 388	-8.3	517	-19.3
Form. Yug. Rep. Maced	880	8.6	807	-8.3	849	5.1	882	4.0	118	-13.1
Cyprus	2 015	-3.4	1 937	-3.9	1 948	0.6	2 107	8.1	263	-6.4
Africa	51 580	8.5	53 712	4.1	52 060	-3.1	58 243	11.9	7 454	-12.0
<i>of which</i> North Africa	25 982	3.8	26 992	3.9	24 514	-9.2	28 389	15.8	3 709	-13.1
<i>of which</i> Canary Islands	4 482	7.1	5 126	14.4	:	:	:	:	:	:
Ceuta and Melilla	596	4.0	518	-13.0	26	-94.9	656	✓	:	:
Morocco	4 727	5.3	4 703	-0.5	5 328	13.3	6 547	22.9	825	-13.9
Algeria	4 727	-2.1	4 063	-14.0	4 353	7.1	5 172	18.8	725	6.9
Tunisia	4 155	6.6	4 343	4.5	5 285	21.7	5 768	9.1	838	7.1
Libya	2 279	5.5	2 510	10.1	2 769	10.3	2 706	-2.3	300	-35.4
Egypt	5 016	2.3	5 729	14.2	6 752	17.9	7 539	11.7	1 020	-20.5
Sudan	280	-10.7	292	4.4	361	23.5	523	45.0	79	33.7
Mauritania	233	-6.7	267	14.5	278	4.1	283	2.0	36	-11.0
Senegal	715	31.4	794	11.0	882	11.0	986	11.8	144	1.6
Guinea	270	-8.6	282	4.2	314	11.5	316	0.5	58	3.3
Liberia	1 240	107.1	455	-63.3	537	18.2	1 942	261.6	77	55.2
Ivory Coast	1 187	58.8	1 183	-0.3	1 284	8.6	1 463	13.9	217	1.9
Ghana	744	8.8	973	30.8	1 109	14.0	1 141	2.8	143	-14.2
Nigeria	2 053	-6.4	2 372	15.5	2 712	14.3	2 798	3.2	408	-0.0
Cameroon	564	28.0	638	13.1	732	14.7	860	17.5	113	-19.4
Gabon	719	-12.5	971	35.0	1 138	17.2	954	-16.2	78	-48.7
Congo	478	63.3	923	93.2	420	-54.6	439	4.6	44	-30.6
Zaire	358	15.8	374	4.3	294	-21.4	282	-4.0	20	-59.5
Angola	799	37.1	777	-2.8	1 055	35.8	980	-7.1	123	-22.9
Ethiopia	468	4.9	450	-4.0	488	8.4	440	-9.8	64	-12.8
Kenya	857	13.8	875	2.1	908	3.8	863	-5.0	130	-4.9
Uganda	182	38.5	175	-3.9	181	3.5	197	8.5	23	-22.3
Tanzania	316	-12.0	307	-2.9	401	30.8	313	-22.0	45	-10.5
Madagascar	248	5.5	261	5.2	320	22.6	366	14.4	45	-10.6
Réunion	1 483	4.0	1 590	7.3	:	:	:	:	:	:
Mauritius	651	-0.3	587	-9.8	653	11.3	544	-16.7	73	-12.9
Zimbabwe	371	-2.6	415	12.0	440	5.9	370	-15.8	63	10.2
South Africa	8 687	15.5	8 853	1.9	9 739	10.0	10 420	7.0	1 251	-16.0
Namibia	138	78.2	129	-6.2	189	46.2	152	-19.5	28	-11.9
EFTA	69 582	8.7	72 530	4.2	78 000	7.5	83 755	7.4	12 898	1.2
OECD, excluding EU-15	245 841	4.7	283 546	15.3	369 262	30.2	353 836	-4.2	52 594	-2.6
CEEC	58 682	22.0	70 828	20.7	87 296	23.3	98 372	12.7	13 799	-4.2
CIS	20 814	12.4	24 867	19.5	33 541	34.9	28 876	-13.9	2 429	-55.3
Mediterranean Basin	64 539	10.7	72 897	12.9	83 737	14.9	86 590	3.4	11 241	-14.3
ACP	17 567	14.0	18 619	6.0	20 449	9.8	22 499	10.0	2 894	-7.5

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

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Main partners	1995		1996		1997		1998		Jan-Feb 1999	
	Value	95/94	Value	96/95	Value	97/96	Value	98/97	Value	99/98
North America	113 858	-0.6	125 422	10.2	155 737	24.2	175 240	12.5	26 246	-1.1
<i>of which</i> USA	103 299	-0.4	114 418	10.8	141 324	23.5	160 052	13.3	24 050	-0.4
Canada	10 337	-2.3	10 697	3.5	14 106	31.9	14 851	5.3	2 159	-8.2
Central America and West Ind.	13 278	-11.9	15 210	14.6	15 951	4.9	18 671	17.1	2 582	4.4
<i>of which</i> Mexico	4 511	-36.7	5 128	13.7	7 430	44.9	9 227	24.2	1 352	7.8
Bermuda	772	26.3	1 058	37.0	1 083	2.3	656	-39.4	140	42.3
Guatemala	301	1.2	334	10.9	381	14.1	440	15.4	57	-25.4
Costa Rica	339	20.3	309	-9.1	392	27.1	463	17.9	57	-28.0
Panama	878	21.9	1 323	50.6	1 101	-16.8	1 378	25.1	136	-25.1
Cuba	712	22.8	791	11.1	928	17.4	1 145	23.3	147	-6.7
Bahamas	523	-3.6	808	54.7	593	-26.7	867	46.3	49	5.6
Guadeloupe	1 145	7.0	1 299	13.4	:	:	:	:	:	:
Martinique	1 122	10.3	1 168	4.1	:	:	:	:	:	:
Netherlands Antilles	403	-2.7	396	-1.6	480	21.1	507	5.7	83	-6.1
South America	27 053	22.5	28 679	6.0	33 997	18.5	35 467	4.3	4 118	-20.5
<i>of which</i> Colombia	1 816	-4.1	1 967	8.4	2 389	21.4	2 380	-0.4	234	-41.3
Venezuela	1 865	11.0	1 743	-6.5	2 393	37.3	2 974	24.3	345	-23.9
French Guiana	2 118	98.4	1 693	-20.0	:	:	:	:	:	:
Ecuador	629	15.0	546	-13.2	721	31.9	682	-5.4	81	-24.8
Peru	984	30.4	1 009	2.5	1 116	10.6	1 118	0.2	122	-30.7
Brazil	11 372	51.9	11 711	3.0	14 900	27.2	15 594	4.7	1 920	-7.4
Chile	2 391	16.0	2 732	14.3	3 446	26.1	3 291	-4.5	356	-36.4
Uruguay	642	-17.0	668	7.2	887	28.9	898	1.3	118	-19.9
Argentina	4 575	-12.7	5 834	27.5	7 318	25.4	7 619	4.1	841	-26.1
Near and Middle East	39 343	-0.8	43 070	9.5	51 197	18.9	49 279	-3.7	6 617	-13.5
<i>of which</i> Lebanon	2 471	7.7	2 713	9.8	3 094	14.1	2 807	-9.3	385	-4.2
Syria	1 378	-19.0	1 403	1.8	1 353	-3.5	1 527	12.9	173	-21.4
Iran	3 452	-15.2	3 868	12.0	4 911	27.0	4 392	-10.6	497	-26.1
Israel	9 661	2.7	10 414	7.8	11 505	10.5	10 854	-5.7	1 696	-6.6
Jordan	1 046	-4.7	1 189	13.7	1 199	0.8	1 130	-5.8	158	-10.6
Saudi Arabia	8 646	-7.2	10 337	19.6	13 176	27.5	11 985	-9.0	1 515	-13.3
Kuwait	2 424	26.6	2 195	-9.4	2 292	4.4	2 158	-5.8	273	-19.5
Bahrain	529	-13.8	879	66.2	667	-24.1	765	14.7	89	-18.0
Qatar	1 167	41.3	1 096	-6.1	2 118	93.3	1 497	-29.3	180	-30.5
United Arab Emirates	6 490	4.4	6 688	3.0	7 916	18.4	8 775	10.8	1 261	-11.9
Oman	1 299	-6.3	1 137	-12.5	1 308	15.1	1 426	9.0	144	-30.3
Other countries of Asia	137 127	13.5	148 738	8.5	163 043	9.6	133 040	-18.4	18 742	-12.3
<i>of which</i> Kazakhstan	447	-39.7	562	25.7	1 394	148.0	1 250	-10.3	186	60.0
Uzbekistan	420	4.6	699	66.4	762	9.0	587	-23.0	39	-59.6
Pakistan	2 045	-6.2	2 139	4.6	2 054	-4.0	1 579	-23.1	224	-11.1
India	9 439	26.4	9 910	5.0	10 247	3.4	9 541	-6.9	1 358	-7.5
Bangladesh	495	5.5	597	20.6	670	12.1	562	-16.0	76	-2.0
Sri Lanka	720	-14.3	676	-6.1	884	30.9	794	-10.2	99	-23.4
China	14 689	4.8	14 722	0.2	16 481	11.9	17 364	5.4	2 490	15.5
Indonesia	5 854	24.4	7 005	19.7	8 280	18.2	3 902	-52.9	385	-41.5
Philippines	2 290	8.7	3 239	41.4	5 095	57.3	3 089	-39.4	404	-48.4
Thailand	8 490	27.1	8 475	-0.2	7 803	-7.9	5 213	-33.2	665	-13.3
Vietnam	750	15.5	1 295	72.7	1 158	-10.6	1 056	-8.8	132	-17.8
Malaysia	7 938	24.8	7 542	-5.0	8 763	16.2	5 447	-37.8	810	-20.9
Brunei	624	-21.6	1 058	69.4	1 064	0.6	695	-34.7	18	-90.6
Singapore	10 901	12.0	12 269	12.5	13 519	10.2	10 897	-19.4	1 534	-10.9
South Korea	12 330	12.9	14 341	16.3	14 475	0.9	9 110	-37.1	1 449	10.3
Japan	32 889	13.1	35 666	8.4	36 088	1.2	31 428	-12.9	4 949	-5.6
Taiwan	10 111	15.8	9 947	-1.6	12 654	27.2	12 066	-4.6	1 600	-22.5
Hong Kong	15 793	13.5	17 455	10.5	20 440	17.1	17 278	-15.5	2 118	-28.8
Oceania and polar regions	13 494	10.6	14 462	7.2	16 360	13.1	15 856	-3.1	2 182	-14.1
Australia	10 493	8.6	11 514	9.7	13 130	14.0	12 921	-1.6	1 787	-12.8
New Zealand	1 773	8.5	1 888	6.5	1 965	4.1	1 765	-10.2	244	-24.4
New Caledonia and dep.	389	5.8	412	5.8	462	12.1	458	-0.7	66	-5.9
NAFTA	118 147	-2.7	130 243	10.2	162 860	25.0	184 131	13.1	27 561	-0.7
Latin America	32 390	5.2	35 537	9.7	45 146	27.0	48 535	7.5	5 924	-14.8
MERCOSUR	16 870	22.6	18 555	10.0	23 466	26.5	24 453	4.2	2 926	-14.1
OPEC	39 702	2.4	42 891	8.0	52 252	21.8	47 793	-8.5	6 043	-17.2
DAE	65 564	16.4	70 029	6.8	77 654	10.9	60 011	-22.7	8 176	-17.1

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Main partners	1995		1996		1997		1998		Jan-Feb 1999	
	Value	95/94	Value	96/95	Value	97/96	Value	98/97	Value	99/98
Extra EU-15	545 130	5.1	581 501	6.7	672 356	15.6	709 415	5.5	109 565	-6.1
Europe excluding EU-15	152 190	9.8	162 030	6.5	183 812	13.4	192 963	5.0	29 114	-5.5
<i>of which</i>										
Iceland	920	0.8	974	5.9	1 058	8.6	1 221	15.4	179	16.7
Norway	25 495	7.8	30 614	20.1	33 615	9.8	29 042	-13.6	3 930	-30.7
Switzerland	43 211	3.4	42 672	-1.2	45 117	5.7	49 252	9.2	7 714	3.4
Liechtenstein	268	:	448	67.3	578	28.9	634	9.7	105	21.5
Andorra	33	-6.3	28	-14.1	41	44.3	43	5.0	6	-0.6
Gibraltar	60	-4.4	65	8.5	66	1.5	41	-37.0	8	12.1
Malta	1 077	4.8	797	-26.0	701	-12.0	763	8.7	117	-9.3
Turkey	9 244	17.2	10 191	10.2	11 869	16.5	13 588	14.5	2 072	-4.8
Estonia	889	49.6	1 089	22.5	1 503	38.1	1 757	16.9	252	-0.3
Latvia	1 126	17.9	1 125	-0.1	1 281	13.9	1 386	8.2	200	-17.5
Lithuania	970	15.0	1 087	12.1	1 314	20.8	1 410	7.3	235	11.0
Poland	12 252	21.0	12 252	0.0	14 226	16.1	16 118	13.3	2 624	7.0
Czech Republic	8 996	21.9	9 755	8.4	11 754	20.5	14 665	24.8	2 243	6.5
Slovakia	3 089	38.0	3 421	10.7	3 982	16.4	5 362	34.6	873	23.1
Hungary	7 610	25.6	8 827	16.0	11 663	32.1	14 475	24.1	2 395	19.0
Romania	3 390	21.3	3 597	6.1	4 427	23.1	5 123	15.7	765	4.3
Bulgaria	1 836	29.4	1 710	-6.9	2 088	22.1	2 233	6.9	310	-10.9
Albania	151	19.9	198	30.7	191	-3.5	216	13.0	37	8.6
Ukraine	1 544	12.9	1 462	-5.3	1 885	28.9	2 230	18.3	356	-16.6
Belarus	562	26.9	417	-25.8	436	4.6	462	6.1	75	8.3
Russia	21 491	-0.0	23 299	8.4	27 041	16.1	23 054	-14.7	3 151	-21.6
Slovenia	4 244	11.8	4 270	0.6	4 668	9.3	5 224	11.9	788	1.6
Croatia	1 893	-1.5	1 742	-8.0	1 777	2.0	1 809	1.8	272	-7.5
Form.Yug.Rep.Maced	664	-2.8	426	-35.9	491	15.3	591	20.4	85	-7.9
Cyprus	737	16.8	554	-23.4	372	-34.0	427	14.8	68	-4.4
Africa	46 894	-1.3	52 496	11.9	56 740	8.1	52 834	-6.9	7 454	-22.2
<i>of which</i>										
North Africa	21 301	-8.9	24 278	14.0	27 372	12.7	24 426	-10.8	3 517	-23.3
<i>of which</i>										
Canary Islands	1 086	-19.2	1 103	1.6	:	:	:	:	:	:
Ceuta and Melilla	12	-75.0	8	-32.1	0	-99.9	10	:	:	:
Morocco	4 017	5.9	4 237	5.5	4 750	12.1	5 320	12.0	859	-4.5
Algeria	4 844	-21.3	5 449	12.5	8 361	53.4	6 745	-19.3	990	-26.8
Tunisia	3 352	9.0	3 637	8.5	4 016	10.4	4 286	6.7	701	8.7
Libya	5 799	-5.1	7 069	21.9	7 612	7.7	5 659	-25.7	627	-39.4
Egypt	2 190	-23.4	2 774	26.7	2 634	-5.1	2 407	-8.6	341	-47.8
Sudan	172	-4.5	170	-1.1	234	37.7	240	2.4	26	-48.9
Mauritania	257	9.3	265	2.9	317	19.9	319	0.6	37	-17.4
Senegal	370	29.1	337	-8.7	349	3.5	418	19.8	41	-35.4
Guinea	310	-3.3	351	13.3	378	7.5	433	14.8	49	-33.4
Liberia	637	72.3	578	-9.3	432	-25.3	423	-2.1	55	-14.4
Ivory Coast	2 068	17.6	2 099	1.5	1 990	-5.2	2 270	14.1	381	4.8
Ghana	839	5.9	881	5.0	940	6.7	1 211	28.8	142	-26.8
Nigeria	3 443	-19.9	5 032	46.2	4 544	-9.7	2 874	-36.7	354	-59.4
Cameroon	1 175	4.1	1 203	2.4	1 537	27.8	1 423	-7.4	190	-35.1
Gabon	799	-7.0	851	6.5	947	11.3	835	-11.9	50	-65.1
Congo	718	27.2	890	23.9	715	-19.6	388	-45.7	53	-1.5
Zaire	842	10.2	850	1.0	733	-13.8	780	6.5	111	-4.0
Angola	561	-0.9	666	18.7	606	-9.0	588	-3.1	89	-5.5
Ethiopia	230	52.0	251	9.1	260	3.6	280	7.8	19	-64.5
Kenya	647	2.2	745	15.1	821	10.3	771	-6.2	118	-2.0
Uganda	356	49.6	376	5.5	365	-3.0	272	-25.5	50	18.3
Tanzania	202	4.2	208	3.0	246	17.9	250	1.7	51	15.8
Madagascar	346	10.3	366	5.7	415	13.5	475	14.4	77	7.4
Réunion	123	1.7	135	9.7	:	:	:	:	:	:
Mauritius	1 020	23.7	1 072	5.1	1 081	0.8	1 099	1.7	162	-18.3
Zimbabwe	639	10.2	724	13.3	825	14.0	695	-15.8	112	-19.4
South Africa	7 752	11.7	8 227	6.1	9 087	10.5	9 724	7.0	1 399	-8.2
Namibia	370	-12.7	291	-21.5	325	11.8	382	17.5	72	20.3
EFTA	69 894	5.3	74 709	6.9	80 369	7.6	80 149	-0.3	11 928	-10.8
OECD, excluding EU-15	258 382	3.0	281 269	8.9	353 151	25.6	351 804	-0.4	54 485	-4.9
CEEC	47 164	21.1	50 054	6.1	60 556	21.0	71 688	18.4	11 248	7.5
CIS	24 930	1.4	26 597	6.7	31 830	19.7	27 840	-12.5	3 954	-18.4
Mediterranean Basin	44 978	1.5	49 585	10.2	57 320	15.6	57 075	-0.4	8 478	-14.4
ACP	19 893	4.0	22 159	11.4	23 047	4.0	21 331	-7.4	2 929	-24.2

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North America	115 561	5.0	124 503	7.7	150 660	21.0	163 689	8.6	26 029	-4.5
of which USA	103 643	3.7	112 784	8.8	137 901	22.3	150 780	9.3	24 036	-4.2
Canada	11 706	19.0	11 480	-1.9	12 536	9.2	12 720	1.5	1 970	-8.5
Central America and West Ind.	8 694	14.7	9 573	10.1	10 917	14.0	10 498	-3.8	1 521	-1.3
of which Mexico	3 208	18.0	3 169	-1.2	3 810	20.2	4 004	5.1	618	-2.9
Bermuda	780	71.2	935	19.9	1 023	9.4	437	-57.3	123	57.5
Guatemala	370	30.0	344	-7.2	457	33.0	419	-8.4	48	-33.7
Costa Rica	813	-0.7	814	0.1	881	8.3	1 223	38.8	226	48.2
Panama	384	10.0	424	10.5	439	3.5	338	-23.1	46	-18.3
Cuba	343	6.1	399	16.6	454	13.7	433	-4.7	53	-18.5
Bahamas	232	-1.4	245	5.4	321	31.3	322	0.2	38	14.1
Guadeloupe	90	-23.2	86	-4.2	:	:	:	:	:	:
Martinique	127	-10.0	176	38.3	:	:	:	:	:	:
Netherlands Antilles	326	36.6	391	20.0	311	-20.4	253	-18.8	31	3.3
South America	24 824	4.6	24 650	-0.7	27 893	13.2	28 180	1.0	3 963	-6.1
of which Colombia	2 247	4.7	2 189	-2.6	2 534	15.8	2 460	-2.9	339	-27.5
Venezuela	1 622	18.2	1 533	-5.5	1 757	14.6	1 444	-17.8	246	5.3
French Guiana	107	64.3	134	25.3	:	:	:	:	:	:
Ecuador	818	4.6	881	7.7	945	7.3	881	-6.8	148	8.6
Peru	1 316	1.5	1 307	-0.7	1 438	10.1	1 152	-19.9	234	7.4
Brazil	10 819	-0.9	10 443	-3.5	12 581	20.5	13 171	4.7	1 680	-10.5
Chile	3 175	24.9	3 167	-0.3	3 467	9.5	3 486	0.5	551	8.4
Uruguay	344	-7.9	406	17.9	495	22.0	447	-9.6	56	-18.3
Argentina	3 705	3.0	3 898	5.2	3 843	-1.4	4 152	8.0	610	1.6
Near and Middle East	23 663	-2.3	26 791	13.2	30 052	12.2	26 506	-11.8	3 560	-24.9
of which Lebanon	110	21.0	123	11.0	153	24.9	154	0.4	23	-5.8
Syria	1 735	7.7	2 025	16.8	2 025	-0.0	1 471	-27.4	174	-30.2
Iran	5 441	-2.1	5 998	10.2	5 186	-13.5	3 925	-24.3	484	-31.8
Israel	4 658	9.0	5 283	13.4	6 269	18.7	6 883	9.8	1 123	-9.2
Jordan	135	-10.5	171	26.3	174	1.8	159	-8.4	25	16.9
Saudi Arabia	8 847	-4.4	10 124	14.4	10 916	7.8	7 756	-29.0	880	-42.1
Kuwait	1 367	-19.9	1 519	11.1	1 480	-2.6	1 250	-15.6	163	-22.2
Bahrain	136	19.3	95	-30.2	215	126.8	267	24.2	39	-31.2
Qatar	113	-11.7	117	4.1	235	100.7	288	22.3	47	-52.5
United Arab Emirates	851	-4.6	950	11.7	1 480	55.7	1 608	8.6	223	-24.6
Oman	117	-29.0	172	46.8	181	5.0	215	18.8	16	-46.2
Other countries of Asia	159 018	5.5	167 715	5.5	199 168	18.8	220 137	10.5	35 522	-2.3
of which Kazakhstan	359	21.4	515	43.2	1 442	180.3	934	-35.2	210	55.4
Uzbekistan	500	-5.7	519	3.8	541	4.3	465	-14.0	54	-34.8
Pakistan	1 978	-1.7	2 075	4.9	2 283	10.0	2 297	0.6	343	-15.8
India	7 794	7.8	8 597	10.3	9 484	10.3	9 793	3.3	1 585	-7.3
Bangladesh	1 260	11.6	1 474	17.0	1 772	20.2	1 952	10.1	326	-2.4
Sri Lanka	930	-0.1	994	6.9	1 145	15.2	1 188	3.8	190	-3.7
China	26 340	7.0	30 000	13.9	37 487	25.0	41 766	11.4	7 035	-0.8
Indonesia	6 108	1.2	7 141	16.9	8 329	16.6	8 905	6.9	1 295	-14.7
Philippines	2 419	8.4	3 349	38.4	4 374	30.6	5 708	30.5	763	-5.7
Thailand	6 623	-0.3	7 482	13.0	8 615	15.1	9 278	7.7	1 390	-12.2
Vietnam	1 151	28.1	1 439	25.1	2 246	56.1	2 595	15.5	534	8.6
Malaysia	9 153	15.1	9 432	3.1	10 798	14.5	11 880	10.0	2 055	11.1
Brunei	263	-16.4	416	58.2	544	30.9	299	-45.1	2	-96.6
Singapore	8 759	7.1	9 257	5.7	11 502	24.3	12 327	7.2	1 911	-10.7
South Korea	10 924	20.0	11 145	2.0	13 124	17.8	15 622	19.0	2 723	5.0
Japan	54 284	1.0	52 507	-3.3	59 803	13.9	65 523	9.6	10 339	1.4
Taiwan	11 751	14.2	12 917	9.9	15 697	21.5	18 130	15.5	2 940	-6.0
Hong Kong	7 152	0.6	7 173	0.3	8 371	16.7	9 674	15.6	1 505	-9.9
Oceania and polar regions	7 454	3.8	7 844	5.2	9 102	16.0	10 543	15.8	1 345	-16.7
Australia	4 970	1.8	5 233	5.3	6 263	19.7	7 592	21.2	919	-24.0
New Zealand	1 696	3.7	1 886	11.2	2 072	9.9	2 197	6.1	277	-3.4
New Caledonia and dep.	189	11.8	185	-1.7	189	1.7	147	-22.0	17	-47.9
NAFTA	118 557	5.4	127 433	7.5	154 247	21.0	167 503	8.6	26 625	-4.5
Latin America	30 428	6.2	30 277	-0.5	34 638	14.4	34 972	1.0	4 967	-5.9
MERCOSUR	15 032	-0.2	14 891	-0.9	17 103	14.9	18 056	5.6	2 353	-7.9
OPEC	39 235	-7.4	45 784	16.7	52 233	14.1	43 546	-16.6	5 691	-30.8
DAE	54 361	10.3	57 406	5.6	68 108	18.6	76 912	12.9	12 524	-3.4

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TRADE BALANCE

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Main partners	1995	1996	1997	1998	Jan-Feb 1999
Extra EU-15	27 709	43 615	48 377	20 194	-8 490
Europe excluding EU-15	14 231	27 832	40 142	42 925	3 005
<i>of which</i> Iceland	-127	-56	78	11	-11
Norway	-8 174	-10 921	-10 293	-4 144	-374
Switzerland	7 808	8 710	7 873	7 659	1 374
Liechtenstein	180	86	-27	80	-19
Andorra	689	659	808	790	105
Gibraltar	341	577	621	434	42
Malta	938	1 070	1 297	1 208	140
Turkey	4 146	8 052	10 488	8 484	513
Estonia	459	608	884	931	70
Latvia	-187	-16	254	421	-4
Lithuania	46	373	841	967	50
Poland	3 045	7 605	10 839	11 953	1 463
Czech Republic	2 657	4 220	4 095	2 452	245
Slovakia	105	577	834	311	-110
Hungary	1 119	1 174	1 923	2 274	212
Romania	404	848	586	1 152	-8
Bulgaria	217	-10	-242	194	28
Albania	367	546	373	339	38
Ukraine	705	1 163	1 548	1 287	-43
Belarus	324	500	797	707	59
Russia	-5 363	-4 205	-1 494	-2 044	-1 516
Slovenia	933	1 107	1 650	1 501	156
Croatia	1 843	2 148	3 007	2 579	244
Form. Yug. Rep. Maced	216	381	357	291	33
Cyprus	1 277	1 373	1 576	1 679	194
Africa	4 687	1 216	-4 680	5 409	0
<i>of which</i> North Africa	4 681	2 715	-2 858	3 962	192
<i>of which</i> Canary Islands	3 397	4 023	:	:	:
Ceuta and Melilla	584	510	26	646	:
Morocco	710	465	579	1 227	-33
Algeria	-118	-1 386	-4 008	-1 573	-265
Tunisia	803	706	1 269	1 482	138
Libya	-3 520	-4 559	-4 842	-2 952	-327
Egypt	2 826	2 955	4 118	5 132	679
Sudan	108	122	126	283	53
Mauritania	-24	2	-40	-36	-1
Senegal	345	457	532	567	103
Guinea	-40	-70	-63	-118	8
Liberia	603	-124	105	1 520	22
Ivory Coast	-881	-916	-706	-807	-165
Ghana	-95	92	169	-70	2
Nigeria	-1 389	-2 659	-1 833	-77	54
Cameroon	-611	-565	-805	-562	-77
Gabon	-79	120	191	119	28
Congo	-240	34	-295	51	-9
Zaire	-484	-477	-439	-498	-90
Angola	238	111	449	393	35
Ethiopia	239	199	228	160	45
Kenya	210	131	87	93	12
Uganda	-174	-201	-183	-75	-27
Tanzania	114	98	156	63	-6
Madagascar	-98	-105	-95	-109	-32
Réunion	1 359	1 455	:	:	:
Mauritius	-370	-485	-428	-555	-89
Zimbabwe	-268	-309	-386	-325	-49
South Africa	935	626	652	696	-148
Namibia	-232	-161	-136	-230	-44
EFTA	-312	-2 179	-2 369	3 606	970
OECD, excluding EU-15	-12 541	2 277	16 112	2 031	-1 892
CEEC	11 517	20 773	26 740	26 684	2 551
CIS	-4 117	-1 730	1 711	1 036	-1 525
Mediterranean Basin	19 561	23 311	26 416	29 515	2 763
ACP	-2 326	-3 540	-2 598	1 168	-35

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YEARLY TRENDS IN EU TRADE BY PARTNER COUNTRY

TRADE BALANCE

Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Main partners	1995	1996	1997	1998	Jan-Feb 1999
North America	-1 703	919	5 077	11 551	217
<i>of which</i> USA	-344	1 634	3 423	9 272	14
Canada	-1 368	-782	1 570	2 131	188
Central America and West Ind.	4 584	5 637	5 034	8 174	1 061
<i>of which</i> Mexico	1 303	1 959	3 620	5 224	733
Bermuda	-8	122	59	219	16
Guatemala	-69	-9	-76	22	9
Costa Rica	-473	-505	-489	-760	-169
Panama	495	899	662	1 040	90
Cuba	369	391	474	712	94
Bahamas	291	564	272	546	11
Guadeloupe	1 055	1 213	:	:	:
Martinique	995	992	:	:	:
Netherlands Antilles	77	6	169	255	52
South America	2 229	4 029	6 104	7 287	155
<i>of which</i> Colombia	-431	-222	-145	-81	-105
Venezuela	243	209	635	1 530	99
French Guiana	2 011	1 559	:	:	:
Ecuador	-189	-335	-224	-199	-67
Peru	-332	-298	-322	-33	-112
Brazil	553	1 269	2 319	2 423	240
Chile	-784	-435	-22	-194	-195
Uruguay	298	283	392	451	62
Argentina	870	1 935	3 474	3 466	231
Near and Middle East	15 679	16 279	21 145	22 773	3 056
<i>of which</i> Lebanon	2 360	2 590	2 941	2 653	361
Syria	-357	-623	-672	56	-1
Iran	-1 989	-2 130	-275	467	13
Israel	5 003	5 131	5 236	3 971	573
Jordan	910	1 018	1 025	970	132
Saudi Arabia	-201	213	2 260	4 229	635
Kuwait	1 057	676	811	908	109
Bahrain	393	784	452	497	49
Qatar	1 054	979	1 883	1 209	133
United Arab Emirates	5 639	5 737	6 436	7 167	1 038
Oman	1 182	965	1 127	1 211	128
Other countries of Asia	-21 892	-18 977	-36 125	-87 098	-16 780
<i>of which</i> Kazakhstan	88	47	-48	316	-24
Uzbekistan	-79	180	221	121	-15
Pakistan	66	64	-229	-718	-119
India	1 645	1 312	763	-251	-227
Bangladesh	-765	-877	-1 102	-1 389	-250
Sri Lanka	-210	-318	-260	-394	-91
China	-11 650	-15 278	-21 006	-24 403	-4 545
Indonesia	-254	-136	-49	-5 004	-910
Philippines	-129	-110	721	-2 619	-359
Thailand	1 867	993	-812	-4 065	-725
Vietnam	-401	-144	-1 088	-1 539	-402
Malaysia	-1 215	-1 891	-2 035	-6 433	-1 245
Brunei	362	642	520	396	16
Singapore	2 142	3 012	2 017	-1 429	-378
South Korea	1 406	3 197	1 351	-6 512	-1 274
Japan	-21 395	-16 841	-23 715	-34 096	-5 390
Taiwan	-1 640	-2 971	-3 044	-6 064	-1 339
Hong Kong	8 641	10 282	12 069	7 604	612
Oceania and polar regions	6 041	6 618	7 258	5 313	837
Australia	5 523	6 282	6 867	5 328	868
New Zealand	77	2	-107	-433	-33
New Caledonia and dep.	200	226	273	311	49
NAFTA	-410	2 810	8 614	16 627	936
Latin America	1 962	5 260	10 508	13 563	957
MERCOSUR	1 838	3 663	6 363	6 397	573
OPEC	468	-2 894	19	4 246	352
DAE	11 202	12 623	9 546	-16 900	-4 348

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

TRADE BALANCE

Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Main partners	1998											1999	
	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb
North America	-69	-591	983	535	1 340	3 444	518	1 224	2 410	1 294	1 125	-410	627
<i>of which</i> USA	-247	-905	693	82	1 098	3 266	326	1 030	2 328	1 197	1 098	-328	342
Canada	166	307	278	431	240	160	178	179	59	77	25	-85	274
Central America and West Ind.	546	579	535	601	1 089	835	904	376	805	691	825	479	582
<i>of which</i> Mexico	381	516	482	477	475	523	436	419	469	401	410	308	425
Bermuda	8	6	-16	12	36	35	56	10	22	29	9	22	-6
Guatemala	5	-9	-6	-2	0	1	-2	2	6	13	15	5	4
Costa Rica	-39	-55	-63	-67	-45	-36	-44	-113	-57	-134	-72	-85	-85
Panama	64	77	81	75	67	51	341	43	64	49	67	52	38
Cuba	63	41	50	73	59	91	44	44	74	66	78	43	51
Bahamas	10	-11	0	11	437	54	-1	8	11	20	3	27	-15
Guadeloupe	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Martinique	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Netherlands Antilles	41	26	24	21	15	15	18	17	18	19	24	15	37
South America	595	722	520	421	321	1 084	505	495	707	694	857	-50	205
<i>of which</i> Colombia	-50	-16	22	30	-7	51	-0	-18	3	-38	-36	-62	-42
Venezuela	138	176	174	119	141	183	109	113	77	73	145	10	89
French Guiana	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Ecuador	-12	-3	-22	-17	-16	-7	-12	-36	-19	-14	-25	-29	-38
Peru	4	29	9	18	24	8	-27	-18	-15	-21	3	-62	-49
Brazil	149	161	61	-0	-79	420	247	199	285	491	441	68	172
Chile	28	-60	-109	-82	-61	57	18	-29	17	-30	34	-87	-108
Uruguay	51	43	33	37	26	44	26	32	45	46	39	26	36
Argentina	273	380	339	327	315	381	175	261	298	206	247	91	139
Near and Middle East	1 458	2 351	1 837	1 672	1 794	2 509	1 464	1 749	2 142	1 966	2 383	1 246	1 810
<i>of which</i> Lebanon	213	257	217	218	217	246	182	227	256	239	216	174	188
Syria	6	10	-10	-40	8	4	5	-13	28	26	66	-4	4
Iran	-69	61	110	61	19	168	-12	-8	-36	34	106	8	5
Israel	321	338	338	307	313	495	304	344	342	268	344	182	391
Jordan	79	84	89	88	70	90	73	73	82	76	91	53	80
Saudi Arabia	177	653	283	273	260	497	260	331	490	392	564	258	377
Kuwait	49	44	75	68	52	114	56	59	118	110	83	33	76
Bahrain	32	24	41	37	41	48	44	56	51	53	52	19	30
Qatar	83	147	143	87	104	147	78	87	77	66	114	42	90
United Arab Emirates	549	636	547	590	592	682	491	545	694	602	652	491	547
Oman	94	105	84	96	121	121	92	83	114	86	131	67	61
Other countries of Asia	-6 471	-6 927	-6 896	-6 058	-6 702	-6 005	-6 939	-9 085	-9 061	-8 549	-5 883	-8 986	-7 794
<i>of which</i> Kazakhstan	-5	-5	-2	78	6	76	156	-1	60	-49	16	-28	4
Uzbekistan	8	0	12	17	44	6	14	-4	7	0	11	-10	-5
Pakistan	-76	-65	-56	-63	-53	-46	-53	-86	-47	-50	-44	-80	-39
India	-43	-88	-47	17	71	180	-152	-73	-86	-6	175	-107	-120
Bangladesh	-139	-133	-98	-94	-104	-124	-136	-162	-113	-90	-79	-119	-131
Sri Lanka	-32	-45	-25	-12	-31	-5	-52	-60	-29	-29	-38	-49	-42
China	-2 209	-1 617	-1 697	-1 758	-1 788	-1 992	-1 934	-2 702	-2 441	-2 011	-1 525	-2 402	-2 144
Indonesia	-445	-462	-372	-195	-520	-424	-492	-422	-546	-309	-402	-485	-424
Philippines	-13	-209	-122	-129	-144	-186	-184	-376	-487	-523	-233	-202	-157
Thailand	-354	-381	-328	-343	-465	-363	-312	-374	-409	-390	117	-412	-313
Vietnam	-177	-160	-126	-103	-114	-154	-163	-150	-84	-86	-69	-173	-229
Malaysia	-361	-468	-410	-443	-548	-526	-545	-777	-693	-677	-521	-638	-607
Brunei	94	49	28	44	16	8	26	-38	13	118	11	8	8
Singapore	-191	-321	-82	-94	-85	32	41	-19	-217	-222	-42	-329	-49
South Korea	-580	-449	-546	-433	-338	-541	-562	-636	-636	-568	-524	-761	-513
Japan	-2 266	-3 029	-3 324	-2 894	-3 109	-2 369	-2 553	-2 931	-3 049	-3 266	-2 625	-2 592	-2 798
Taiwan	-515	-576	-486	-388	-378	-231	-393	-472	-678	-783	-616	-756	-583
Hong Kong	901	1 054	772	751	882	714	437	276	423	420	571	248	364
Oceania and polar regions	489	543	407	252	442	418	453	496	410	444	523	300	537
Australia	422	531	450	345	485	447	437	512	405	401	472	347	522
New Zealand	34	-52	-80	-99	-70	-70	-15	-54	-2	-17	-10	-31	-2
New Caledonia and dep.	17	30	24	16	27	35	24	23	32	36	27	23	26
NAFTA	300	-82	1 453	990	1 813	3 949	940	1 628	2 856	1 675	1 532	-105	1 041
Latin America	1 037	1 290	1 014	965	844	1 710	1 264	871	1 287	1 177	1 465	311	646
MERCOSUR	494	608	457	370	245	824	425	481	630	753	753	205	369
OPEC	-546	710	376	483	1 063	-189	266	493	770	1 105	-154	506	
DAE	-1 099	-1 141	-1 080	-950	-932	-915	-1 334	-2 002	-2 210	-2 220	-1 015	-2 648	-1 701

Extra-EU trade by product

MAIN EU TRADING PARTNERS BY MAIN PRODUCT

FOOD PRODUCTS

EXPORTS

IMPORTS

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

Partner	1998		Jan-Feb 1999		Partner	1998		Jan-Feb 1999	
	Value	%	Value	99/98		Value	%	Value	99/98
Fish, crustaceans, molluscs – SITC 03									
Extra EU-15	1 594	100.0	224	-13.2	Extra EU-15	10 465	100.0	1 343	-5.5
Japan	250	15.7	34	-16.5	Norway	1 942	18.6	269	-6.5
Switzerland	163	10.2	25	-5.9	Iceland	754	7.2	111	6.3
Ivory Coast	103	6.5	17	85.0	Morocco	378	3.6	58	2.5
USA	106	6.6	16	6.8	USA	433	4.1	52	-2.4
Hong Kong	48	3.0	14	28.8	Thailand	580	5.5	50	-34.5
China	49	3.1	12	65.0	Faroe Islands	303	2.9	49	3.6
Nigeria	68	4.3	10	16.6	Argentina	420	4.0	48	-14.2
Ecuador	3	0.2	8	↗	Russia	462	4.4	48	-15.4
Norway	56	3.5	8	-17.9	China	297	2.8	43	-11.4
Poland	73	4.6	7	-46.6	Canada	279	2.7	41	13.6
Total for all 10	920	57.7	152	7.0	Total for all 10	5 850	55.9	769	-6.5
Cereals and cereal preparations – SITC 04									
Extra EU-15	4 916	100.0	650	-22.9	Extra EU-15	1 897	100.0	285	-23.1
USA	488	9.9	62	3.7	USA	658	34.7	108	-31.4
Saudi Arabia	183	3.7	61	↗	Hungary	96	5.1	32	41.8
Algeria	223	4.5	33	205.6	Canada	251	13.2	26	-47.1
Japan	212	4.3	30	-18.6	Switzerland	132	6.9	20	6.1
Switzerland	191	3.9	29	3.4	India	93	4.9	19	37.6
Libya	199	4.0	24	-46.3	Argentina	192	10.1	15	-26.8
Morocco	175	3.6	22	-48.8	Thailand	96	5.0	14	1.2
Norway	150	3.0	21	-13.8	Turkey	36	1.9	6	-39.4
Cuba	134	2.7	19	-9.6	Croatia	5	0.3	3	15.5
China	41	0.8	15	136.5	Serbia+Montenegro	0	0.0	3	↗
Total for all 10	1 996	40.6	318	12.8	Total for all 10	1 559	82.2	246	-20.4
Vegetables and fruit – SITC 05									
Extra EU-15	4 618	100.0	691	-14.5	Extra EU-15	12 472	100.0	1 912	-6.4
USA	675	14.6	113	21.8	USA	1 382	11.1	228	-12.3
Switzerland	493	10.7	82	15.9	Turkey	1 416	11.4	206	-25.2
Poland	330	7.2	58	-11.5	Morocco	495	4.0	145	21.9
Japan	201	4.4	37	4.4	South Africa	796	6.4	117	-21.3
Czech Republic	211	4.6	36	-6.5	Brazil	773	6.2	93	-21.4
Russia	550	11.9	35	-78.0	Israel	420	3.4	90	-15.7
Norway	154	3.3	29	3.9	Thailand	414	3.3	85	1.6
Canada	131	2.8	21	9.3	Costa Rica	520	4.2	78	-12.5
Slovenia	80	1.7	16	6.3	China	421	3.4	75	1.9
Saudi Arabia	79	1.7	15	13.0	Ecuador	327	2.6	73	52.5
Total for all 10	2 906	62.9	442	-17.7	Total for all 10	6 964	55.8	1 191	-10.0
Beverages – SITC 11									
Extra EU-15	9 450	100.0	1 269	-0.8	Extra EU-15	2 129	100.0	301	8.4
USA	3 436	36.4	511	21.4	USA	489	23.0	69	19.7
Japan	1 317	13.9	145	-32.1	Australia	348	16.3	50	26.1
Switzerland	684	7.2	115	10.1	Chile	170	8.0	29	30.6
Canada	463	4.9	55	-0.7	South Africa	169	7.9	24	6.4
South Korea	72	0.8	32	255.0	Bahamas	119	5.6	19	3.5
Australia	173	1.8	26	18.4	Bulgaria	66	3.1	13	31.1
Taiwan	153	1.6	24	4.2	Trinidad and Tobago	118	5.5	12	-16.0
Singapore	147	1.6	22	-3.0	Switzerland	59	2.8	8	1.8
Hong Kong	207	2.2	21	-4.8	Argentina	43	2.0	7	-10.1
Norway	136	1.4	17	8.8	Hungary	55	2.6	7	-21.2
Total for all 10	6 789	71.8	967	6.5	Total for all 10	1 635	76.8	238	13.9

RAW MATERIALS

EXPORTS

IMPORTS

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

Partner	1998		Jan-Feb 1999		Partner	1998		Jan-Feb 1999	
	Value	%	Value	99/98		Value	%	Value	99/98

Cork and wood – SITC 24

EXPORTS					IMPORTS				
Partner	1998 Value	1998 %	1999 Value	1999 %	Partner	1998 Value	1998 %	1999 Value	1999 %
Extra EU-15	2 002	100.0	358	22.0	Extra EU-15	6 461	100.0	1 028	1.9
Japan	255	12.7	61	84.5	USA	856	13.3	128	-13.1
Norway	302	15.1	40	-21.2	Russia	729	11.3	125	32.4
Hong Kong	179	8.9	38	25.6	Latvia	480	7.4	77	12.3
China	83	4.2	29	152.7	Canada	414	6.4	64	-14.5
Switzerland	190	9.5	28	0.3	Cameroon	423	6.6	63	-2.2
Egypt	217	10.8	26	-15.7	Malaysia	301	4.7	51	-0.3
USA	99	4.9	17	45.7	Brazil	275	4.3	47	-10.2
Singapore	2	0.1	16	↗	Czech Republic	305	4.7	46	11.3
Taiwan	27	1.3	14	124.3	Ivory Coast	217	3.4	43	26.3
Algeria	88	4.4	13	10.2	Estonia	247	3.8	40	19.5
Total for all 10	1 441	72.0	282	31.6	Total for all 10	4 248	65.7	684	3.3

Pulp and waste paper – SITC 25

EXPORTS					IMPORTS				
Partner	1998 Value	1998 %	1999 Value	1999 %	Partner	1998 Value	1998 %	1999 Value	1999 %
Extra EU-15	673	100.0	120	22.9	Extra EU-15	3 850	100.0	532	-19.1
Switzerland	117	17.3	14	-32.5	Canada	1 186	30.8	164	-22.8
Indonesia	51	7.5	11	385.4	USA	1 142	29.7	152	-20.9
China	27	4.0	9	151.5	Brazil	358	9.3	55	5.7
Japan	52	7.8	8	-1.8	Chile	246	6.4	41	-5.2
Taiwan	27	3.9	8	196.5	Norway	214	5.6	29	-14.6
South Korea	13	1.9	7	515.1	Indonesia	114	3.0	14	-20.6
Poland	26	3.9	7	59.2	South Africa	69	1.8	10	3.0
Thailand	22	3.2	6	132.9	Russia	86	2.2	10	-23.6
Norway	44	6.5	6	-25.3	Switzerland	59	1.5	8	-20.7
Slovenia	35	5.2	6	23.2	Czech Republic	63	1.6	8	-11.0
Total for all 10	412	61.3	81	39.3	Total for all 10	3 537	91.9	491	-17.3

Textile fibres and their wastes – SITC 26

EXPORTS					IMPORTS				
Partner	1998 Value	1998 %	1999 Value	1999 %	Partner	1998 Value	1998 %	1999 Value	1999 %
Extra EU-15	1 560	100.0	213	-21.7	Extra EU-15	3 907	100.0	548	-30.7
USA	126	8.1	29	25.5	Australia	864	22.1	111	-44.8
Turkey	203	13.0	14	-64.0	China	285	7.3	53	-18.2
China	58	3.7	11	-0.5	Uzbekistan	341	8.7	43	-20.4
Poland	99	6.3	11	-43.5	USA	315	8.1	39	-38.8
Czech Republic	66	4.2	9	-37.1	New Zealand	195	5.0	28	-34.5
Tunisia	45	2.9	9	44.9	Turkey	119	3.1	23	-9.5
Japan	46	3.0	7	-18.2	South Africa	129	3.3	20	-25.0
Switzerland	47	3.0	7	-34.5	Japan	105	2.7	17	1.1
Kenya	49	3.1	6	-10.0	Egypt	64	1.6	13	29.3
Brazil	15	0.9	5	552.5	South Korea	75	1.9	12	-6.8
Total for all 10	752	48.2	107	-22.1	Total for all 10	2 493	63.8	358	-30.7

Metalliferous ores and metal scrap – SITC 28

EXPORTS					IMPORTS				
Partner	1998 Value	1998 %	1999 Value	1999 %	Partner	1998 Value	1998 %	1999 Value	1999 %
Extra EU-15	1 849	100.0	248	-24.0	Extra EU-15	11 378	100.0	1 502	-19.6
Japan	159	8.6	36	30.9	Brazil	1 399	12.3	195	-12.6
USA	233	12.6	27	-32.3	USA	1 140	10.0	138	-19.4
Norway	207	11.2	23	-33.8	Australia	1 015	8.9	131	-25.1
China	97	5.3	21	31.3	Russia	1 278	11.2	127	-28.0
Switzerland	99	5.4	15	-27.4	Canada	971	8.5	116	-40.3
Turkey	226	12.2	14	-73.0	Indonesia	422	3.7	95	29.4
India	102	5.5	12	-4.8	South Africa	643	5.7	77	-6.2
South Korea	31	1.7	11	458.9	Chile	416	3.7	72	1.4
Russia	71	3.9	10	-30.9	Jamaica	225	2.0	41	-18.5
Canada	81	4.4	8	-39.5	Switzerland	253	2.2	40	-5.5
Total for all 10	1 307	70.7	178	-24.5	Total for all 10	7 762	68.2	1 031	-18.0

FUEL PRODUCTS AND OTHER COMBUSTIBLES

EXPORTS

IMPORTS

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

Partner	1998		Jan-Feb 1999		Partner	1998		Jan-Feb 1999	
	Value	%	Value	99/98		Value	%	Value	99/98
Petroleum oils, crude – SITC 333									
Extra EU-15	1 728	100.0	204	-33.4	Extra EU-15	39 279	100.0	4 743	-40.3
USA	1 161	67.2	111	-44.1	Norway	9 235	23.5	1 066	-51.0
China	:	:	39	:	Russia	4 821	12.3	667	-26.0
Form.Yug.Rep.Maced	69	4.0	28	69.9	Saudi Arabia	5 689	14.5	630	-46.1
Poland	119	6.9	9	-72.9	Libya	4 529	11.5	482	-39.7
Canada	72	4.1	9	-59.9	Iraq	2 254	5.7	332	38.1
Norway	138	8.0	9	-73.0	Iran	3 068	7.8	331	-37.8
Czech Republic	0	:	0	:	Nigeria	2 241	5.7	234	-67.6
					Algeria	1 795	4.6	215	-45.8
					Syria	1 078	2.7	124	-30.9
					Kuwait	729	1.9	93	-38.4
Total for all 10	1 559	90.2	204	-32.8	Total for all 10	35 439	90.2	4 174	-42.5
Petroleum products – SITC 334+335									
Extra EU-15	10 254	100.0	1 086	-36.9	Extra EU-15	7 648	100.0	1 041	-35.5
USA	1 660	16.2	178	-29.5	Russia	1 834	24.0	314	-20.2
Switzerland	1 111	10.8	112	-49.4	Libya	802	10.5	108	-31.9
Norway	341	3.3	40	-29.8	Norway	665	8.7	87	-49.1
Malta	205	2.0	35	36.8	Algeria	665	8.7	80	-50.7
Poland	374	3.6	33	-51.2	USA	645	8.4	78	-48.9
Turkey	263	2.6	28	-20.3	Egypt	211	2.8	42	-6.6
Nigeria	124	1.2	26	106.5	Venezuela	75	1.0	30	214.5
Czech Republic	204	2.0	25	11.1	Latvia	231	3.0	20	-66.6
Tunisia	181	1.8	24	-9.7	Saudi Arabia	187	2.4	19	-44.5
Gibraltar	222	2.2	22	-50.3	Hungary	157	2.0	19	-20.9
Total for all 10	4 686	45.7	522	-31.6	Total for all 10	5 473	71.6	797	-34.2

CHEMICALS

EXPORTS

IMPORTS

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

Partner	1998		Jan–Feb 1999		Partner	1998		Jan–Feb 1999	
	Value	%	Value	99/98		Value	%	Value	99/98

Organic chemicals – SITC 51

Extra EU–15	19 853	100.0	3 611	0.5	Extra EU–15	15 352	100.0	2 521	-7.7
USA	7 283	36.7	1 706	17.1	USA	4 872	31.7	788	-15.8
Switzerland	2 213	11.1	356	6.7	Switzerland	2 928	19.1	512	11.1
Japan	1 586	8.0	261	-0.5	Japan	1 589	10.3	307	18.1
Brazil	746	3.8	100	-13.6	Singapore	787	5.1	166	38.4
Australia	384	1.9	82	-5.5	China	699	4.6	133	9.9
South Korea	374	1.9	72	4.3	India	428	2.8	68	-9.5
Canada	453	2.3	69	-22.1	Norway	327	2.1	53	-17.5
Turkey	451	2.3	68	-9.8	South Korea	305	2.0	42	-36.6
China	404	2.0	60	-14.2	Israel	255	1.7	40	-0.7
Mexico	379	1.9	47	-12.5	Russia	250	1.6	32	-27.3
Total for all 10	14 274	71.9	2 819	8.0	Total for all 10	12 440	81.0	2 142	-2.1

Medicinal and pharmaceutical products – SITC 54

Extra EU–15	25 965	100.0	3 960	-0.2	Extra EU–15	12 343	100.0	2 135	8.2
USA	6 712	25.9	1 091	29.1	USA	5 314	43.1	924	10.9
Switzerland	2 983	11.5	456	1.9	Switzerland	4 605	37.3	808	8.1
Japan	1 515	5.8	245	-4.8	Japan	659	5.3	108	2.9
Poland	812	3.1	157	7.1	China	401	3.2	57	-21.2
Canada	807	3.1	133	10.5	Israel	114	0.9	39	131.7
Australia	946	3.6	129	-6.4	Australia	149	1.2	26	13.0
Brazil	539	2.1	98	25.1	Norway	133	1.1	20	4.2
Turkey	500	1.9	91	10.0	Canada	121	1.0	19	22.8
Saudi Arabia	502	1.9	77	-15.3	Argentina	34	0.3	9	63.6
Norway	504	1.9	69	-16.7	India	49	0.4	7	-17.8
Total for all 10	15 821	60.9	2 544	11.2	Total for all 10	11 578	93.8	2 016	9.2

Fertilizers – SITC 56

Extra EU–15	685	100.0	126	14.7	Extra EU–15	1 736	100.0	378	-1.4
China	47	6.9	47	↗	Russia	264	15.2	59	-20.8
Japan	14	2.0	6	75.1	Norway	173	10.0	42	-3.1
Switzerland	26	3.8	5	21.8	Poland	184	10.6	41	19.0
Poland	22	3.2	4	-39.6	Morocco	154	8.9	33	14.1
Thailand	24	3.4	4	-25.4	Israel	169	9.7	31	-0.3
Malaysia	20	2.9	4	-15.6	Tunisia	165	9.5	29	-22.3
Brazil	21	3.0	3	5.6	Lithuania	144	8.3	23	-20.8
USA	29	4.2	3	-44.7	Ukraine	43	2.5	21	88.6
Togo	3	0.5	3	12.6	Czech Republic	53	3.1	10	-5.6
Norway	34	5.0	2	-42.2	Bulgaria	57	3.3	9	-44.1
Total for all 10	240	35.0	82	104.6	Total for all 10	1 407	81.1	298	-5.9

Plastics in primary forms – SITC 57

Extra EU–15	9 063	100.0	1 214	-19.5	Extra EU–15	6 086	100.0	849	-15.8
USA	1 121	12.4	159	-17.7	USA	1 936	31.8	265	-18.7
Switzerland	836	9.2	120	-12.8	Switzerland	663	10.9	97	-10.8
Turkey	706	7.8	74	-43.8	Japan	524	8.6	74	-11.1
Poland	557	6.1	73	-13.2	Norway	428	7.0	58	-22.4
Hong Kong	315	3.5	49	-12.2	South Korea	289	4.8	42	-5.8
Japan	251	2.8	39	-19.1	Saudi Arabia	238	3.9	34	-15.7
Czech Republic	252	2.8	36	-2.4	Hungary	225	3.7	29	-29.7
Norway	223	2.5	33	-12.7	Taiwan	144	2.4	24	16.4
Israel	244	2.7	32	-30.6	Czech Republic	166	2.7	22	-31.8
Hungary	218	2.4	31	-7.3	Poland	118	1.9	21	-10.2
Total for all 10	4 722	52.1	646	-19.7	Total for all 10	4 732	77.8	665	-16.2

MAIN EU TRADING PARTNERS BY MAIN PRODUCT

MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT

EXPORTS

IMPORTS

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

Partner	1998		Jan-Feb 1999		Partner	1998		Jan-Feb 1999	
	Value	%	Value	99/98		Value	%	Value	99/98

Power generating machinery and equipment – SITC 71

Partner	1998 Value	1998 %	Jan-Feb 1999 Value	Jan-Feb 1999 %	Partner	1998 Value	1998 %	Jan-Feb 1999 Value	Jan-Feb 1999 %
Extra EU-15	32 661	100.0	4 716	-4.4	Extra EU-15	23 326	100.0	3 676	1.2
USA	12 140	37.2	1 837	9.7	USA	11 743	50.3	1 867	-0.0
China	1 127	3.5	210	39.8	Japan	2 420	10.4	397	1.1
Canada	1 209	3.7	202	20.0	Hungary	2 394	10.3	391	20.9
Switzerland	1 000	3.1	183	3.5	Switzerland	1 028	4.4	152	0.4
United Arab Emirates	494	1.5	124	75.5	Canada	931	4.0	136	-0.6
Hungary	830	2.5	113	-28.7	China	428	1.8	93	30.2
Turkey	913	2.8	110	-26.7	Czech Republic	390	1.7	58	11.2
Norway	626	1.9	101	15.7	Mexico	298	1.3	47	-18.0
Brazil	870	2.7	98	-25.2	Brazil	355	1.5	43	-15.1
Poland	546	1.7	92	24.9	Saudi Arabia	260	1.1	40	21.5
Total for all 10	19 756	60.5	3 071	8.1	Total for all 10	20 247	86.8	3 224	2.8

Machinery specialized for particular industries – SITC 72

Partner	1998 Value	1998 %	Jan-Feb 1999 Value	Jan-Feb 1999 %	Partner	1998 Value	1998 %	Jan-Feb 1999 Value	Jan-Feb 1999 %
Extra EU-15	43 966	100.0	5 486	-17.5	Extra EU-15	13 227	100.0	2 024	2.9
USA	10 386	23.6	1 505	-7.7	USA	4 204	31.8	667	-6.7
Switzerland	1 792	4.1	255	0.9	Switzerland	2 880	21.8	415	4.0
Poland	1 815	4.1	253	-9.9	Japan	2 156	16.3	332	21.0
China	2 083	4.7	231	-15.0	Czech Republic	510	3.9	77	11.9
Brazil	1 428	3.2	158	-18.2	Norway	436	3.3	65	-7.9
Turkey	1 993	4.5	146	-53.9	Canada	374	2.8	58	-0.4
Canada	1 017	2.3	145	-10.5	Poland	259	2.0	48	30.3
Japan	1 157	2.6	144	-33.6	South Korea	241	1.8	45	19.9
Mexico	1 064	2.4	140	10.4	Hungary	258	2.0	39	12.9
Norway	1 157	2.6	137	-23.0	Taiwan	225	1.7	34	-19.3
Total for all 10	23 892	54.3	3 113	-14.2	Total for all 10	11 544	87.3	1 780	2.5

General industry machinery and equipment – SITC 74

Partner	1998 Value	1998 %	Jan-Feb 1999 Value	Jan-Feb 1999 %	Partner	1998 Value	1998 %	Jan-Feb 1999 Value	Jan-Feb 1999 %
Extra EU-15	47 150	100.0	6 259	-11.2	Extra EU-15	20 734	100.0	3 124	-1.9
USA	8 309	17.6	1 177	-4.7	USA	7 153	34.5	1 010	-15.9
Switzerland	2 655	5.6	373	-3.4	Japan	3 702	17.9	591	7.2
Norway	1 866	4.0	272	8.2	Switzerland	2 682	12.9	393	-0.3
Poland	2 183	4.6	268	-7.1	Czech Republic	859	4.1	138	20.1
China	1 676	3.6	249	-0.8	China	757	3.7	116	4.8
Brazil	1 443	3.1	193	4.7	Norway	476	2.3	78	-2.2
Czech Republic	1 318	2.8	182	2.4	Taiwan	424	2.0	68	-2.6
Japan	1 216	2.6	168	-22.5	South Korea	389	1.9	66	8.0
Mexico	762	1.6	167	56.4	Poland	393	1.9	64	15.9
Turkey	1 403	3.0	151	-27.5	South Africa	318	1.5	58	50.1
Total for all 10	22 831	48.4	3 200	-3.2	Total for all 10	17 153	82.7	2 584	-3.5

Telecommunication, sound, TV, video – SITC 76

Partner	1998 Value	1998 %	Jan-Feb 1999 Value	Jan-Feb 1999 %	Partner	1998 Value	1998 %	Jan-Feb 1999 Value	Jan-Feb 1999 %
Extra EU-15	27 849	100.0	3 978	-3.6	Extra EU-15	25 842	100.0	3 907	0.4
USA	3 091	11.1	496	7.3	USA	6 713	26.0	985	-10.0
China	2 530	9.1	342	77.9	Japan	4 524	17.5	677	4.7
Switzerland	1 295	4.6	229	12.5	China	2 854	11.0	405	-5.1
Hong Kong	1 538	5.5	187	-48.1	Hungary	1 301	5.0	224	20.4
Hungary	1 141	4.1	184	-3.1	South Korea	1 002	3.9	213	43.6
Poland	1 043	3.7	174	4.4	Malaysia	1 293	5.0	180	-8.2
Turkey	1 132	4.1	171	60.4	Taiwan	849	3.3	136	3.6
Norway	879	3.2	158	24.6	Singapore	762	2.9	135	44.6
Japan	646	2.3	154	48.7	Israel	728	2.8	105	-4.1
Brazil	690	2.5	121	20.1	Thailand	743	2.9	100	-9.8
Total for all 10	13 986	50.2	2 217	10.1	Total for all 10	20 768	80.4	3 161	0.5

MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT

EXPORTS

IMPORTS

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

Partner	1998		Jan–Feb 1999		Partner	1998		Jan–Feb 1999	
	Value	%	Value	99/98		Value	%	Value	99/98

Office machines and computers – SITC 75

Extra EU–15	20 945	100.0	3 309	6.3	Extra EU–15	52 214	100.0	8 923	1.4
USA	6 212	29.7	807	-16.7	USA	13 105	25.1	2 011	-12.6
Switzerland	2 293	10.9	513	57.3	Japan	8 726	16.7	1 466	-3.0
Norway	1 056	5.0	198	25.9	Taiwan	6 433	12.3	1 044	-0.0
Hungary	929	4.4	177	84.0	Malaysia	3 460	6.6	833	53.3
Japan	1 246	6.0	175	-14.3	Singapore	5 460	10.5	825	-16.9
South Africa	628	3.0	118	53.4	China	3 639	7.0	720	22.4
Poland	699	3.3	116	34.4	South Korea	2 683	5.1	503	3.0
Singapore	622	3.0	90	-12.0	Philippines	1 854	3.6	321	-5.3
Malaysia	192	0.9	75	175.1	Hungary	1 211	2.3	265	143.2
Russia	617	2.9	70	-49.6	Hong Kong	1 312	2.5	234	5.8
Total for all 10	14 495	69.2	2 339	7.1	Total for all 10	47 882	91.7	8 220	1.0

of which computer equipment – SITC 752

Extra EU–15	10 960	100.0	1 717	3.5	Extra EU–15	28 802	100.0	4 591	-5.5
Switzerland	1 676	15.3	374	59.4	USA	6 596	22.9	1 008	-7.4
USA	2 476	22.6	297	-26.4	Japan	4 944	17.2	756	-11.8
Norway	723	6.6	136	39.0	Singapore	4 115	14.3	599	-20.7
Japan	770	7.0	115	-11.2	Taiwan	3 581	12.4	511	-17.1
South Africa	389	3.5	82	80.0	China	2 068	7.2	432	39.4
Poland	465	4.2	80	33.1	South Korea	1 544	5.4	283	2.4
United Arab Emirates	231	2.1	53	180.5	Malaysia	1 320	4.6	262	4.2
Russia	405	3.7	51	-47.4	Hungary	833	2.9	186	152.1
Singapore	335	3.1	44	-26.3	Thailand	1 076	3.7	143	-21.3
Turkey	329	3.0	43	-24.0	Philippines	840	2.9	121	-8.1
Total for all 10	7 798	71.1	1 276	5.9	Total for all 10	26 918	93.5	4 301	-5.3

Electrical machinery – SITC 77

Extra EU–15	53 195	100.0	7 350	-10.6	Extra EU–15	53 573	100.0	8 005	-6.9
USA	9 761	18.3	1 396	-3.6	USA	12 218	22.8	1 784	-11.2
Switzerland	2 627	4.9	399	-2.8	Japan	9 139	17.1	1 364	-7.5
Singapore	2 249	4.2	337	-1.7	China	3 796	7.1	611	-4.4
Czech Republic	2 001	3.8	291	-2.7	Switzerland	2 916	5.4	451	-0.7
Hungary	1 768	3.3	287	10.7	South Korea	2 347	4.4	350	-23.2
Japan	1 711	3.2	278	5.8	Singapore	2 524	4.7	346	-13.4
Malaysia	1 566	2.9	273	2.5	Taiwan	2 330	4.3	316	-23.1
Poland	1 917	3.6	270	-1.3	Malaysia	2 265	4.2	316	-12.9
Hong Kong	1 856	3.5	244	-18.5	Hungary	1 701	3.2	260	5.3
Norway	1 330	2.5	216	8.3	Czech Republic	1 467	2.7	233	8.5
Total for all 10	26 785	50.4	3 991	-1.7	Total for all 10	40 703	76.0	6 030	-9.5

of which valves, transistors etc. – SITC 776

Extra EU–15	13 647	100.0	2 013	-7.5	Extra EU–15 (*)	19 589	100.0	2 804	-13.5
USA	2 768	20.3	363	-16.1	USA	4 479	22.9	654	-12.1
Singapore	1 445	10.6	229	11.0	Japan	3 551	18.1	474	-15.2
Malaysia	1 130	8.3	216	18.9	Malaysia	1 763	9.0	256	-5.2
Taiwan	1 053	7.7	139	-14.9	Singapore	1 933	9.9	252	-20.9
Philippines	568	4.2	107	52.3	South Korea	1 427	7.3	221	-31.6
Hong Kong	818	6.0	90	-27.0	Taiwan	957	4.9	115	-34.0
Japan	503	3.7	77	8.1	Philippines	694	3.5	111	17.7
Hungary	352	2.6	62	23.5	Hong Kong	424	2.2	62	-15.4
Malta	395	2.9	60	17.0	Morocco	340	1.7	54	11.7
South Korea	528	3.9	59	-59.3	Canada	430	2.2	50	-34.7
Total for all 10	9 560	70.0	1 403	-6.2	Total for all 10	15 999	81.7	2 249	-16.2

(*) For the period Jan–Feb 1999 the confidential trade exceeded 10% of the total extra EU–15 trade.

MAIN EU TRADING PARTNERS BY MAIN PRODUCT

TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT

EXPORTS

IMPORTS

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

Partner	1998		Jan-Feb 1999		Partner	1998		Jan-Feb 1999	
	Value	%	Value	99/98		Value	%	Value	99/98

Road vehicles – SITC 78

Extra EU-15	68 051	100.0	9 102	-14.7	Extra EU-15	36 634	100.0	6 210	16.7
USA	19 282	28.3	2 879	-1.6	Japan	15 599	42.6	2 546	8.2
Japan	4 542	6.7	803	-4.5	USA	4 829	13.2	807	9.6
Switzerland	4 599	6.8	727	5.0	South Korea	2 671	7.3	502	31.8
Poland	3 218	4.7	510	-9.5	Czech Republic	2 458	6.7	412	16.3
Hungary	2 591	3.8	459	38.4	Slovakia	1 603	4.4	295	162.2
Czech Republic	1 678	2.5	256	8.4	Poland	1 535	4.2	274	38.1
Norway	2 326	3.4	241	-30.1	Hungary	995	2.7	232	89.9
Mexico	1 217	1.8	198	12.1	Slovenia	1 013	2.8	146	21.1
Australia	1 492	2.2	191	-20.3	Taiwan	1 054	2.9	138	-47.9
Turkey	2 701	4.0	166	-59.1	Mexico	328	0.9	125	738.4
Total for all 10	43 647	64.1	6 432	-4.8	Total for all 10	32 086	87.6	5 475	17.6

of which passenger cars etc. – SITC 781

Extra EU-15	38 509	100.0	5 183	-16.2	Extra EU-15	21 267	100.0	3 695	29.5
USA	14 583	37.9	2 155	-0.9	Japan	10 373	48.8	1 628	9.4
Japan	3 790	9.8	685	-5.5	South Korea	2 403	11.3	466	41.6
Switzerland	3 293	8.6	531	5.3	USA	2 232	10.5	413	33.9
Poland	924	2.4	202	-1.2	Slovakia	1 332	6.3	249	252.8
Norway	1 429	3.7	132	-38.8	Czech Republic	1 473	6.9	239	8.8
Australia	1 014	2.6	129	-21.7	Poland	764	3.6	135	38.1
Canada	700	1.8	87	-21.3	Hungary	431	2.0	131	192.0
Hungary	644	1.7	80	-3.0	Slovenia	693	3.3	111	34.3
Czech Republic	486	1.3	75	5.8	Mexico	220	1.0	101	↗
Slovenia	430	1.1	70	-2.5	South Africa	137	0.6	61	87.7
Total for all 10	27 290	70.9	4 145	-4.1	Total for all 10	20 058	94.3	3 533	32.1

Aircraft, spacecraft etc. – SITC 792

Extra EU-15	29 516	100.0	3 403	-13.3	Extra EU-15	26 914	100.0	4 944	32.1
USA	9 421	31.9	1 301	27.6	USA	18 408	68.4	3 807	65.4
Switzerland	2 377	8.1	510	121.2	Switzerland	1 335	5.0	234	75.1
Canada	1 514	5.1	243	-32.2	Canada	835	3.1	219	45.8
China	1 230	4.2	116	153.6	Bermuda	268	1.0	120	129.3
Kazakhstan	339	1.1	91	↗	Kazakhstan	88	0.3	67	:
Bermuda	266	0.9	80	15.8	Turkey	518	1.9	62	-38.8
Brazil	675	2.3	75	78.6	Brazil	334	1.2	52	66.9
Turkey	573	1.9	61	33.1	Singapore	73	0.3	31	22.9
Saudi Arabia	1 694	5.7	60	-67.3	Morocco	444	1.7	28	-67.5
Macao	43	0.1	59	↗	Maldives	:	:	27	:
Total for all 10	18 132	61.4	2 595	30.2	Total for all 10	22 302	82.9	4 648	61.2

Ships, boats etc. – SITC 793

Extra EU-15	7 998	100.0	713	-10.0	Extra EU-15	3 246	100.0	614	26.7
USA	1 149	14.4	182	-52.1	South Korea	474	14.6	149	-22.0
Cayman Islands	422	5.3	72	433.4	Poland	40	1.2	123	↗
Antigua and Barbuda	109	1.4	70	282.2	Norway	374	11.5	93	30.1
Singapore	205	2.6	62	↗	USA	337	10.4	51	59.6
Liberia	1 843	23.0	59	79.8	Cayman Islands	271	8.3	33	392.1
Bermuda	289	3.6	48	452.5	Slovakia	3	0.1	32	↗
Norway	1 045	13.1	45	-29.9	Taiwan	41	1.3	21	522.8
Saudi Arabia	19	0.2	24	108.4	Bahamas	125	3.9	16	8.1
Bahamas	689	8.6	17	-40.7	Saudi Arabia	14	0.4	15	↗
Croatia	30	0.4	11	530.7	Japan	261	8.0	12	161.2
Total for all 10	5 799	72.5	590	5.4	Total for all 10	1 939	59.7	546	66.9

OTHER MANUFACTURED GOODS

EXPORTS

IMPORTS

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

Partner	1998		Jan-Feb 1999		Partner	1998		Jan-Feb 1999	
	Value	%	Value	99/98		Value	%	Value	99/98

Non-metallic mineral manufactures – SITC 66

Extra EU-15	22 532	100.0	3 242	-7.6	Extra EU-15	16 353	100.0	2 474	4.3
USA	5 389	23.9	765	-14.6	Switzerland	3 155	19.3	543	60.9
Israel	2 505	11.1	458	3.5	USA	1 877	11.5	276	-26.2
India	2 629	11.7	447	19.2	India	1 061	6.5	187	-4.7
Switzerland	1 662	7.4	226	-1.3	Israel	1 248	7.6	175	-30.1
Hong Kong	908	4.0	127	-3.1	China	758	4.6	130	18.5
Japan	773	3.4	118	-13.8	Japan	589	3.6	94	10.3
Poland	649	2.9	82	-7.5	Zaire	539	3.3	88	25.9
United Arab Emirates	340	1.5	53	16.6	Czech Republic	579	3.5	82	10.3
Norway	357	1.6	46	-10.6	South Africa	565	3.5	71	166.5
Australia	343	1.5	45	-19.7	Poland	426	2.6	57	-1.1
Total for all 10	15 555	69.0	2 366	-3.5	Total for all 10	10 796	66.0	1 703	7.7

Iron and steel – SITC 67

Extra EU-15	17 556	100.0	2 016	-30.2	Extra EU-15	12 281	100.0	1 517	-23.3
USA	3 638	20.7	380	-32.2	Russia	893	7.3	123	-28.7
Switzerland	1 377	7.8	188	-24.1	South Africa	727	5.9	121	-9.5
Norway	1 109	6.3	101	-39.6	Norway	872	7.1	112	-20.7
Poland	847	4.8	92	-18.5	Switzerland	696	5.7	102	-8.1
Czech Republic	598	3.4	84	-9.7	South Korea	622	5.1	87	283.1
Canada	580	3.3	58	-7.4	Czech Republic	645	5.3	80	-21.2
Mexico	455	2.6	55	-11.8	USA	549	4.5	73	-21.4
China	383	2.2	52	-15.1	Ukraine	448	3.7	70	-3.6
Egypt	358	2.0	49	-17.6	Poland	630	5.1	65	-41.2
Turkey	643	3.7	48	-58.4	Brazil	572	4.7	63	-0.7
Total for all 10	9 986	56.9	1 107	-28.2	Total for all 10	6 655	54.2	896	-12.3

Textile yarn, fabrics and related products – SITC 65

Extra EU-15	20 227	100.0	2 682	-10.3	Extra EU-15	16 349	100.0	2 492	-12.0
USA	2 213	10.9	290	-11.1	India	1 660	10.2	267	-12.2
Poland	1 868	9.2	266	2.4	Turkey	1 659	10.2	261	6.2
Tunisia	1 293	6.4	184	4.6	China	1 366	8.4	238	-10.0
Switzerland	1 108	5.5	167	-5.4	USA	1 501	9.2	194	-27.0
Morocco	1 112	5.5	149	0.7	Switzerland	1 205	7.4	181	-9.0
Romania	1 073	5.3	138	8.6	Pakistan	956	5.8	153	-12.4
Czech Republic	728	3.6	119	17.8	South Korea	729	4.5	116	-5.5
Hungary	789	3.9	110	-0.1	Taiwan	622	3.8	103	-11.4
Turkey	942	4.7	103	-27.9	Japan	678	4.1	99	-4.7
Hong Kong	706	3.5	83	-21.3	Czech Republic	583	3.6	91	5.3
Total for all 10	11 833	58.5	1 609	-3.8	Total for all 10	10 960	67.0	1 702	-9.6

Clothing and clothing accessories – SITC 84

Extra EU-15	14 082	100.0	2 028	-7.9	Extra EU-15	40 766	100.0	7 047	0.8
Switzerland	2 127	15.1	400	2.3	China	6 402	15.7	1 267	6.6
USA	2 267	16.1	346	1.6	Turkey	4 599	11.3	738	0.3
Japan	1 499	10.6	211	-19.4	Hong Kong	2 641	6.5	514	-8.5
Norway	693	4.9	120	1.0	Tunisia	2 297	5.6	379	7.5
Poland	439	3.1	70	21.5	India	1 948	4.8	371	-7.4
Romania	357	2.5	62	47.9	Morocco	2 051	5.0	334	0.9
Hong Kong	507	3.6	60	-28.9	Poland	1 864	4.6	317	6.7
Tunisia	375	2.7	56	-12.2	Romania	1 865	4.6	308	24.6
Russia	745	5.3	52	-57.3	Bangladesh	1 615	4.0	271	-4.9
Hungary	348	2.5	50	-7.0	Indonesia	1 328	3.3	209	-12.5
Total for all 10	9 356	66.4	1 427	-7.1	Total for all 10	26 611	65.3	4 707	1.5

Member States and EU trade

Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Reporter													
	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
INTRA EU-15 + EXTRA EU-15														
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	62 850	-13 616	-13 145	15 093	13 738	26 829	15 080	-5 448	-9 788	8 693	15 115	-23 171
1998	10 716	2 128	69 103	-13 777	-18 214	11 591	20 403	23 127	11 387	-6 036	-11 374	9 518	15 005	-42 051
1998 May	1 145	-36	7 364	-883	-1 353	956	1 406	2 819	1 045	-319	-963	612	1 214	-3 617
Jun	1 181	392	5 656	-1 376	-1 691	1 204	2 310	2 530	1 041	-296	-1 118	929	1 602	-3 537
Jul	1 561	383	7 192	-1 193	-1 096	1 504	1 728	5 424	1 333	-595	-634	836	1 288	-4 735
Aug	-3	207	4 318	-864	-1 627	-187	1 480	2 711	605	-807	-895	528	699	-3 390
Sep	1 266	272	5 824	-1 026	-2 287	831	2 586	53	472	-714	-997	873	1 445	-4 208
Oct	821	179	6 423	-1 192	-1 598	917	1 864	2 527	1 000	-610	-1 044	974	1 257	-3 527
Nov	511	206	8 077	-1 394	-1 851	1 041	2 247	1 369	640	-451	-1 059	618	1 194	-3 554
Dec	271	210	2 855	-1 094	-1 991	1 033	1 663	1 101	1 109	-430	-1 108	686	1 238	-2 779
1999 Jan	1 387	83	4 440	-811	-1 760	-457	1 623	223	1 543	-765	-690	620	1 276	-4 439
Feb	903	220	5 737	-938	-1 697	513	:	585	1 198	-928	-854	555	1 397	-4 170
Mar	1 357	:	5 909	:	-2 048	1 552	:	1 143	1 380	:	-992	585	1 193	-3 581
Apr	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	1 318	:	:	:	:	:
May	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
INTRA EU-15														
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	22 276	-10 354	-6 558	-417	11 082	3 658	46 341	-9 872	-6 512	1 517	1 377	-7 744
1998	15 433	246	31 007	-10 045	-10 561	-6 961	17 416	2 651	45 930	-10 030	-7 847	2 461	1 975	-10 342
1998 May	1 431	-87	3 039	-571	-590	-913	1 316	619	3 720	-753	-586	221	90	-712
Jun	1 636	53	2 999	-813	-1 054	-761	1 977	468	3 676	-706	-762	157	368	-1 820
Jul	1 706	77	2 736	-887	-791	-843	1 199	2 444	3 557	-1 053	-427	113	144	-2 722
Aug	657	134	1 081	-708	-861	-1 183	1 397	-150	3 537	-1 067	-612	47	-5	-615
Sep	1 634	53	3 521	-813	-1 358	-425	2 058	-322	3 880	-1 096	-682	274	184	-557
Oct	1 326	-30	3 713	-774	-1 146	-720	1 605	610	3 948	-933	-762	310	162	-722
Nov	884	47	4 014	-1 184	-1 241	-632	2 064	-217	3 769	-827	-791	150	109	-429
Dec	532	-2	362	-909	-1 458	-1 295	1 537	-887	3 344	-823	-848	149	5	-524
1999 Jan	2 020	31	3 225	-612	-683	5	1 431	356	4 619	-768	-335	260	593	-751
Feb	1 315	5	3 909	-735	-911	-712	:	22	4 102	-1 211	-627	193	497	-1 379
Mar	1 856	:	2 962	:	-1 171	162	:	100	4 418	:	-607	87	96	-1 584
Apr	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	-212	3 692	:	:	:	:	:
May	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
EXTRA EU-15														
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	-3 262	-6 587	15 510	2 656	23 171	-31 262	4 424	-3 276	7 175	13 738	-15 428
1998	-4 718	1 882	38 096	-3 732	-7 653	18 552	2 988	20 476	-34 543	3 995	-3 527	7 057	13 030	-31 709
1998 May	-286	50	4 324	-312	-762	1 869	90	2 200	-2 675	434	-377	391	1 125	-2 905
Jun	-455	339	2 656	-563	-638	1 965	334	2 062	-2 635	410	-355	772	1 234	-1 718
Jul	-145	306	4 455	-306	-304	2 348	529	2 980	-2 224	458	-208	723	1 144	-2 014
Aug	-660	73	3 236	-156	-766	996	83	2 860	-2 931	260	-283	481	705	-2 776
Sep	-369	219	2 302	-213	-929	1 256	529	375	-3 408	382	-316	599	1 261	-3 651
Oct	-505	209	2 710	-419	-453	1 638	259	1 917	-2 948	323	-282	665	1 095	-2 805
Nov	-372	160	4 063	-210	-611	1 674	184	1 586	-3 129	377	-268	468	1 086	-3 125
Dec	-261	212	2 493	-184	-534	2 328	126	1 989	-2 235	393	-260	538	1 233	-2 256
1999 Jan	-633	51	1 215	-200	-1 077	-462	192	-133	-3 076	3	-354	360	683	-3 688
Feb	-413	215	1 828	-203	-786	1 225	575	564	-2 904	284	-227	362	901	-2 790
Mar	-500	114	2 948	-398	-877	1 390	384	1 043	-3 038	254	-385	498	1 096	-1 997
Apr	-702	183	:	:	:	:	:	:	-2 374	360	-421	489	:	-2 983
May	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	-2 893

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

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Partner	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
Extra EU-15	729 610	38 577	14 201	210 545	4 733	27 501	107 615	17 619
Europe excluding EU-15	235 888	10 194	6 307	85 526	2 882	6 421	25 617	2 859
of which Norway	24 898	710	2 452	4 329	38	592	1 290	555
Switzerland	56 911	2 634	596	21 653	276	1 047	10 358	1 152
Malta	1 970	48	19	238	94	105	422	22
Turkey	22 072	1 285	164	6 920	315	1 085	2 947	176
Poland	28 072	1 419	830	12 245	85	802	2 473	244
Czech Republic	17 117	597	169	9 493	49	338	1 110	136
Slovakia	5 673	184	49	3 056	14	95	360	19
Hungary	16 749	925	127	7 747	48	333	1 045	93
Romania	6 275	208	53	2 063	194	69	698	28
Bulgaria	2 427	107	46	708	396	46	212	8
Ukraine	3 517	172	77	1 464	76	76	343	18
Russia	21 010	1 042	601	7 362	239	574	1 733	245
Slovenia	6 726	156	48	2 013	18	193	1 079	22
Croatia	4 388	135	53	1 469	17	88	268	14
Cyprus	2 107	68	83	333	378	143	209	23
Africa	58 243	3 391	499	9 491	347	4 062	17 329	855
of which North Africa	28 389	1 468	199	4 300	217	2 854	9 522	308
of which Morocco	6 547	283	25	557	16	914	3 207	29
Algeria	5 172	360	29	502	16	507	2 377	55
Tunisia	5 768	343	17	1 055	33	328	2 063	21
Libya	2 706	158	18	472	48	194	279	10
Egypt	7 539	321	109	1 698	105	336	1 589	193
Ivory Coast	1 463	104	5	113	8	90	810	9
Nigeria	2 798	112	26	577	33	109	504	78
South Africa	10 420	588	87	3 215	19	347	1 059	341
North America	175 240	9 093	2 587	48 914	492	4 459	24 502	7 980
of which USA	160 052	8 432	2 045	45 352	427	4 037	22 030	7 635
Canada	14 851	660	247	3 560	61	418	2 450	345
Latin America	48 535	1 969	591	13 621	153	5 871	6 940	501
of which Mexico	9 227	358	79	3 560	4	1 040	1 224	164
Colombia	2 380	76	32	609	1	388	371	19
Venezuela	2 974	117	47	622	1	338	364	33
Brazil	15 594	745	177	4 908	60	1 141	1 957	106
Chile	3 291	117	55	714	6	516	552	32
Argentina	7 619	296	92	1 701	19	1 113	1 344	47
Near and Middle East	49 279	4 422	769	9 627	452	2 199	7 002	775
of which Lebanon	2 807	223	39	446	100	126	640	43
Syria	1 527	122	23	364	35	83	256	8
Iran	4 392	313	31	1 232	9	283	621	4
Israel	10 854	2 377	121	1 978	110	612	1 011	230
Saudi Arabia	11 985	553	236	2 149	64	548	1 422	287
Kuwait	2 158	69	47	500	11	80	302	33
United Arab Emirates	8 775	374	135	1 701	42	266	1 378	103
Other countries of Asia	133 040	8 112	3 018	37 913	245	3 131	20 960	3 625
of which Pakistan	1 579	97	18	385	3	41	247	29
India	9 541	2 394	114	1 966	9	190	881	48
China	17 364	747	233	6 044	15	435	3 043	75
Indonesia	3 902	138	49	1 695	12	87	389	13
Philippines	3 089	124	42	768	4	85	691	288
Thailand	5 213	372	102	1 538	8	95	1 335	83
Malaysia	5 447	228	91	1 745	3	110	740	322
Singapore	10 897	431	304	2 660	17	340	1 857	371
South Korea	9 110	328	254	2 554	31	117	1 573	360
Japan	31 428	1 545	1 154	9 289	68	872	4 223	1 451
Taiwan	12 066	484	133	4 271	11	246	1 977	146
Hong Kong	17 278	939	404	3 337	47	434	2 880	296
Oceania and polar regions	15 856	702	303	3 651	63	430	2 077	513
of which Australia	12 921	585	235	3 167	53	373	1 110	459
New Zealand	1 765	91	56	401	7	36	152	40
EFTA	83 755	3 393	3 257	26 564	315	1 676	11 747	1 747
CEEC	98 372	4 082	1 891	41 783	1 422	2 098	7 781	613
ACP	22 499	1 425	328	2 433	148	1 141	7 167	233
NAFTA	184 131	9 451	2 371	52 471	493	5 496	25 704	8 144
MERCOSUR	24 453	1 068	285	6 808	86	2 444	3 493	182
OPEC	47 793	2 315	642	9 757	241	2 487	9 111	633
DAE	60 011	2 781	1 288	16 104	117	1 342	10 361	1 578

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Reporter							Partner
I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	
94 445	39 560	20 083	3 987	17 137	31 789	101 818	Extra EU-15
30 655	12 840	12 983	775	7 805	12 823	18 202	Europe excluding EU-15
1 148	1 577	265	167	1 286	6 467	4 021	<i>of which</i> Norway
7 554	2 735	2 761	268	488	1 299	4 089	Switzerland
647	69	14	5	2	8	277	Malta
3 654	1 455	480	67	356	795	2 372	Turkey
3 455	1 919	877	62	693	1 196	1 770	Poland
1 300	771	1 545	19	234	324	1 032	Czech Republic
647	236	687	8	70	96	152	Slovakia
1 678	682	2 767	67	231	282	723	Hungary
1 787	269	371	8	41	143	343	Romania
398	120	180	9	34	48	115	Bulgaria
430	199	175	2	120	121	245	Ukraine
2 697	1 577	536	39	2 334	684	1 345	Russia
1 696	231	928	5	31	104	201	Slovenia
1 339	146	597	2	34	77	150	Croatia
314	80	28	13	12	45	378	Cyprus
8 829	3 176	564	866	707	1 335	6 792	Africa
5 121	1 153	263	136	301	652	1 894	<i>of which</i> North Africa
565	204	21	72	29	108	517	<i>of which</i> Morocco
782	187	48	26	63	63	156	Algeria
1 438	181	27	19	35	61	147	Tunisia
888	154	60	2	5	80	338	Libya
1 428	401	107	14	169	338	729	Egypt
148	78	5	7	7	8	72	Ivory Coast
293	325	39	3	11	22	667	Nigeria
925	691	170	58	279	407	2 233	South Africa
20 308	7 818	2 620	1 178	3 156	7 251	34 882	North America
18 543	7 192	2 270	1 062	2 883	6 472	31 672	<i>of which</i> USA
1 763	624	351	116	272	775	3 206	Canada
8 625	2 013	664	399	793	2 015	4 380	Latin America
1 197	306	159	27	94	238	776	<i>of which</i> Mexico
329	104	24	7	45	113	263	Colombia
664	136	45	18	57	169	363	Venezuela
2 946	686	243	201	274	807	1 344	Brazil
570	136	30	48	89	174	254	Chile
1 487	277	107	65	127	263	679	Argentina
7 701	2 730	806	190	590	1 312	10 703	Near and Middle East
668	104	31	14	42	73	258	<i>of which</i> Lebanon
354	71	29	3	17	42	121	Syria
811	240	197	3	49	118	481	Iran
1 557	659	132	91	151	246	1 582	Israel
1 469	564	209	39	140	344	3 963	Saudi Arabia
372	137	25	7	38	47	490	Kuwait
1 437	549	106	15	97	284	2 288	United Arab Emirates
14 546	7 975	2 154	349	3 644	6 089	21 278	Other countries of Asia
218	113	15	6	11	49	345	<i>of which</i> Pakistan
967	445	99	12	188	189	2 038	India
1 835	717	427	18	1 133	1 372	1 271	China
246	204	126	1	197	186	559	Indonesia
218	178	41	5	99	100	446	Philippines
347	385	97	19	103	153	575	Thailand
446	310	71	20	86	274	1 003	Malaysia
978	758	91	49	232	439	2 370	Singapore
863	726	167	9	262	314	1 554	South Korea
3 612	1 656	513	114	575	1 589	4 767	Japan
1 191	1 412	174	22	143	551	1 305	Taiwan
2 752	803	221	52	482	725	3 907	Hong Kong
1 843	716	268	92	401	906	3 893	Oceania and polar regions
1 572	591	233	79	341	804	3 317	<i>of which</i> Australia
190	92	33	11	50	96	509	New Zealand
8 802	4 433	3 279	447	1 811	7 932	8 354	EFTA
13 851	4 908	8 409	192	3 142	3 194	5 006	CEEC
3 418	1 605	148	680	162	323	3 289	ACP
21 504	8 123	2 779	1 205	3 250	7 486	35 654	NAFTA
4 741	1 001	354	278	411	1 116	2 186	MERCOSUR
7 177	2 605	872	115	668	1 363	9 807	OPEC
6 577	4 395	821	171	1 307	2 456	10 714	DAE

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

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Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Partner	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
Extra EU-15	101 075	5 600	2 081	29 800	593	3 620	14 647	3 219
Europe excluding EU-15	32 119	1 382	884	11 777	331	859	3 920	475
of which Norway	3 556	127	365	564	8	91	207	96
Switzerland	9 087	358	100	3 321	12	173	1 869	221
Malta	257	8	3	33	12	13	65	4
Turkey	2 585	142	27	971	33	108	346	32
Poland	4 087	217	122	1 781	9	125	394	39
Czech Republic	2 488	91	24	1 388	9	51	182	22
Slovakia	763	28	7	410	3	12	49	3
Hungary	2 607	177	17	1 251	8	47	165	13
Romania	757	21	4	251	19	8	75	4
Bulgaria	338	11	5	99	52	7	33	2
Ukraine	313	16	9	121	6	6	42	1
Russia	1 635	70	44	562	15	39	164	19
Slovenia	945	31	6	300	4	34	145	3
Croatia	517	20	12	177	3	14	34	2
Cyprus	263	9	3	34	44	14	30	2
Africa	7 454	460	56	1 277	51	518	2 189	130
of which North Africa	3 709	196	24	623	32	308	1 251	54
of which Morocco	825	41	3	81	3	126	373	6
Algeria	725	40	3	70	3	67	355	13
Tunisia	838	53	3	132	4	52	341	1
Libya	300	18	2	59	6	17	34	4
Egypt	1 020	44	14	280	16	46	147	30
Ivory Coast	217	15	1	12	0	14	125	1
Nigeria	408	15	3	101	4	16	88	13
South Africa	1 251	75	12	375	1	43	112	37
North America	26 246	1 354	396	7 298	92	653	3 643	1 566
of which USA	24 050	1 279	326	6 830	87	587	3 183	1 514
Canada	2 159	75	39	468	5	65	458	51
Latin America	5 924	214	65	1 791	16	703	783	74
of which Mexico	1 352	39	13	615	1	131	145	22
Colombia	234	7	2	67	0	29	40	3
Venezuela	345	12	3	95	2	38	37	3
Brazil	1 920	77	17	597	5	139	268	24
Chile	356	15	5	85	0	52	48	6
Argentina	841	33	12	171	1	126	145	6
Near and Middle East	6 617	718	109	1 291	49	296	1 023	133
of which Lebanon	385	51	6	56	9	17	88	9
Syria	173	11	2	47	5	7	27	0
Iran	497	31	7	118	0	33	66	5
Israel	1 696	428	17	282	15	79	186	39
Saudi Arabia	1 515	85	35	335	7	88	235	47
Kuwait	273	12	6	58	1	14	48	6
United Arab Emirates	1 261	56	19	258	7	34	203	18
Other countries of Asia	18 742	1 290	519	5 531	34	426	2 508	697
of which Pakistan	224	12	2	42	0	5	27	21
India	1 358	410	15	279	1	21	122	11
China	2 490	127	39	937	1	57	382	24
Indonesia	385	29	4	140	2	12	43	2
Philippines	404	15	4	125	1	13	45	74
Thailand	665	50	14	252	1	14	67	11
Malaysia	810	24	9	196	0	13	123	146
Singapore	1 534	64	83	365	4	47	223	68
South Korea	1 449	52	60	395	1	21	188	30
Japan	4 949	263	217	1 580	13	129	646	204
Taiwan	1 600	60	22	564	1	31	208	50
Hong Kong	2 118	140	41	444	4	54	309	47
Oceania and polar regions	2 182	92	39	505	9	50	295	72
of which Australia	1 787	75	32	442	8	40	164	62
New Zealand	244	14	5	50	0	7	27	9
EFTA	12 898	493	496	3 953	21	270	2 089	322
CEEC	13 799	634	267	5 992	197	318	1 137	93
ACP	2 894	195	31	397	22	201	904	43
NAFTA	27 561	1 393	378	7 913	92	784	3 785	1 588
MERCOSUR	2 926	113	31	804	7	288	435	35
OPEC	6 043	311	84	1 272	32	328	1 244	112
DAE	8 176	390	228	2 215	11	179	1 118	352

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Reporter							Partner
I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	
11 852	6 163	2 790	518	2 196	4 511	13 486	Extra EU-15
3 713	2 087	1 723	113	944	1 797	2 112	Europe excluding EU-15
122	342	30	27	158	964	454	<i>of which</i> Norway
1 084	613	443	43	101	186	565	Switzerland
74	9	1	1	0	2	31	Malta
310	182	57	7	58	108	206	Turkey
492	307	104	11	90	167	229	Poland
176	123	203	3	33	54	129	Czech Republic
89	27	86	1	12	11	25	Slovakia
238	120	389	11	34	50	88	Hungary
238	27	44	1	4	17	44	Romania
56	16	26	1	6	9	15	Bulgaria
31	15	15	0	11	10	30	Ukraine
179	149	43	2	194	63	93	Russia
224	34	124	1	4	12	22	Slovenia
142	21	67	0	3	7	16	Croatia
42	11	5	2	2	8	56	Cyprus
957	452	71	96	93	172	932	Africa
630	143	37	19	41	94	258	<i>of which</i> North Africa
80	24	4	10	3	10	62	<i>of which</i> Morocco
98	28	7	1	10	8	23	Algeria
189	21	2	5	4	9	22	Tunisia
98	14	4	1	0	7	36	Libya
165	57	20	2	23	60	115	Egypt
20	16	0	1	1	2	8	Ivory Coast
34	44	4	1	1	3	81	Nigeria
105	143	17	9	39	40	243	South Africa
2 923	1 215	438	149	439	1 037	5 044	North America
2 696	1 115	380	137	397	938	4 581	<i>of which</i> USA
228	98	58	12	41	98	462	Canada
1 005	245	71	50	112	283	512	Latin America
169	42	15	6	23	54	77	<i>of which</i> Mexico
30	10	2	1	4	11	26	Colombia
67	10	7	1	6	8	57	Venezuela
338	90	24	19	32	113	176	Brazil
66	12	3	6	7	23	27	Chile
167	42	9	13	15	33	67	Argentina
990	399	103	24	96	178	1 207	Near and Middle East
82	14	4	1	4	6	39	<i>of which</i> Lebanon
38	12	2	0	2	4	15	Syria
123	21	25	0	10	13	44	Iran
194	107	17	13	32	49	239	Israel
177	99	20	5	16	48	317	Saudi Arabia
44	16	2	1	4	4	57	Kuwait
220	80	18	3	21	38	288	United Arab Emirates
1 841	1 211	347	50	440	877	2 969	Other countries of Asia
52	10	3	1	2	5	43	<i>of which</i> Pakistan
107	65	12	1	22	21	270	India
218	115	62	2	108	170	247	China
30	34	11	0	9	23	46	Indonesia
26	27	5	1	15	13	41	Philippines
44	57	47	2	11	25	73	Thailand
61	47	7	6	14	30	132	Malaysia
133	118	12	3	35	55	323	Singapore
133	117	26	7	36	66	318	South Korea
452	292	85	14	91	234	730	Japan
140	191	34	2	19	108	171	Taiwan
298	102	30	7	62	100	479	Hong Kong
253	105	37	14	61	153	497	Oceania and polar regions
223	89	30	11	54	133	425	<i>of which</i> Australia
22	14	5	2	7	19	64	New Zealand
1 220	972	507	72	264	1 172	1 048	EFTA
1 834	739	1 091	29	413	430	624	CEEC
246	191	17	69	17	50	511	ACP
3 093	1 255	453	156	461	1 090	5 121	NAFTA
541	137	34	33	49	153	265	MERCOSUR
919	361	103	13	78	154	1 032	OPEC
809	632	156	28	177	385	1 496	DAE

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Partner	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
Extra EU-15	709 415	43 295	12 319	172 449	8 465	35 153	89 062	14 631
Europe excluding EU-15	192 963	6 924	5 338	70 307	2 401	5 301	20 624	1 135
<i>of which</i> Norway	29 042	947	2 630	6 381	80	559	3 121	447
Switzerland	49 252	1 567	531	16 254	417	1 594	7 959	304
Malta	763	67	2	191	3	25	231	4
Turkey	13 588	632	186	5 263	325	495	1 735	71
Poland	16 118	655	703	8 219	87	333	1 110	64
Czech Republic	14 665	483	144	8 679	102	274	736	49
Slovakia	5 362	128	20	3 054	30	96	246	11
Hungary	14 475	623	104	7 118	81	305	861	106
Romania	5 123	199	21	1 554	171	73	471	5
Bulgaria	2 233	176	25	501	345	126	163	2
Ukraine	2 230	77	40	603	57	146	198	2
Russia	23 054	959	257	7 104	435	938	2 339	13
Slovenia	5 224	84	67	2 101	22	69	726	3
Croatia	1 809	46	3	657	11	10	99	22
Cyprus	427	24	5	37	42	12	45	5
Africa	52 834	4 638	245	7 051	686	5 670	11 272	286
<i>of which</i> North Africa	24 426	1 296	22	3 294	475	2 802	6 234	51
<i>of which</i> Morocco	5 320	337	3	428	33	656	2 711	28
Algeria	6 745	437	3	597	14	1 108	1 405	3
Tunisia	4 286	419	10	834	17	181	1 422	14
Libya	5 659	23	0	1 205	98	767	280	0
Egypt	2 407	80	6	230	311	80	417	7
Ivory Coast	2 270	178	20	238	51	171	839	20
Nigeria	2 874	60	1	282	1	862	649	2
South Africa	9 724	889	128	1 922	61	551	606	43
North America	163 689	12 906	2 391	29 747	1 198	6 216	23 000	6 489
<i>of which</i> USA	150 780	11 916	2 079	27 406	1 080	5 748	21 564	6 130
Canada	12 720	990	131	2 340	118	467	1 435	359
Latin America	34 972	3 055	642	6 611	277	4 175	3 795	139
<i>of which</i> Mexico	4 004	232	46	894	18	774	546	56
Colombia	2 460	320	86	572	14	156	234	6
Venezuela	1 444	105	47	241	8	262	127	4
Brazil	13 171	1 332	225	2 617	94	1 106	1 580	28
Chile	3 486	188	41	569	55	318	502	9
Argentina	4 152	299	156	562	65	820	339	7
Near and Middle East	26 506	1 771	108	2 854	1 076	2 424	4 738	217
<i>of which</i> Lebanon	154	28	1	19	4	6	39	2
Syria	1 471	22	1	494	25	132	323	0
Iran	3 925	42	5	426	497	401	626	1
Israel	6 883	1 330	52	1 011	107	361	668	175
Saudi Arabia	7 756	107	1	469	366	860	1 694	31
Kuwait	1 250	24	31	71	0	13	153	0
United Arab Emirates	1 608	125	8	158	9	99	300	6
Other countries of Asia	220 137	12 840	3 423	52 732	2 709	10 605	22 664	6 129
<i>of which</i> Pakistan	2 297	197	46	490	39	160	265	16
India	9 793	1 344	170	2 051	99	505	976	68
China	41 766	2 377	858	10 876	470	2 482	5 054	494
Indonesia	8 905	836	198	1 840	116	956	874	48
Philippines	5 708	130	31	1 229	9	82	985	190
Thailand	9 278	715	205	1 728	104	486	1 048	101
Malaysia	11 880	554	142	2 451	95	357	1 170	314
Singapore	12 327	224	62	2 259	26	227	1 754	1 493
South Korea	15 622	680	299	3 269	520	1 163	1 482	429
Japan	65 523	3 866	752	17 964	877	2 839	5 703	2 135
Taiwan	18 130	727	327	4 341	172	883	1 617	635
Hong Kong	9 674	370	187	1 791	43	158	545	158
Oceania and polar regions	10 543	971	165	1 431	106	415	946	60
<i>of which</i> Australia	7 592	644	119	919	51	298	673	41
New Zealand	2 197	294	45	330	32	85	163	18
EFTA	80 149	2 540	3 261	23 184	503	2 181	11 246	754
CEEC	71 688	2 586	1 428	33 660	1 029	1 442	4 734	285
ACP	21 331	2 559	100	2 268	159	2 496	4 965	203
NAFTA	167 503	13 138	2 256	30 640	1 216	6 990	23 545	6 545
MERCOSUR	18 056	1 655	383	3 272	160	2 017	1 951	36
OPEC	43 546	1 786	294	5 389	1 177	5 904	7 557	96
DAE	76 912	3 270	1 222	15 840	959	3 274	7 615	3 132

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I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	
73 969	74 103	16 089	7 514	10 080	18 759	133 526	Extra EU-15
23 380	12 533	10 023	1 385	4 589	8 070	20 952	Europe excluding EU-15
606	3 492	89	355	983	4 208	5 145	<i>of which</i> Norway
7 812	2 008	2 409	362	423	919	6 695	Switzerland
90	16	4	6	1	3	119	Malta
1 513	945	333	149	55	184	1 703	Turkey
1 506	1 044	505	39	240	646	968	Poland
888	509	1 453	66	118	313	851	Czech Republic
709	169	667	10	35	58	131	Slovakia
1 247	807	2 082	59	90	195	798	Hungary
1 715	240	248	17	14	44	350	Romania
549	92	90	19	10	21	114	Bulgaria
647	108	206	26	23	12	83	Ukraine
3 324	2 026	671	162	1 921	588	2 318	Russia
1 095	105	710	12	17	61	152	Slovenia
614	48	216	3	1	18	61	Croatia
9	15	4	1	2	4	223	Cyprus
11 454	3 264	588	1 168	179	252	6 081	Africa
7 142	1 085	292	215	26	71	1 422	<i>of which</i> North Africa
331	163	15	49	11	19	538	<i>of which</i> Morocco
2 285	611	92	34	8	21	126	Algeria
1 038	182	23	29	2	12	103	Tunisia
2 837	18	153	36	1	13	228	Libya
652	111	8	68	5	6	426	Egypt
280	320	9	23	4	1	117	Ivory Coast
337	121	74	245	0	38	201	Nigeria
2 135	810	149	136	25	51	2 220	South Africa
11 177	17 479	2 363	1 054	2 006	4 041	43 623	North America
9 719	16 329	2 090	939	1 891	3 803	40 086	<i>of which</i> USA
1 458	1 149	273	115	114	238	3 532	Canada
4 619	4 742	216	964	458	724	4 555	Latin America
194	317	34	105	17	51	718	<i>of which</i> Mexico
298	212	13	70	81	88	310	Colombia
192	152	1	17	9	92	188	Venezuela
1 909	2 040	111	463	136	212	1 320	Brazil
604	379	20	17	60	70	654	Chile
713	619	4	168	56	37	306	Argentina
4 083	3 780	297	631	52	514	3 961	Near and Middle East
16	7	1	0	0	4	24	<i>of which</i> Lebanon
367	10	14	42	0	2	38	Syria
1 146	329	12	178	6	195	61	Iran
709	872	66	75	35	115	1 310	Israel
1 240	1 235	72	215	1	178	1 287	Saudi Arabia
23	661	1	0	9	6	258	Kuwait
98	110	4	8	1	11	670	United Arab Emirates
17 241	30 703	2 566	2 200	2 583	4 984	48 757	Other countries of Asia
204	187	27	95	15	64	491	<i>of which</i> Pakistan
1 265	772	87	130	53	169	2 104	India
4 325	3 930	558	267	406	1 168	8 502	China
968	1 186	79	42	98	85	1 579	Indonesia
181	1 336	19	18	28	27	1 442	Philippines
734	1 390	87	131	107	199	2 243	Thailand
554	2 709	64	81	64	158	3 167	Malaysia
421	2 278	50	33	41	108	3 351	Singapore
1 595	1 522	173	277	117	287	3 808	South Korea
4 230	8 227	834	939	1 252	1 746	14 159	Japan
1 396	3 704	283	107	178	493	3 265	Taiwan
267	2 803	123	37	132	309	2 752	Hong Kong
1 604	626	34	49	204	143	3 791	Oceania and polar regions
1 264	451	25	29	173	110	2 796	<i>of which</i> Australia
234	135	8	18	11	28	795	New Zealand
8 480	5 703	2 671	785	1 423	5 166	12 252	EFTA
9 215	3 635	6 100	251	1 156	2 101	4 066	CEEC
2 280	1 682	150	863	150	162	3 296	ACP
11 371	17 795	2 397	1 159	2 022	4 093	44 336	NAFTA
2 723	2 909	116	640	199	257	1 737	MERCOSUR
9 522	4 857	610	907	132	640	4 676	OPEC
4 968	14 405	780	667	640	1 553	18 586	DAE

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Partner	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
Extra EU-15	109 565	6 646	1 815	26 757	995	5 483	13 883	2 452
Europe excluding EU-15	29 114	1 086	777	10 824	329	916	3 240	192
<i>of which</i> Norway	3 930	168	345	904	9	179	413	70
Switzerland	7 714	222	71	2 542	62	268	1 379	39
Malta	117	11	0	31	1	2	36	0
Turkey	2 072	101	30	790	44	81	262	12
Poland	2 624	105	111	1 389	15	53	174	13
Czech Republic	2 243	68	22	1 327	11	64	118	11
Slovakia	873	27	3	491	3	9	47	2
Hungary	2 395	104	14	1 171	8	51	137	32
Romania	765	25	3	242	21	14	75	0
Bulgaria	310	24	5	67	47	15	24	0
Ukraine	356	9	6	85	8	31	45	0
Russia	3 151	156	41	978	65	93	334	3
Slovenia	788	14	10	339	3	11	82	0
Croatia	272	6	1	101	4	4	12	2
Cyprus	68	1	4	8	5	2	5	0
Africa	7 454	668	27	998	84	745	1 571	46
<i>of which</i> North Africa	3 517	184	4	449	58	385	977	14
<i>of which</i> Morocco	859	47	0	75	6	86	452	7
Algeria	990	55	0	62	1	154	207	0
Tunisia	701	72	3	131	1	32	244	6
Libya	627	:	:	149	0	97	34	0
Egypt	341	10	1	32	51	14	40	1
Ivory Coast	381	18	0	36	9	28	94	3
Nigeria	354	4	0	32	0	59	90	0
South Africa	1 399	119	12	311	3	92	91	6
North America	26 029	1 998	304	4 703	124	972	4 029	1 029
<i>of which</i> USA	24 036	1 840	261	4 357	112	907	3 771	962
Canada	1 970	158	22	346	12	64	258	66
Latin America	4 967	400	81	990	32	590	560	21
<i>of which</i> Mexico	618	24	7	214	1	100	70	6
Colombia	339	41	9	79	2	24	35	1
Venezuela	246	20	9	18	1	48	28	1
Brazil	1 680	170	19	345	10	149	233	6
Chile	551	30	6	86	7	41	77	1
Argentina	610	45	25	100	8	123	58	0
Near and Middle East	3 560	292	14	447	65	334	542	58
<i>of which</i> Lebanon	23	8	0	3	1	1	4	0
Syria	174	3	0	70	2	9	23	0
Iran	484	14	1	67	28	45	58	0
Israel	1 123	208	7	174	13	64	103	51
Saudi Arabia	880	15	0	49	8	101	183	5
Kuwait	163	9	3	6	0	0	15	0
United Arab Emirates	223	20	2	28	12	22	23	1
Other countries of Asia	35 522	2 059	601	8 495	351	1 839	3 503	1 046
<i>of which</i> Pakistan	343	26	7	82	5	23	40	2
India	1 585	246	27	333	11	82	174	12
China	7 035	410	169	1 840	53	450	847	79
Indonesia	1 295	143	27	257	12	167	103	7
Philippines	763	15	5	174	1	19	53	39
Thailand	1 390	105	30	264	13	78	147	12
Malaysia	2 055	83	20	351	7	40	172	78
Singapore	1 911	57	8	337	4	36	285	259
South Korea	2 723	116	50	630	52	241	245	67
Japan	10 339	563	120	2 827	141	501	875	334
Taiwan	2 940	109	68	690	29	113	243	120
Hong Kong	1 505	63	40	268	8	30	83	27
Oceania and polar regions	1 345	118	11	198	7	44	149	12
<i>of which</i> Australia	919	99	5	119	5	30	96	9
New Zealand	277	14	6	44	2	8	20	3
EFTA	11 928	394	431	3 522	73	451	1 815	110
CEEC	11 248	408	234	5 367	132	247	727	66
ACP	2 929	384	11	305	25	295	565	27
NAFTA	26 625	2 022	289	4 917	125	1 071	4 099	1 035
MERCOSUR	2 353	217	45	458	19	281	296	7
OPEC	5 691	283	42	704	64	794	882	16
DAE	12 524	533	216	2 540	113	538	1 174	562

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I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	
11 422	12 143	2 504	1 099	1 473	2 927	19 965	Extra EU-15
3 624	1 721	1 489	244	669	1 200	2 803	Europe excluding EU-15
101	294	13	76	137	625	596	<i>of which</i> Norway
1 181	331	352	54	57	134	1 021	Switzerland
11	1	0	0	0	0	20	Malta
237	158	48	21	10	29	249	Turkey
245	164	78	6	30	92	146	Poland
123	78	212	13	17	49	130	Czech Republic
123	37	100	1	4	7	18	Slovakia
188	166	324	15	13	28	142	Hungary
268	28	34	2	1	7	45	Romania
81	11	11	4	1	3	18	Bulgaria
109	22	21	5	2	1	11	Ukraine
549	285	100	33	292	77	144	Russia
167	16	112	2	2	8	21	Slovenia
88	7	35	1	0	3	9	Croatia
3	2	1	0	1	1	36	Cyprus
1 618	551	90	104	32	27	894	Africa
1 032	129	41	17	4	6	216	<i>of which</i> North Africa
50	32	4	7	4	3	85	<i>of which</i> Morocco
409	56	13	4	0	0	29	Algeria
170	20	7	1	0	2	13	Tunisia
299	1	17	0	:	0	28	Libya
104	21	1	4	0	1	61	Egypt
38	108	0	3	1	0	44	Ivory Coast
54	35	17	12	0	2	48	Nigeria
303	119	20	11	1	8	303	South Africa
1 695	2 717	430	149	267	647	6 963	North America
1 488	2 548	378	138	253	606	6 414	<i>of which</i> USA
207	169	52	11	15	41	549	Canada
663	596	30	126	60	114	705	Latin America
25	45	5	10	2	6	104	<i>of which</i> Mexico
33	29	2	15	7	9	52	Colombia
30	45	0	10	2	10	24	Venezuela
231	238	14	53	14	44	154	Brazil
117	51	2	5	9	17	100	Chile
111	58	1	23	11	4	44	Argentina
541	564	29	80	6	66	523	Near and Middle East
2	1	0	0	0	1	3	<i>of which</i> Lebanon
47	7	1	5	0	1	7	Syria
166	43	2	27	0	21	11	Iran
119	124	15	10	6	16	213	Israel
132	184	1	24	0	26	152	Saudi Arabia
2	101	0	:	0	0	26	Kuwait
20	21	0	3	0	1	71	United Arab Emirates
3 020	5 371	430	371	417	856	7 163	Other countries of Asia
32	26	4	13	3	10	71	<i>of which</i> Pakistan
204	116	12	18	7	27	315	India
748	677	84	36	68	215	1 359	China
126	182	10	6	11	17	226	Indonesia
19	188	3	3	5	4	234	Philippines
117	239	18	18	15	33	301	Thailand
81	694	9	9	9	26	476	Malaysia
54	371	8	26	4	14	449	Singapore
286	268	29	60	15	45	619	South Korea
838	1 340	139	153	207	304	1 995	Japan
217	644	61	16	33	77	521	Taiwan
47	504	16	5	25	48	342	Hong Kong
196	100	5	15	22	15	456	Oceania and polar regions
153	68	3	11	19	12	291	<i>of which</i> Australia
30	28	1	2	1	3	116	New Zealand
1 291	673	388	135	196	766	1 684	EFTA
1 407	569	925	46	167	324	629	CEEC
308	330	29	88	27	16	520	ACP
1 720	2 762	435	159	269	654	7 067	NAFTA
356	301	14	79	25	49	208	MERCOSUR
1 280	747	70	99	13	77	621	OPEC
801	2 720	141	135	100	244	2 708	DAE

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	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
0-9 TOTAL	1 166 404	114 759	28 840	250 533	5 078	60 718	165 256	32 384
0 Food and live animals	97 854	11 786	6 441	12 947	1 055	8 783	19 179	3 549
00 Live animals	3 287	352	154	399	2	190	1 335	138
01 Meat and meat preparations	16 988	2 343	2 260	1 497	6	826	2 857	1 079
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	14 389	1 635	848	3 404	70	293	2 836	897
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	7 535	400	1 833	650	185	876	733	219
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	11 776	1 015	405	1 811	138	410	4 005	223
05 Vegetables and fruit	22 460	3 142	170	1 345	618	5 529	2 729	154
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	3 577	350	125	623	9	165	1 268	97
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	6 522	1 225	44	1 507	7	197	953	165
08 Feeding stuff for animals	5 594	712	328	892	4	138	972	97
1 Beverages and tobacco	16 664	1 026	299	1 677	234	1 062	4 017	503
11 Beverages	11 687	665	197	936	81	1 020	3 842	455
12 Tobacco	4 977	360	102	741	153	42	175	47
2 Crude materials, except fuels	35 635	3 123	1 173	5 641	254	1 235	4 456	603
21 Hides and skins, raw	1 422	76	184	192	22	77	323	71
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	1 491	103	12	139	6	13	711	1
23 Crude rubber	1 725	412	4	308	0	9	401	1
24 Cork and wood	5 901	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	2 970	297	3	859	95	197	520	128
27 Crude fertilizers	3 238	472	58	623	55	218	412	17
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	7 733	823	130	2 136	65	154	866	241
3 Energy	38 588	3 140	1 389	3 432	146	1 252	3 798	169
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
4 Oils, fats and waxes	4 766	480	147	754	309	901	354	35
41 Animal oils and fats	497	76	52	89	0	17	78	29
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	3 392	353	39	445	309	861	228	4
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	877	51	56	220	0	24	48	2
5 Chemical products	146 210	20 636	2 527	32 318	175	4 589	22 640	7 645
51 Organic chemicals	32 571	4 740	276	6 270	4	759	4 611	3 472
52 Inorganic chemicals	7 143	1 019	29	1 592	4	199	1 441	124
53 Tanning and colouring materials	9 234	1 229	265	2 918	8	369	1 088	36
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	24 416	2 318	1 064	4 120	51	831	3 846	1 744
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	13 180	1 314	193	1 976	14	552	3 650	1 180
56 Fertilizers	2 334	545	39	536	7	91	151	51
57 Plastics in primary forms	25 874	5 610	78	5 575	17	1 032	3 751	78
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	12 803	1 774	299	3 448	31	398	1 145	120
6 Manufactured goods classified by material	200 910	24 529	3 482	40 185	937	10 358	26 653	1 380
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	2 829	89	30	294	32	255	182	23
62 Rubber manufactures	12 559	999	113	2 638	12	1 098	2 816	76
63 Cork and wood manufactures	7 103	895	500	1 071	8	332	838	88
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	31 583	2 272	377	5 990	19	828	3 676	127
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	30 988	4 926	536	5 208	289	1 700	4 068	397
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	22 694	3 731	371	3 517	129	1 564	2 555	164
67 Iron and steel	38 279	6 532	445	8 150	105	1 807	5 921	120
68 Non-ferrous metals	22 846	2 780	238	5 317	288	1 236	2 950	69
69 Manufactures of metals	32 699	2 141	873	7 888	45	1 537	3 546	315
7 Machinery and transport equipment	451 379	33 504	7 202	116 992	335	26 655	69 512	11 786
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	27 008	763	519	7 097	24	1 348	5 189	161
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	30 985	2 084	908	9 660	31	504	3 120	145
73 Metalworking machinery	7 020	482	64	2 302	4	341	778	16
74 General industry machinery and equipment	50 750	3 102	1 693	15 147	42	1 703	6 540	500
75 Office machines and computers	60 532	1 930	546	7 758	12	697	6 943	7 976
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	33 686	2 271	1 199	5 723	52	1 248	3 968	618
77 Electrical machinery	71 904	4 268	1 102	19 309	144	2 697	10 191	2 030
78 Road vehicles	144 838	18 189	638	43 023	14	17 269	22 622	216
79 Other transport equipment	24 656	415	532	6 975	12	849	10 162	123
8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles	133 615	12 091	4 646	24 562	1 491	5 304	14 361	4 701
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	6 414	704	225	1 145	11	297	786	67
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	14 469	1 312	1 322	2 489	10	705	1 244	107
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	1 574	309	18	135	1	69	253	8
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	30 647	2 886	1 000	4 353	1 326	818	2 765	400
85 Footwear	10 420	1 133	125	727	11	1 151	522	24
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	18 088	986	527	5 123	19	444	2 382	741
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	9 506	1 149	157	2 429	6	161	1 336	240
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	42 497	3 613	1 272	8 163	106	1 660	5 074	3 114
Miscellaneous and adjustments	40 783	4 442	1 534	12 025	141	577	285	2 013

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116 302	144 870	32 692	17 071	19 451	40 495	137 954	0-9 TOTAL
7 004	17 293	1 353	652	286	1 056	6 468	0 Food and live animals
43	373	70	12	0	5	216	00 Live animals
776	3 753	315	9	40	122	1 105	01 Meat and meat preparations
628	2 504	254	118	86	141	676	02 Dairy products and birds' eggs
269	1 104	2	205	3	258	797	03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs
1 152	710	187	48	36	201	1 435	04 Cereals and cereal preparations
3 146	4 634	230	185	15	73	490	05 Vegetables and fruit
138	355	69	11	31	59	276	06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey
351	1 252	120	26	59	83	533	07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices
88	1 806	58	12	5	15	467	08 Feeding stuff for animals
1 621	2 915	211	384	45	48	2 624	1 Beverages and tobacco
1 532	515	174	380	20	39	1 829	11 Beverages
89	2 400	36	4	25	9	794	12 Tobacco
1 185	8 118	1 391	781	1 969	3 627	2 079	2 Crude materials, except fuels
41	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	14	230	23 Crude rubber
148	171	764	112	1 088	1 741	46	24 Cork and wood
3	286	96	400	618	1 054	70	25 Pulp and waste paper
138	88	156	36	51	30	373	26 Textile fibres and their wastes
190	428	115	44	51	60	496	27 Crude fertilizers
134	1 654	159	147	73	656	494	28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap
963	10 807	286	187	440	1 145	11 433	3 Energy
10	267	3	3	5	7	93	32 Coal, coke and briquettes
941	6 738	34	158	393	1 117	10 446	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
395	973	22	36	27	54	278	4 Oils, fats and waxes
44	63	7	1	1	11	29	41 Animal oils and fats
301	616	3	33	6	22	171	42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils
50	294	11	2	20	22	78	43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes
10 023	19 336	2 732	763	1 193	3 807	17 824	5 Chemical products
1 242	5 708	355	149	206	531	4 246	51 Organic chemicals
284	943	159	32	196	100	1 022	52 Inorganic chemicals
526	1 074	89	31	110	205	1 285	53 Tanning and colouring materials
2 255	1 842	586	92	99	1 606	3 960	54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products
1 007	826	123	54	23	154	2 115	55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics
21	580	92	31	14	39	136	56 Fertilizers
1 635	5 137	171	128	235	570	1 859	57 Plastics in primary forms
1 973	1 266	560	87	194	295	1 211	58 Plastics in non-primary forms
26 747	16 740	9 026	3 600	8 257	10 474	18 541	6 Manufactured goods classified by material
1 263	117	205	32	24	25	257	61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins
1 581	843	331	152	77	369	1 454	62 Rubber manufactures
552	378	623	583	592	402	243	63 Cork and wood manufactures
2 271	2 624	1 705	466	4 918	4 469	1 840	64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof
6 614	2 001	1 056	1 132	192	394	2 476	65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products
3 982	990	712	622	210	320	3 825	66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures
3 836	2 707	1 747	142	1 213	2 463	3 089	67 Iron and steel
1 453	3 926	867	36	751	733	2 203	68 Non-ferrous metals
5 195	5 032	1 548	435	281	1 096	2 768	69 Manufactures of metals
42 635	41 710	12 860	5 612	5 983	15 983	60 609	7 Machinery and transport equipment
2 333	813	2 020	69	306	1 527	4 840	71 Power generating machinery and equipment
5 583	1 752	1 396	96	719	1 540	3 446	72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.
1 392	330	285	13	78	319	613	73 Metalworking machinery
9 275	2 580	1 823	332	586	2 259	5 169	74 General industry machinery and equipment
2 503	17 818	284	77	656	462	12 870	75 Office machines and computers
1 756	2 589	1 020	563	2 077	3 191	7 410	76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video
7 531	8 564	2 307	1 413	778	1 881	9 690	77 Electrical machinery
11 424	6 752	3 146	2 913	544	4 394	13 694	78 Road vehicles
837	512	579	137	237	409	2 876	79 Other transport equipment
25 062	12 233	4 782	5 041	1 034	3 140	15 165	8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles
1 401	522	311	95	179	258	413	81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting
4 197	592	648	252	117	612	861	82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses
447	158	11	12	3	7	143	83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods
7 498	2 599	867	2 818	120	301	2 897	84 Clothing and clothing accessories
3 899	528	365	1 437	29	28	441	85 Footwear
1 310	1 962	379	136	232	775	3 074	87 Professional, scientific, controlling material
874	1 373	146	45	16	118	1 455	88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks
5 437	4 499	2 055	246	339	1 041	5 880	89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles
666	14 745	28	15	216	1 161	2 933	Miscellaneous and adjustments

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	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
0-9 TOTAL	1 237 086	120 933	29 277	271 909	4 647	65 837	178 037	40 821
0 Food and live animals	96 540	12 617	6 628	12 813	1 105	8 871	18 869	3 775
00 Live animals	3 285	325	139	387	0	158	1 416	141
01 Meat and meat preparations	15 511	2 188	2 083	1 522	5	835	2 665	1 072
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	14 700	1 817	865	3 477	87	309	2 767	898
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	7 850	411	2 089	593	189	940	752	227
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	11 522	1 134	405	1 672	75	401	3 893	237
05 Vegetables and fruit	23 006	3 629	168	1 399	716	5 529	2 948	324
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	3 616	522	124	602	10	173	1 327	72
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	6 340	1 297	54	1 463	6	199	1 033	187
08 Feeding stuff for animals	5 285	637	367	808	2	155	1 018	97
1 Beverages and tobacco	17 024	987	312	1 721	181	1 091	4 559	483
11 Beverages	12 188	645	200	899	75	1 046	4 343	441
12 Tobacco	4 836	342	112	821	106	45	217	42
2 Crude materials, except fuels	33 575	2 969	1 008	4 911	237	1 283	4 373	566
21 Hides and skins, raw	1 274	66	173	164	15	73	283	64
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	1 536	106	13	85	9	17	718	1
23 Crude rubber	1 715	471	2	322	0	11	395	1
24 Cork and wood	5 742	349	85	654	4	159	543	52
25 Pulp and waste paper	3 166	160	23	195	0	213	252	4
26 Textile fibres and their wastes	2 735	317	3	735	92	190	461	110
27 Crude fertilizers	3 135	505	54	600	57	217	415	16
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	6 065	552	106	1 619	53	119	803	224
3 Energy	28 746	2 605	983	3 044	59	1 129	3 340	130
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	1 872	172	8	1 235	4	42	58	39
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	20 321	2 134	850	1 348	54	1 075	1 353	87
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	3 921	149	8	71	0	12	144	3
35 Electric current	2 631	150	117	390	:	0	1 785	1
4 Oils, fats and waxes	4 610	542	168	818	244	750	350	34
41 Animal oils and fats	471	54	55	102	0	11	85	25
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	3 182	317	51	492	244	711	219	4
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	956	171	62	224	0	27	45	5
5 Chemical products	154 633	23 050	2 589	33 026	209	4 959	24 810	13 727
51 Organic chemicals	35 702	5 400	289	5 762	6	770	4 819	8 707
52 Inorganic chemicals	7 394	1 140	46	1 658	3	182	1 570	148
53 Tanning and colouring materials	9 453	1 393	256	3 027	8	398	1 149	37
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	28 085	2 813	1 100	4 859	70	999	4 842	2 117
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	14 153	1 319	195	2 292	22	686	3 978	1 391
56 Fertilizers	2 447	657	24	537	12	98	139	45
57 Plastics in primary forms	24 786	5 948	102	5 406	16	1 039	3 761	84
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	14 900	2 070	311	4 637	33	430	1 284	128
6 Manufactured goods classified by material	205 871	26 756	3 507	41 242	990	11 200	28 111	1 392
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	2 781	82	26	291	37	251	182	37
62 Rubber manufactures	13 201	1 092	109	2 748	16	1 295	2 999	76
63 Cork and wood manufactures	7 370	915	484	1 160	5	374	908	95
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	33 701	2 826	319	6 544	14	924	3 958	122
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	32 308	5 147	560	5 206	309	1 830	4 321	382
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	22 546	3 887	370	3 559	118	1 778	2 584	180
67 Iron and steel	40 686	7 873	467	8 541	112	2 002	6 314	130
68 Non-ferrous metals	21 895	2 588	252	5 187	328	1 103	2 751	66
69 Manufactures of metals	36 081	2 347	920	7 986	50	1 643	4 095	306
7 Machinery and transport equipment	491 272	37 338	7 530	129 389	355	30 140	77 892	14 047
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	31 256	1 169	481	7 474	30	1 581	6 780	144
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	32 492	2 508	893	10 512	23	521	3 368	122
73 Metalworking machinery	7 450	545	67	2 428	4	357	784	14
74 General industry machinery and equipment	54 721	3 905	1 863	15 923	47	2 002	7 546	567
75 Office machines and computers	62 053	2 038	542	8 279	10	1 019	7 525	9 887
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	39 870	2 807	1 453	5 934	52	1 387	5 146	678
77 Electrical machinery	73 755	4 459	1 103	19 697	152	3 057	10 997	2 207
78 Road vehicles	162 677	19 458	646	49 915	19	19 553	25 794	361
79 Other transport equipment	26 997	450	481	9 228	18	664	9 952	68
8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles	134 513	13 122	4 878	25 493	1 329	5 785	15 655	4 708
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	6 420	717	220	1 235	9	322	861	65
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	14 718	1 297	1 424	2 586	8	827	1 438	106
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	1 570	341	16	140	1	70	270	8
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	31 322	3 414	1 045	4 480	1 189	921	3 155	410
85 Footwear	10 412	1 274	158	770	4	1 218	541	19
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	18 649	1 061	560	5 565	17	463	2 542	676
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	9 092	1 175	158	2 340	5	192	1 391	249
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	42 331	3 843	1 297	8 377	96	1 772	5 458	3 174
Miscellaneous and adjustments	70 302	946	1 675	19 452	-61	629	77	1 961

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I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	SITC Rev. 3
121 194	147 066	33 915	17 597	21 688	43 853	140 312	0-9 TOTAL
7 122	14 809	1 421	684	270	1 031	6 527	0 Food and live animals
42	395	71	8	0	3	199	00 Live animals
765	3 023	308	7	26	87	924	01 Meat and meat preparations
696	2 404	259	132	86	140	763	02 Dairy products and birds' eggs
256	940	2	199	2	302	948	03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs
1 200	549	204	44	32	188	1 486	04 Cereals and cereal preparations
3 141	4 143	276	184	14	78	457	05 Vegetables and fruit
109	229	64	40	36	32	276	06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey
363	915	123	25	56	80	538	07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices
102	1 571	54	8	5	21	439	08 Feeding stuff for animals
1 743	2 714	178	388	32	42	2 593	1 Beverages and tobacco
1 653	430	152	379	18	36	1 871	11 Beverages
90	2 284	26	9	14	6	722	12 Tobacco
1 139	7 715	1 469	724	1 893	3 184	2 104	2 Crude materials, except fuels
31	101	39	3	100	32	129	21 Hides and skins, raw
8	480	20	3	0	2	74	22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits
52	180	13	1	0	6	262	23 Crude rubber
155	146	819	124	1 072	1 520	60	24 Cork and wood
5	265	101	366	561	970	51	25 Pulp and waste paper
120	80	166	33	48	27	353	26 Textile fibres and their wastes
188	312	106	51	53	59	502	27 Crude fertilizers
98	1 096	161	114	56	538	527	28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap
832	7 643	200	124	458	736	7 462	3 Energy
8	213	3	4	8	8	70	32 Coal, coke and briquettes
814	4 432	33	110	440	718	6 872	33 Petroleum and petroleum products
10	2 987	0	10	3	10	514	34 Gas, natural and manufactured
:	11	164	:	7	:	6	35 Electric current
355	980	24	30	31	48	237	4 Oils, fats and waxes
35	56	7	1	1	13	27	41 Animal oils and fats
268	653	5	26	9	20	164	42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils
53	272	11	3	21	15	46	43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes
10 330	14 850	2 743	820	1 294	3 333	18 895	5 Chemical products
1 220	3 564	328	123	232	147	4 334	51 Organic chemicals
269	826	165	29	211	109	1 037	52 Inorganic chemicals
558	830	95	37	126	198	1 340	53 Tanning and colouring materials
2 377	1 572	609	121	99	1 941	4 567	54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products
1 106	676	109	52	22	144	2 161	55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics
31	580	108	30	18	21	146	56 Fertilizers
1 622	4 122	197	158	230	189	1 912	57 Plastics in primary forms
2 020	1 130	918	118	221	308	1 291	58 Plastics in non-primary forms
27 865	13 979	9 547	3 807	8 855	10 072	18 548	6 Manufactured goods classified by material
1 269	79	217	40	22	27	221	61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins
1 675	732	345	175	88	377	1 475	62 Rubber manufactures
549	284	695	605	596	443	258	63 Cork and wood manufactures
2 318	2 252	1 840	498	5 489	4 578	2 020	64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof
6 888	1 814	1 149	1 180	196	376	2 951	65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products
4 068	863	628	573	226	299	3 412	66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures
4 111	2 379	1 972	199	1 288	2 204	3 095	67 Iron and steel
1 530	3 467	967	86	685	696	2 190	68 Non-ferrous metals
5 457	6 826	1 734	452	265	1 073	2 927	69 Manufactures of metals
46 453	37 911	13 323	6 075	7 567	17 450	65 801	7 Machinery and transport equipment
2 658	812	2 130	111	375	1 934	5 578	71 Power generating machinery and equipment
6 006	1 650	1 425	103	768	926	3 668	72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.
1 576	246	292	13	108	335	681	73 Metalworking machinery
10 084	2 213	1 832	344	700	2 311	5 386	74 General industry machinery and equipment
2 480	15 421	280	57	610	485	13 419	75 Office machines and computers
1 996	2 426	1 054	632	3 172	4 222	8 911	76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video
7 884	7 390	2 312	1 557	808	2 085	10 048	77 Electrical machinery
12 591	7 415	3 469	3 144	629	4 755	14 929	78 Road vehicles
1 177	339	528	114	398	399	3 181	79 Other transport equipment
24 352	10 906	4 386	4 937	1 114	3 062	14 788	8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles
1 362	463	243	88	182	248	405	81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting
3 982	494	688	273	129	631	836	82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses
408	142	10	11	4	7	141	83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods
7 409	2 416	924	2 790	125	334	2 710	84 Clothing and clothing accessories
3 736	484	384	1 373	31	28	392	85 Footwear
1 341	1 808	337	131	275	779	3 091	87 Professional, scientific, controlling material
824	970	154	39	13	126	1 457	88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks
5 289	4 128	1 645	232	355	910	5 755	89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles
1 003	35 561	624	9	175	4 896	3 356	Miscellaneous and adjustments

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Product list SITC Rev. 3	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
0-9 TOTAL	1 107 585	101 770	27 807	228 257	15 432	67 275	165 673	21 302
0 Food and live animals	96 912	8 858	2 387	20 870	2 275	5 359	14 066	1 869
00 Live animals	3 128	281	10	279	38	333	247	100
01 Meat and meat preparations	15 872	810	454	3 557	679	512	2 542	201
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	14 515	1 777	208	3 208	478	723	1 711	212
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	7 155	517	182	835	121	1 023	1 560	70
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	11 684	1 444	274	1 631	274	907	1 380	341
05 Vegetables and fruit	23 130	1 547	521	7 243	217	583	3 373	345
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	3 643	621	167	587	58	337	420	127
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	6 595	617	171	1 404	104	231	1 427	157
08 Feeding stuff for animals	5 291	717	245	913	118	196	663	171
1 Beverages and tobacco	16 058	1 504	392	2 862	396	1 016	2 612	324
11 Beverages	11 283	1 167	374	2 281	227	807	1 229	262
12 Tobacco	4 775	337	18	581	169	209	1 383	63
2 Crude materials, except fuels	34 742	3 739	1 036	7 874	304	2 138	3 927	308
21 Hides and skins, raw	1 487	51	43	104	46	127	67	8
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	1 276	201	24	527	7	63	69	10
23 Crude rubber	1 880	245	29	380	11	174	328	9
24 Cork and wood	5 855	410	524	890	79	301	478	107
25 Pulp and waste paper	3 350	128	26	1 068	11	154	412	3
26 Textile fibres and their wastes	3 345	339	22	449	48	235	388	45
27 Crude fertilizers	3 469	471	76	665	31	144	396	50
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	7 585	1 512	61	1 755	4	651	742	21
3 Energy	36 320	7 100	562	11 606	117	844	4 958	667
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	920	119	8	231	5	43	185	22
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	28 547	5 900	516	8 425	108	718	4 011	541
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	4 847	754	2	2 526	3	73	617	103
35 Electric current	2 005	327	36	424	.	10	145	2
4 Oils, fats and waxes	4 926	507	171	539	56	164	755	105
41 Animal oils and fats	512	66	35	61	2	41	64	8
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	3 439	336	81	294	45	69	539	61
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	975	106	55	184	9	53	152	36
5 Chemical products	142 388	15 954	3 437	24 152	2 415	9 316	21 542	2 998
51 Organic chemicals	32 293	5 282	283	5 554	292	2 103	4 332	504
52 Inorganic chemicals	7 326	1 084	176	1 251	57	431	1 300	130
53 Tanning and colouring materials	8 719	816	351	1 173	190	608	1 284	125
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	24 449	2 198	650	3 890	684	1 707	3 690	494
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	12 042	932	380	1 901	323	872	1 630	573
56 Fertilizers	2 497	274	65	442	61	166	643	145
57 Plastics in primary forms	26 864	2 931	693	5 207	367	1 553	3 722	395
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	11 668	1 009	427	2 019	151	737	2 096	242
6 Manufactured goods classified by material	188 680	18 747	5 542	37 481	2 808	11 510	29 707	3 080
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	2 575	114	34	494	144	235	397	9
62 Rubber manufactures	11 784	915	275	2 683	142	977	1 573	135
63 Cork and wood manufactures	6 167	468	267	1 553	84	328	809	105
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	30 774	2 665	1 168	5 604	507	1 839	5 005	720
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	29 786	2 281	766	5 762	684	1 727	4 800	484
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	20 950	4 263	430	3 867	321	933	3 175	338
67 Iron and steel	38 615	3 422	1 143	7 907	426	2 589	6 178	416
68 Non-ferrous metals	21 359	2 044	482	4 900	119	1 124	3 353	309
69 Manufactures of metals	30 138	2 575	977	4 711	372	1 758	4 418	563
7 Machinery and transport equipment	421 691	32 132	10 322	79 682	4 918	30 148	67 849	7 157
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	24 457	2 313	517	5 304	223	2 903	4 127	124
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	28 265	1 974	1 044	3 499	692	2 303	5 039	695
73 Metalworking machinery	5 859	589	125	748	82	374	1 092	58
74 General industry machinery and equipment	46 014	4 072	1 408	7 864	745	3 198	7 596	618
75 Office machines and computers	52 660	2 766	1 655	8 950	360	2 323	7 044	1 850
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	30 382	1 764	1 256	4 867	564	2 146	3 901	473
77 Electrical machinery	64 799	4 504	1 626	12 551	693	4 065	10 043	1 597
78 Road vehicles	146 719	13 519	2 502	29 276	1 474	12 167	18 936	1 559
79 Other transport equipment	22 537	631	188	6 623	84	669	10 071	181
8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles	118 509	10 155	3 483	23 919	2 109	6 439	20 125	2 753
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	5 578	491	184	1 350	108	293	778	122
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	11 922	1 355	321	3 009	151	410	1 968	160
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	1 325	122	38	240	23	75	296	30
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	26 261	2 417	768	6 160	626	1 400	4 259	771
85 Footwear	9 300	562	272	2 574	159	164	1 707	195
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	16 291	1 106	394	2 530	248	1 209	2 723	228
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	8 945	640	274	1 561	161	612	1 349	118
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	38 889	3 462	1 232	6 496	633	2 275	7 045	1 128
Miscellaneous and adjustments	47 358	3 073	476	19 273	34	341	132	2 041

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112 644	98 528	42 564	23 583	17 934	39 117	145 698	0-9 TOTAL
12 170	8 583	2 699	2 143	1 060	2 077	12 495	0 Food and live animals
1 049	492	43	85	1	4	167	00 Live animals
2 818	881	271	355	78	246	2 468	01 Meat and meat preparations
2 379	1 731	260	155	102	146	1 426	02 Dairy products and birds' eggs
1 455	385	145	333	32	136	360	03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs
1 388	1 441	331	470	150	202	1 452	04 Cereals and cereal preparations
1 544	1 869	733	365	326	683	3 781	05 Vegetables and fruit
391	252	138	40	46	114	344	06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey
321	515	368	123	113	200	844	07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices
509	693	198	107	76	162	523	08 Feeding stuff for animals
1 653	1 298	235	248	142	359	3 018	1 Beverages and tobacco
645	838	191	211	108	297	2 647	11 Beverages
1 009	460	44	37	34	62	370	12 Tobacco
5 529	2 822	1 343	551	657	902	3 612	2 Crude materials, except fuels
618	110	61	35	85	15	119	21 Hides and skins, raw
20	112	15	37	14	23	154	22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits
271	114	58	46	19	44	153	23 Crude rubber
1 078	489	269	111	22	80	1 016	24 Cork and wood
497	408	191	42	24	81	306	25 Pulp and waste paper
1 013	168	93	122	39	27	357	26 Textile fibres and their wastes
422	441	123	75	155	144	274	27 Crude fertilizers
1 080	569	236	12	213	276	452	28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap
1 542	3 294	775	587	655	1 808	1 804	3 Energy
70	70	39	4	26	24	75	32 Coal, coke and briquettes
1 386	2 748	557	356	517	1 667	1 097	33 Petroleum and petroleum products
86	268	67	176	8	118	47	34 Gas, natural and manufactured
:	208	113	51	103	:	586	35 Electric current
1 144	528	114	156	44	142	502	4 Oils, fats and waxes
46	66	8	5	3	36	73	41 Animal oils and fats
1 047	312	61	142	26	87	338	42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils
51	150	46	9	15	19	91	43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes
17 952	11 563	4 927	2 750	2 570	4 484	18 328	5 Chemical products
4 270	2 970	431	400	383	987	4 504	51 Organic chemicals
692	564	228	129	174	221	887	52 Inorganic chemicals
1 195	706	417	320	224	312	998	53 Tanning and colouring materials
2 595	2 186	1 295	513	460	833	3 253	54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products
1 318	911	541	336	237	378	1 711	55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics
204	133	33	50	11	66	203	56 Fertilizers
4 320	1 800	874	452	484	776	3 292	57 Plastics in primary forms
1 094	952	516	229	210	374	1 612	58 Plastics in non-primary forms
19 597	14 769	8 287	5 085	2 744	6 178	23 145	6 Manufactured goods classified by material
389	93	140	247	34	35	211	61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins
1 135	950	571	302	204	610	1 313	62 Rubber manufactures
472	607	386	106	49	177	756	63 Cork and wood manufactures
2 388	3 019	1 037	550	366	611	5 296	64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof
3 215	2 070	1 203	1 462	393	631	4 309	65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products
1 711	1 384	907	427	271	460	2 463	66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures
5 265	2 973	1 141	938	668	1 912	3 638	67 Iron and steel
3 076	1 266	1 110	425	271	648	2 231	68 Non-ferrous metals
1 946	5 896	1 792	628	489	1 095	2 917	69 Manufactures of metals
43 372	31 302	16 786	9 174	7 665	16 823	64 362	7 Machinery and transport equipment
1 799	1 434	1 095	617	387	1 003	2 612	71 Power generating machinery and equipment
2 897	1 562	1 530	952	731	1 338	4 009	72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.
825	205	339	121	152	376	771	73 Metalworking machinery
4 665	2 826	2 663	922	1 099	2 323	6 014	74 General industry machinery and equipment
4 753	8 955	1 418	649	1 009	2 289	8 638	75 Office machines and computers
3 772	2 094	1 074	716	681	1 959	5 116	76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video
6 810	4 466	3 045	1 631	1 920	3 093	8 755	77 Electrical machinery
17 116	9 276	5 084	3 424	1 584	4 189	26 613	78 Road vehicles
734	485	538	141	103	255	1 834	79 Other transport equipment
8 851	8 595	7 319	2 801	1 938	4 170	15 852	8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles
353	515	375	136	83	137	653	81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting
371	1 109	978	210	147	375	1 358	82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses
121	48	78	37	17	24	176	83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods
1 433	1 604	1 818	732	451	798	3 025	84 Clothing and clothing accessories
443	533	536	205	109	237	1 603	85 Footwear
2 169	1 096	763	297	331	822	2 373	87 Professional, scientific, controlling material
1 023	751	393	204	160	389	1 310	88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks
2 938	2 938	2 379	980	641	1 389	5 353	89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles
834	15 774	78	89	459	2 175	2 579	Miscellaneous and adjustments

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Product list SITC Rev. 3	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
0-9 TOTAL	1 175 754	105 499	29 031	240 902	14 692	76 398	184 998	23 406
0 Food and live animals	96 078	9 124	2 354	19 834	2 304	5 791	14 885	1 969
00 Live animals	3 186	289	8	251	37	343	233	96
01 Meat and meat preparations	15 000	746	390	3 148	683	573	2 521	212
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	14 532	1 927	217	2 939	485	780	1 933	230
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	7 589	563	199	857	119	1 097	1 745	78
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	11 066	1 366	317	1 508	285	961	1 414	381
05 Vegetables and fruit	23 388	1 627	485	7 112	250	704	3 674	381
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	3 653	714	159	576	39	365	431	94
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	6 604	651	177	1 381	106	248	1 489	173
08 Feeding stuff for animals	5 001	701	234	816	141	193	628	151
1 Beverages and tobacco	16 799	1 634	423	2 988	420	1 099	2 839	358
11 Beverages	11 770	1 231	404	2 315	222	787	1 401	296
12 Tobacco	5 029	404	19	674	198	312	1 439	62
2 Crude materials, except fuels	33 189	3 274	1 010	7 701	288	2 145	4 045	329
21 Hides and skins, raw	1 275	45	47	101	50	106	56	5
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	1 251	162	32	601	5	62	59	8
23 Crude rubber	1 964	250	26	400	11	184	344	8
24 Cork and wood	5 600	392	501	761	70	341	487	122
25 Pulp and waste paper	3 262	127	23	1 031	5	148	377	5
26 Textile fibres and their wastes	2 992	300	20	413	42	210	373	47
27 Crude fertilizers	3 313	433	81	623	32	154	416	53
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	6 863	1 174	56	1 776	8	626	736	27
3 Energy	27 826	5 581	390	8 629	120	858	3 758	573
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	918	132	9	263	4	35	182	20
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	21 058	4 439	350	6 034	113	676	2 816	411
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	4 043	716	3	2 022	3	58	527	140
35 Electric current	1 806	295	27	311	.	90	233	2
4 Oils, fats and waxes	4 933	542	194	577	63	165	806	106
41 Animal oils and fats	460	55	36	55	3	44	63	4
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	3 437	351	106	332	51	68	561	63
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	1 035	135	52	191	9	53	183	39
5 Chemical products	148 550	19 060	3 616	25 124	2 483	10 080	23 844	2 849
51 Organic chemicals	33 414	6 614	291	5 653	283	2 102	4 922	498
52 Inorganic chemicals	7 664	1 391	188	1 210	75	483	1 328	112
53 Tanning and colouring materials	9 190	862	373	1 305	187	650	1 410	143
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	27 647	3 017	711	4 370	697	2 013	4 451	558
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	12 742	1 063	403	2 011	401	936	1 788	485
56 Fertilizers	2 474	284	55	505	44	186	704	106
57 Plastics in primary forms	26 490	3 111	702	5 392	341	1 663	3 899	384
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	12 094	1 134	459	1 939	144	829	2 259	257
6 Manufactured goods classified by material	192 892	19 616	5 824	37 519	2 872	12 831	32 589	3 125
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	2 518	122	42	481	166	250	386	9
62 Rubber manufactures	12 434	1 132	284	2 679	128	1 151	1 755	145
63 Cork and wood manufactures	6 378	500	284	1 502	94	398	914	110
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	32 322	2 884	1 186	5 932	550	2 142	5 652	721
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	30 151	2 399	825	5 698	650	1 884	5 220	498
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	20 456	4 027	455	3 677	308	997	3 410	340
67 Iron and steel	40 053	3 761	1 263	8 068	468	2 785	7 045	439
68 Non-ferrous metals	20 739	1 985	484	4 773	114	1 183	3 323	292
69 Manufactures of metals	33 719	2 806	1 001	4 710	394	2 041	4 884	570
7 Machinery and transport equipment	460 633	35 577	11 209	83 224	5 188	35 777	80 543	9 018
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	28 328	2 960	466	5 585	184	3 214	5 901	120
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	29 963	2 157	1 017	3 491	663	2 843	5 718	1 046
73 Metalworking machinery	6 338	606	162	791	89	467	1 345	60
74 General industry machinery and equipment	48 634	4 378	1 530	8 120	706	3 754	8 603	685
75 Office machines and computers	58 971	2 792	1 618	10 217	402	2 477	8 926	2 908
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	33 767	2 193	1 493	5 159	743	2 597	4 356	559
77 Electrical machinery	66 816	4 734	1 783	12 437	839	4 551	11 231	1 550
78 Road vehicles	161 102	15 422	3 019	28 652	1 432	15 206	22 508	2 002
79 Other transport equipment	26 715	337	120	8 770	130	668	11 956	88
8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles	121 414	10 831	3 580	22 821	2 086	7 253	21 880	2 840
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	5 593	540	214	1 238	103	351	865	133
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	12 301	1 507	365	2 831	152	459	2 245	186
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	1 335	116	37	221	22	85	317	27
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	27 288	2 535	739	5 778	607	1 541	4 824	805
85 Footwear	9 063	489	245	2 336	157	258	1 743	199
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	17 052	1 302	432	2 554	288	1 378	2 877	260
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	8 745	503	257	1 458	158	667	1 410	118
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	40 039	3 839	1 290	6 406	598	2 515	7 598	1 112
Miscellaneous and adjustments	73 439	261	431	32 484	-1 134	399	-191	2 238

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Reporter							Product list
I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	SITC Rev. 3
118 543	101 136	43 945	25 444	19 228	41 878	150 654	0-9 TOTAL
12 347	7 003	2 508	2 283	1 097	2 164	12 416	0 Food and live animals
1 207	454	43	59	2	3	161	00 Live animals
2 867	640	260	340	85	257	2 277	01 Meat and meat preparations
2 395	1 475	281	161	100	174	1 435	02 Dairy products and birds' eggs
1 526	336	146	350	36	126	411	03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs
1 262	1 027	304	527	172	231	1 311	04 Cereals and cereal preparations
1 562	1 533	572	450	329	716	3 994	05 Vegetables and fruit
370	222	125	39	51	117	353	06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey
355	421	351	127	85	201	838	07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices
497	626	210	111	80	138	475	08 Feeding stuff for animals
1 736	1 044	253	299	167	404	3 134	1 Beverages and tobacco
685	666	203	257	132	337	2 835	11 Beverages
1 052	378	49	42	35	67	299	12 Tobacco
5 258	2 332	1 347	562	610	868	3 419	2 Crude materials, except fuels
536	63	57	35	70	11	92	21 Hides and skins, raw
21	81	15	30	26	34	114	22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits
291	121	59	39	23	46	161	23 Crude rubber
1 067	350	285	127	24	95	979	24 Cork and wood
475	423	213	32	33	107	263	25 Pulp and waste paper
851	145	83	130	37	25	315	26 Textile fibres and their wastes
396	392	124	70	136	151	253	27 Crude fertilizers
1 061	368	225	22	176	220	387	28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap
1 203	2 448	685	568	562	880	1 568	3 Energy
76	54	37	4	25	21	56	32 Coal, coke and briquettes
1 061	1 997	548	395	439	812	968	33 Petroleum and petroleum products
67	200	67	158	4	47	32	34 Gas, natural and manufactured
:	197	33	11	94	:	513	35 Electric current
902	610	127	151	48	131	510	4 Oils, fats and waxes
56	62	8	5	3	7	59	41 Animal oils and fats
783	403	75	138	29	102	375	42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils
62	145	44	9	16	22	76	43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes
18 586	9 287	4 992	2 831	2 608	4 533	18 658	5 Chemical products
4 249	2 174	402	359	309	968	4 592	51 Organic chemicals
718	462	248	126	203	253	868	52 Inorganic chemicals
1 243	636	439	340	232	326	1 045	53 Tanning and colouring materials
3 133	1 812	1 396	571	502	866	3 550	54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products
1 443	817	487	400	236	416	1 856	55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics
210	124	32	35	11	14	165	56 Fertilizers
4 143	1 365	836	437	499	743	2 974	57 Plastics in primary forms
1 146	809	545	238	224	404	1 707	58 Plastics in non-primary forms
20 012	12 770	8 535	5 308	2 816	6 184	22 891	6 Manufactured goods classified by material
357	68	144	243	37	31	182	61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins
1 213	903	584	324	201	572	1 363	62 Rubber manufactures
519	477	397	115	55	192	823	63 Cork and wood manufactures
2 508	2 688	1 048	600	354	624	5 433	64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof
3 236	1 701	1 198	1 528	412	627	4 274	65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products
1 739	1 076	902	457	287	462	2 319	66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures
5 353	2 711	1 219	941	686	1 859	3 456	67 Iron and steel
3 031	1 037	1 170	399	271	655	2 022	68 Non-ferrous metals
2 057	7 989	1 874	700	514	1 162	3 018	69 Manufactures of metals
48 096	30 028	17 021	10 344	8 832	18 361	67 415	7 Machinery and transport equipment
2 073	1 457	1 246	589	480	1 174	2 879	71 Power generating machinery and equipment
3 417	1 561	1 372	1 056	816	1 141	3 663	72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.
912	205	313	114	159	343	774	73 Metalworking machinery
5 304	2 391	2 631	1 010	1 129	2 302	6 091	74 General industry machinery and equipment
5 249	8 260	1 364	755	1 223	2 623	10 158	75 Office machines and computers
4 529	1 883	1 110	878	790	2 388	5 090	76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video
7 001	3 845	2 902	1 776	2 138	3 420	8 607	77 Electrical machinery
18 579	10 069	5 340	3 932	1 946	4 673	28 323	78 Road vehicles
1 032	358	745	234	150	295	1 831	79 Other transport equipment
9 328	7 025	7 448	3 045	2 066	4 334	16 877	8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles
364	371	378	142	88	141	663	81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting
397	844	988	250	170	400	1 504	82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses
124	52	77	42	18	24	173	83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods
1 508	1 493	1 791	808	469	812	3 578	84 Clothing and clothing accessories
438	444	535	212	110	264	1 634	85 Footwear
2 275	1 019	747	342	351	818	2 409	87 Professional, scientific, controlling material
1 047	516	390	214	164	442	1 399	88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks
3 175	2 285	2 543	1 033	696	1 432	5 517	89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles
1 076	28 588	1 030	53	421	4 018	3 765	Miscellaneous and adjustments

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	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
0-9 TOTAL	729 610	38 577	14 201	210 545	4 733	27 501	107 615	17 619
0 Food and live animals	31 570	1 988	2 898	4 826	665	2 392	5 575	1 245
00 Live animals	654	21	14	166	1	13	134	23
01 Meat and meat preparations	3 996	252	1 159	298	28	137	785	353
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	4 583	197	494	774	26	109	1 004	117
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	1 594	12	232	110	16	409	208	61
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	4 916	407	260	709	60	177	1 349	21
05 Vegetables and fruit	4 618	231	58	386	456	940	393	6
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	2 471	368	92	411	16	218	492	19
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	2 807	144	53	738	27	155	267	75
08 Feeding stuff for animals	1 907	195	231	584	15	59	183	5
1 Beverages and tobacco	11 752	148	104	1 198	329	487	3 624	239
11 Beverages	9 450	98	61	565	47	448	3 509	231
12 Tobacco	2 302	50	42	634	282	39	115	9
2 Crude materials, except fuels	11 397	666	433	2 009	260	618	1 166	172
21 Hides and skins, raw	773	17	210	73	6	29	31	11
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	288	3	3	60	9	2	140	0
23 Crude rubber	660	152	1	123	0	8	177	1
24 Cork and wood	2 002	42	45	283	7	23	146	1
25 Pulp and waste paper	673	26	2	142	3	39	36	1
26 Textile fibres and their wastes	1 560	157	7	262	140	51	176	15
27 Crude fertilizers	1 347	76	12	238	42	206	133	16
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	1 849	153	23	359	43	174	82	118
3 Energy	13 714	1 267	192	1 435	584	1 070	2 308	24
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	136	7	4	34	1	3	4	3
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	11 982	1 253	151	1 233	564	1 015	1 217	21
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	409	6	4	27	19	19	148	:
35 Electric current	1 187	:	33	141	:	34	939	:
4 Oils, fats and waxes	2 749	231	81	502	58	444	234	15
41 Animal oils and fats	125	3	29	20	1	4	15	0
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	2 265	199	12	372	55	426	210	0
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	359	30	40	110	2	14	9	15
5 Chemical products	93 757	8 365	1 764	28 032	384	2 824	14 281	5 952
51 Organic chemicals	19 853	2 566	261	5 121	24	583	2 529	2 773
52 Inorganic chemicals	4 020	398	11	1 429	9	99	659	23
53 Tanning and colouring materials	6 894	298	140	2 712	49	406	659	12
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	25 965	2 108	953	7 664	34	451	3 794	2 099
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	9 336	320	87	1 979	94	431	2 979	627
56 Fertilizers	685	199	27	76	36	34	50	0
57 Plastics in primary forms	9 063	1 255	26	2 998	43	330	1 048	55
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	5 885	398	111	2 259	53	221	370	35
6 Manufactured goods classified by material	112 420	12 760	1 293	29 843	987	5 658	12 169	398
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	3 204	28	27	556	20	185	236	33
62 Rubber manufactures	4 818	181	27	1 536	17	412	778	25
63 Cork and wood manufactures	3 159	82	89	826	22	190	315	14
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	13 384	301	126	3 450	51	429	1 135	11
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	20 227	1 522	301	5 938	138	886	2 424	71
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	22 532	8 128	172	2 922	230	1 427	1 658	144
67 Iron and steel	17 556	1 288	142	5 314	169	987	2 561	6
68 Non-ferrous metals	8 236	675	38	2 996	214	201	887	20
69 Manufactures of metals	19 451	556	371	6 046	127	939	2 174	75
7 Machinery and transport equipment	341 774	10 443	4 387	116 697	595	9 894	57 137	7 008
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	32 661	561	433	11 010	72	644	5 315	135
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	43 966	1 498	752	16 844	71	825	4 393	111
73 Metalworking machinery	8 703	191	53	3 895	5	305	495	24
74 General industry machinery and equipment	47 150	1 581	1 199	16 896	73	1 330	5 204	243
75 Office machines and computers	20 945	688	254	4 061	27	366	2 218	3 297
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	27 849	1 045	441	4 670	74	822	4 279	1 015
77 Electrical machinery	53 195	1 168	519	18 653	137	1 379	9 122	2 035
78 Road vehicles	68 051	3 352	259	35 863	56	3 031	6 460	7
79 Other transport equipment	39 253	359	478	4 806	82	1 193	19 652	140
8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles	88 970	2 264	2 146	20 834	840	3 398	10 898	1 925
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	3 393	151	79	864	17	215	325	9
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	8 209	146	452	1 458	22	420	705	18
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	1 792	34	6	140	4	42	704	5
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	14 082	193	373	2 372	381	463	1 938	28
85 Footwear	5 752	16	79	502	29	718	381	2
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	18 403	269	397	6 664	30	257	2 331	711
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	7 480	534	142	2 012	12	126	853	111
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	29 859	921	619	6 822	345	1 157	3 662	1 041
9 Articles not classified elsewhere	16 855	445	902	5 169	30	717	224	641

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I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	SITC Rev. 3
94 445	39 560	20 083	3 987	17 137	31 789	101 818	0-9 TOTAL
3 071	4 455	640	174	478	550	2 614	0 Food and live animals
5	82	12	0	2	6	176	00 Live animals
201	464	91	27	33	26	144	01 Meat and meat preparations
274	1 045	33	10	142	38	322	02 Dairy products and birds' eggs
69	247	4	37	14	29	145	03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs
935	201	78	16	87	153	463	04 Cereals and cereal preparations
903	891	122	43	33	27	128	05 Vegetables and fruit
139	164	60	16	27	32	418	06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey
235	408	114	4	53	97	438	07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices
106	332	56	6	15	14	106	08 Feeding stuff for animals
1 146	778	136	159	79	216	3 107	1 Beverages and tobacco
1 047	663	106	153	65	199	2 258	11 Beverages
99	115	30	7	14	17	850	12 Tobacco
864	1 470	485	160	789	1 093	1 213	2 Crude materials, except fuels
33	65	6	0	177	14	101	21 Hides and skins, raw
3	39	15	0	0	1	13	22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits
26	34	5	0	2	2	129	23 Crude rubber
132	33	233	36	429	579	13	24 Cork and wood
6	48	32	36	78	205	18	25 Pulp and waste paper
132	91	83	25	25	21	376	26 Textile fibres and their wastes
219	50	81	12	32	32	196	27 Crude fertilizers
116	198	9	36	39	214	285	28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap
2 029	1 132	266	221	259	370	2 556	3 Energy
5	27	1	2	3	7	36	32 Coal, coke and briquettes
1 989	1 045	224	218	251	353	2 446	33 Petroleum and petroleum products
35	60	4	1	2	10	74	34 Gas, natural and manufactured
:	:	38	:	3	:	:	35 Electric current
438	480	20	89	17	26	113	4 Oils, fats and waxes
9	11	2	4	1	7	19	41 Animal oils and fats
417	399	12	85	8	15	57	42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils
12	70	6	1	8	4	38	43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes
7 706	5 288	2 390	231	1 096	2 392	13 050	5 Chemical products
1 551	1 008	342	40	122	115	2 818	51 Organic chemicals
215	197	139	5	111	45	680	52 Inorganic chemicals
636	460	204	24	223	160	911	53 Tanning and colouring materials
1 997	1 140	760	63	108	1 237	3 556	54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products
687	345	133	25	76	126	1 428	55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics
25	93	30	3	66	8	37	56 Fertilizers
904	974	119	35	141	344	790	57 Plastics in primary forms
793	259	382	22	126	166	691	58 Plastics in non-primary forms
18 270	3 463	4 820	1 214	4 310	5 100	12 135	6 Manufactured goods classified by material
1 619	70	118	17	44	25	225	61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins
555	131	171	18	86	201	680	62 Rubber manufactures
373	37	264	308	216	336	87	63 Cork and wood manufactures
973	567	910	61	2 587	1 582	1 200	64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof
4 751	865	656	400	148	338	1 789	65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products
3 666	238	673	203	182	254	2 635	66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures
2 386	575	776	40	452	1 026	1 834	67 Iron and steel
622	328	307	6	201	378	1 364	68 Non-ferrous metals
3 325	1 057	945	160	395	959	2 320	69 Manufactures of metals
37 961	12 974	8 838	1 058	8 868	17 182	48 732	7 Machinery and transport equipment
2 073	1 048	768	66	885	1 094	8 558	71 Power generating machinery and equipment
8 923	1 470	1 471	81	1 278	1 290	4 960	72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.
1 893	149	277	17	101	331	968	73 Metalworking machinery
9 131	1 604	1 381	199	919	1 948	5 444	74 General industry machinery and equipment
793	3 084	299	23	353	373	5 108	75 Office machines and computers
1 236	635	932	86	2 562	5 268	4 782	76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video
4 887	2 855	1 844	366	1 410	2 185	6 636	77 Electrical machinery
4 884	1 600	1 486	157	582	3 672	6 643	78 Road vehicles
4 140	527	381	62	779	1 021	5 634	79 Other transport equipment
21 808	3 266	2 411	661	1 236	2 812	14 470	8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles
782	136	155	23	136	203	299	81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting
3 353	111	211	34	127	564	588	82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses
758	14	9	1	5	6	63	83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods
5 758	192	362	295	109	177	1 441	84 Clothing and clothing accessories
3 198	73	115	163	43	31	403	85 Footwear
1 106	808	431	42	346	793	4 217	87 Professional, scientific, controlling material
1 252	1 065	161	10	28	156	1 017	88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks
5 600	866	969	93	442	881	6 441	89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles
1 152	1 601	77	18	5	2 048	3 826	9 Articles not classified elsewhere

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	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
0-9 TOTAL	101 075	5 600	2 081	29 800	593	3 620	14 647	3 219
0 Food and live animals	4 209	222	412	641	74	375	794	204
00 Live animals	83	3	1	26	0	2	15	5
01 Meat and meat preparations	542	24	186	42	1	14	104	49
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	580	22	67	95	3	12	147	11
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	224	2	32	16	2	56	32	9
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	650	44	28	95	5	27	213	3
05 Vegetables and fruit	691	23	9	56	55	193	61	1
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	259	33	15	50	1	22	56	5
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	341	16	7	91	2	20	33	12
08 Feeding stuff for animals	268	32	30	75	2	10	32	1
1 Beverages and tobacco	1 616	20	11	162	51	62	492	39
11 Beverages	1 269	10	6	72	5	58	475	37
12 Tobacco	348	10	5	90	46	5	17	1
2 Crude materials, except fuels	1 731	109	59	299	41	93	161	39
21 Hides and skins, raw	82	3	22	8	0	1	3	1
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	21	0	0	2	2	1	6	:
23 Crude rubber	84	7	0	19	0	1	24	0
24 Cork and wood	358	34	8	63	1	3	24	0
25 Pulp and waste paper	120	6	0	22	0	6	6	0
26 Textile fibres and their wastes	213	22	1	31	28	6	25	6
27 Crude fertilizers	188	10	2	34	4	25	17	15
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	248	19	4	44	4	38	11	16
3 Energy	1 600	129	26	188	109	125	319	5
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	18	0	1	5	0	0	1	0
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	1 290	128	16	160	106	116	115	4
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	64	1	0	5	3	1	15	:
35 Electric current	228	:	9	17	:	7	187	:
4 Oils, fats and waxes	314	29	10	64	5	52	28	1
41 Animal oils and fats	15	1	2	3	0	1	1	0
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	250	23	0	46	4	49	25	0
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	50	6	8	15	0	2	2	1
5 Chemical products	14 209	1 288	246	4 226	47	399	2 212	1 172
51 Organic chemicals	3 611	377	42	854	3	89	405	797
52 Inorganic chemicals	625	57	2	213	1	12	128	3
53 Tanning and colouring materials	923	42	18	362	6	60	91	2
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	3 960	377	132	1 208	4	71	645	224
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	1 306	50	13	288	14	57	427	94
56 Fertilizers	126	64	3	10	1	3	6	0
57 Plastics in primary forms	1 214	179	4	426	7	46	142	8
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	777	47	15	304	7	29	48	11
6 Manufactured goods classified by material	15 163	1 949	184	4 084	121	734	1 629	61
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	420	4	4	74	2	18	33	2
62 Rubber manufactures	706	24	3	223	2	60	116	3
63 Cork and wood manufactures	423	12	13	110	3	23	49	2
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	1 876	43	17	491	7	52	172	1
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	2 682	212	46	840	19	112	317	13
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	3 242	1 344	23	394	31	189	216	21
67 Iron and steel	2 016	119	16	638	21	121	293	1
68 Non-ferrous metals	1 118	94	6	421	24	20	115	6
69 Manufactures of metals	2 857	98	55	858	14	138	318	11
7 Machinery and transport equipment	45 696	1 448	670	16 156	66	1 211	7 310	1 217
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	4 716	98	83	1 599	8	88	844	13
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	5 486	195	99	2 098	11	106	575	28
73 Metalworking machinery	1 153	16	7	510	0	46	65	9
74 General industry machinery and equipment	6 259	198	161	2 343	8	173	730	38
75 Office machines and computers	3 309	101	44	635	3	60	311	541
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	3 978	146	76	645	7	86	517	234
77 Electrical machinery	7 350	156	80	2 590	19	169	1 260	339
78 Road vehicles	9 102	450	32	5 046	5	337	917	1
79 Other transport equipment	4 343	87	89	691	6	145	2 092	15
8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles	12 384	346	334	2 923	77	469	1 664	382
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	408	19	10	98	2	31	38	1
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	1 116	22	72	209	2	55	104	3
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	307	3	1	19	1	6	149	0
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	2 028	32	61	400	45	76	326	6
85 Footwear	852	2	15	76	2	108	61	1
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	2 510	42	58	909	4	28	332	115
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	942	85	19	267	1	18	117	18
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	4 221	140	98	945	19	149	536	238
9 Articles not classified elsewhere	2 535	61	129	973	3	100	34	99

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Reporter							Product list
I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	SITC Rev. 3
11 852	6 163	2 790	518	2 196	4 511	13 486	0-9 TOTAL
402	556	86	21	46	81	296	0 Food and live animals
1	12	1	0	0	1	16	00 Live animals
22	59	12	2	4	4	18	01 Meat and meat preparations
42	132	4	1	14	5	25	02 Dairy products and birds' eggs
6	33	0	5	2	4	26	03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs
115	19	11	1	8	26	54	04 Cereals and cereal preparations
143	100	18	6	2	4	22	05 Vegetables and fruit
13	13	6	1	3	3	37	06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey
25	54	15	1	6	14	46	07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices
11	45	10	1	1	2	15	08 Feeding stuff for animals
133	155	18	22	6	29	416	1 Beverages and tobacco
121	134	15	16	5	27	289	11 Beverages
12	22	3	6	1	2	127	12 Tobacco
127	269	74	18	114	161	167	2 Crude materials, except fuels
4	7	1	0	19	4	11	21 Hides and skins, raw
0	5	2	0	0	0	1	22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits
3	5	1	0	0	0	24	23 Crude rubber
22	5	40	5	63	89	2	24 Cork and wood
1	9	6	4	23	33	5	25 Pulp and waste paper
18	12	11	3	1	3	46	26 Textile fibres and their wastes
25	9	10	1	4	4	27	27 Crude fertilizers
20	21	1	3	3	24	41	28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap
227	78	31	22	21	40	282	3 Energy
0	2	0	1	0	1	6	32 Coal, coke and briquettes
221	66	23	22	21	37	256	33 Petroleum and petroleum products
6	10	0	0	0	2	20	34 Gas, natural and manufactured
:	:	7	:	0	:	:	35 Electric current
49	44	6	7	3	4	12	4 Oils, fats and waxes
0	1	0	1	0	2	2	41 Animal oils and fats
48	35	5	6	0	2	6	42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils
2	7	1	0	2	1	3	43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes
1 011	689	375	32	138	367	2 005	5 Chemical products
218	148	81	6	17	16	558	51 Organic chemicals
33	27	19	1	11	14	104	52 Inorganic chemicals
79	60	22	2	28	24	126	53 Tanning and colouring materials
257	161	134	9	12	209	516	54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products
90	50	16	3	7	21	177	55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics
2	7	3	1	13	6	6	56 Fertilizers
117	106	16	5	19	19	122	57 Plastics in primary forms
93	30	49	3	16	26	98	58 Plastics in non-primary forms
2 280	449	648	155	557	742	1 570	6 Manufactured goods classified by material
219	7	13	2	5	6	32	61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins
77	34	22	2	10	26	102	62 Rubber manufactures
46	5	36	43	26	45	11	63 Cork and wood manufactures
131	56	137	7	360	249	155	64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof
566	123	89	49	20	52	224	65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products
458	27	89	29	20	34	368	66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures
281	39	94	2	51	145	194	67 Iron and steel
71	37	47	1	28	50	197	68 Non-ferrous metals
432	334	120	20	38	134	287	69 Manufactures of metals
4 557	1 845	1 224	140	1 161	2 350	6 343	7 Machinery and transport equipment
235	137	135	6	88	158	1 224	71 Power generating machinery and equipment
1 071	166	189	15	157	164	615	72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.
281	14	28	5	12	47	112	73 Metalworking machinery
1 127	200	153	31	113	266	717	74 General industry machinery and equipment
105	619	56	2	37	51	745	75 Office machines and computers
175	66	129	11	416	804	666	76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video
578	419	260	37	195	328	919	77 Electrical machinery
624	158	189	20	74	477	773	78 Road vehicles
361	66	83	12	68	55	573	79 Other transport equipment
2 918	363	307	100	150	402	1 950	8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles
89	16	22	3	14	26	39	81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting
415	15	32	3	15	86	83	82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses
115	2	1	0	1	1	9	83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods
738	25	54	43	14	30	180	84 Clothing and clothing accessories
476	12	13	23	3	5	56	85 Footwear
126	88	51	10	49	107	589	87 Professional, scientific, controlling material
166	81	21	1	3	18	125	88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks
793	125	114	16	50	129	869	89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles
147	217	22	2	0	304	445	9 Articles not classified elsewhere

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Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Product list SITC Rev. 3	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
0-9 TOTAL	709 415	43 295	12 319	172 449	8 465	35 153	89 062	14 631
0 Food and live animals	44 841	3 354	1 996	8 662	467	4 329	5 398	324
00 Live animals	570	10	1	50	23	10	40	21
01 Meat and meat preparations	3 039	205	19	862	51	115	286	5
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	811	33	16	136	2	19	69	0
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	10 465	352	1 237	1 319	110	2 010	1 306	7
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	1 897	146	12	184	26	234	202	6
05 Vegetables and fruit	12 472	1 724	106	2 426	109	734	1 550	46
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	1 555	40	18	187	11	53	102	17
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	8 733	586	173	2 650	95	556	1 008	55
08 Feeding stuff for animals	4 513	226	399	661	32	577	723	158
1 Beverages and tobacco	4 398	153	149	991	47	435	214	44
11 Beverages	2 129	43	57	394	20	116	123	43
12 Tobacco	2 270	110	92	597	26	319	91	1
2 Crude materials, except fuels	39 266	3 024	482	7 891	483	3 667	3 555	318
21 Hides and skins, raw	960	16	90	76	26	71	71	0
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	4 956	483	56	874	134	897	265	8
23 Crude rubber	1 684	292	3	337	8	175	257	7
24 Cork and wood	6 461	358	105	842	134	546	540	94
25 Pulp and waste paper	3 850	171	10	911	51	138	589	17
26 Textile fibres and their wastes	3 907	218	22	748	17	230	405	18
27 Crude fertilizers	3 106	327	83	461	49	275	231	51
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	11 378	1 069	11	2 797	48	1 178	908	101
3 Energy	64 556	2 039	732	13 974	1 663	6 694	11 162	421
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	6 218	553	20	967	44	523	687	109
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	46 927	634	679	8 582	1 526	4 976	7 802	312
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	10 791	852	1	4 201	39	1 195	2 586	0
35 Electric current	620	:	31	224	53	:	86	:
4 Oils, fats and waxes	2 888	145	80	626	31	261	167	13
41 Animal oils and fats	181	37	12	17	1	20	10	0
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	2 386	93	61	518	28	202	145	10
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	321	14	7	91	2	39	12	3
5 Chemical products	54 663	5 934	702	11 682	640	2 865	8 087	1 441
51 Organic chemicals	15 352	1 729	110	2 829	85	940	2 241	731
52 Inorganic chemicals	4 951	442	76	1 074	48	323	876	40
53 Tanning and colouring materials	2 928	376	46	713	40	125	409	27
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	12 343	1 176	113	2 793	223	613	1 936	343
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	2 678	158	34	512	29	112	652	37
56 Fertilizers	1 736	128	62	234	46	169	317	42
57 Plastics in primary forms	6 086	1 198	127	1 213	79	234	395	61
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	3 011	250	59	922	24	89	320	60
6 Manufactured goods classified by material	94 333	11 867	1 424	22 624	1 535	4 099	7 442	580
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	2 493	33	20	277	92	255	107	1
62 Rubber manufactures	4 597	304	66	1 299	73	260	461	46
63 Cork and wood manufactures	4 684	292	161	1 643	52	136	322	47
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	6 169	515	100	1 492	91	369	555	32
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	16 349	1 541	255	4 102	311	876	1 454	120
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	16 353	6 413	118	2 225	105	364	747	57
67 Iron and steel	12 281	1 151	190	2 733	330	908	748	41
68 Non-ferrous metals	17 633	1 000	227	3 942	361	421	1 793	93
69 Manufactures of metals	14 105	618	286	4 910	119	511	1 256	142
7 Machinery and transport equipment	262 254	10 615	3 591	67 053	2 596	8 828	38 293	9 536
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	23 326	908	229	6 428	79	779	4 544	362
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	13 227	859	221	3 466	165	513	1 663	264
73 Metalworking machinery	5 921	321	70	2 033	24	214	592	100
74 General industry machinery and equipment	20 734	1 305	383	5 877	260	998	2 422	406
75 Office machines and computers	52 214	1 170	357	11 348	77	839	5 058	4 288
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	25 842	1 196	412	5 233	158	1 243	3 576	495
77 Electrical machinery	53 573	1 762	467	16 678	209	1 209	6 746	2 543
78 Road vehicles	36 634	2 363	589	11 970	673	2 223	2 549	417
79 Other transport equipment	30 784	731	863	4 019	951	811	11 141	661
8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles	115 150	5 904	2 464	34 281	1 001	3 772	14 629	1 460
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	2 262	172	50	880	25	73	174	16
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	7 186	397	253	3 122	29	111	735	40
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	3 021	172	46	718	35	155	466	18
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	40 766	2 191	1 182	14 156	277	1 019	5 514	213
85 Footwear	6 966	499	151	1 586	75	218	759	27
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	15 833	707	211	4 241	109	477	2 382	406
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	9 808	503	91	2 665	77	582	1 438	125
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	29 308	1 263	479	6 912	375	1 136	3 163	615
9 Articles not classified elsewhere	22 646	260	699	4 665	2	203	116	496

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Reporter							Product list
I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	SITC Rev. 3
73 969	74 103	16 089	7 514	10 080	18 759	133 526	0-9 TOTAL
4 449	4 708	596	1 140	449	1 269	7 701	0 Food and live animals
210	16	2	3	1	10	173	00 Live animals
269	346	85	24	3	42	726	01 Meat and meat preparations
101	166	18	3	7	5	234	02 Dairy products and birds' eggs
918	697	21	469	65	439	1 515	03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs
458	130	31	91	10	34	333	04 Cereals and cereal preparations
971	1 872	261	155	94	308	2 116	05 Vegetables and fruit
65	64	21	138	34	13	792	06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey
899	934	104	90	207	295	1 083	07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices
512	382	24	162	19	72	565	08 Feeding stuff for animals
170	542	38	32	43	100	1 439	1 Beverages and tobacco
48	126	20	3	21	77	1 037	11 Beverages
122	416	18	29	22	24	402	12 Tobacco
6 607	4 511	1 087	842	1 269	916	4 613	2 Crude materials, except fuels
500	17	15	10	16	8	44	21 Hides and skins, raw
307	1 292	43	175	41	16	364	22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits
210	85	34	20	18	22	214	23 Crude rubber
1 183	404	324	284	425	451	770	24 Cork and wood
897	367	110	11	28	62	489	25 Pulp and waste paper
1 427	74	47	269	8	19	405	26 Textile fibres and their wastes
680	280	107	23	108	88	343	27 Crude fertilizers
1 147	1 210	376	19	610	226	1 676	28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap
9 518	6 626	1 751	1 253	1 583	1 844	5 297	3 Energy
720	796	237	183	205	172	1 002	32 Coal, coke and briquettes
8 405	5 247	963	1 059	910	1 632	4 201	33 Petroleum and petroleum products
393	582	441	11	355	40	94	34 Gas, natural and manufactured
:	1	111	:	113	:	:	35 Electric current
401	747	14	21	4	31	349	4 Oils, fats and waxes
4	33	0	0	1	1	44	41 Animal oils and fats
383	653	10	18	1	14	251	42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils
14	61	4	3	2	16	53	43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes
6 257	5 679	1 332	410	618	1 351	7 664	5 Chemical products
1 705	2 051	155	134	157	183	2 301	51 Organic chemicals
393	525	136	22	121	180	693	52 Inorganic chemicals
321	223	57	21	15	91	465	53 Tanning and colouring materials
1 720	974	474	127	84	304	1 462	54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products
169	225	91	15	20	59	566	55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics
325	109	33	16	34	28	193	56 Fertilizers
875	675	175	29	73	244	709	57 Plastics in primary forms
247	294	102	10	34	96	492	58 Plastics in non-primary forms
12 028	7 413	2 774	1 079	964	2 404	18 100	6 Manufactured goods classified by material
1 295	67	57	125	14	20	131	61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins
504	382	160	78	45	143	776	62 Rubber manufactures
450	306	212	40	48	157	816	63 Cork and wood manufactures
652	438	233	39	54	188	1 410	64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof
2 657	851	443	343	130	351	2 916	65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products
654	385	338	59	70	188	4 629	66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures
2 774	906	365	186	262	340	1 347	67 Iron and steel
2 005	3 175	358	133	183	503	3 439	68 Non-ferrous metals
1 037	1 234	609	75	159	513	2 636	69 Manufactures of metals
16 827	29 142	5 677	2 189	4 132	7 090	56 686	7 Machinery and transport equipment
1 246	1 345	386	157	207	769	5 887	71 Power generating machinery and equipment
1 215	1 061	446	149	280	472	2 453	72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.
768	271	187	30	74	199	1 038	73 Metalworking machinery
1 926	1 414	541	152	267	709	4 075	74 General industry machinery and equipment
1 579	13 527	388	115	414	582	12 473	75 Office machines and computers
1 433	2 849	594	262	484	1 179	6 727	76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video
2 762	5 569	1 304	326	1 188	1 693	11 117	77 Electrical machinery
4 048	2 360	1 385	842	455	1 152	5 608	78 Road vehicles
1 850	746	446	156	764	338	7 306	79 Other transport equipment
10 303	9 861	2 601	547	1 014	3 218	24 097	8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles
100	170	146	11	25	104	318	81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting
316	529	253	14	76	348	962	82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses
372	253	46	13	21	72	634	83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods
3 712	3 289	801	69	364	1 116	6 863	84 Clothing and clothing accessories
1 506	567	183	75	58	114	1 147	85 Footwear
1 141	1 510	326	126	151	518	3 527	87 Professional, scientific, controlling material
1 136	818	168	79	58	172	1 896	88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks
2 020	2 725	678	160	260	773	8 749	89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles
7 410	454	218	2	5	535	7 581	9 Articles not classified elsewhere

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Product list SITC Rev. 3	Reporter							
	EU-15	B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL
0-9 TOTAL	109 565	6 646	1 815	26 757	995	5 483	13 883	2 452
0 Food and live animals	6 400	417	265	1 185	62	616	825	59
00 Live animals	87	2	0	6	2	1	30	0
01 Meat and meat preparations	419	25	3	129	3	20	32	1
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	129	5	1	18	0	4	10	0
03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs	1 343	50	175	197	16	224	137	0
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	285	19	2	30	3	53	34	1
05 Vegetables and fruit	1 912	229	13	348	16	130	301	6
06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey	217	6	4	26	1	8	22	2
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	1 240	42	20	309	12	82	139	5
08 Feeding stuff for animals	645	34	46	89	5	91	104	42
1 Beverages and tobacco	636	21	17	147	10	69	34	6
11 Beverages	301	6	8	52	1	17	19	5
12 Tobacco	335	15	10	95	9	51	15	1
2 Crude materials, except fuels	5 537	420	73	1 106	58	561	507	47
21 Hides and skins, raw	119	1	15	11	1	10	6	:
22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits	708	71	15	132	16	130	42	0
23 Crude rubber	220	30	1	39	1	29	34	2
24 Cork and wood	1 028	53	15	126	17	93	79	16
25 Pulp and waste paper	532	23	1	128	7	16	84	4
26 Textile fibres and their wastes	548	32	3	98	2	34	53	3
27 Crude fertilizers	407	49	7	55	7	42	33	6
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	1 502	138	1	405	4	180	129	15
3 Energy	8 536	358	95	1 925	131	835	1 509	56
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	929	86	3	130	6	97	115	17
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	5 784	138	87	1 142	114	533	935	40
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	1 682	134	0	596	12	204	432	0
35 Electric current	140	:	6	57	:	:	28	:
4 Oils, fats and waxes	300	14	6	80	1	27	18	2
41 Animal oils and fats	21	6	1	1	0	3	1	:
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils	225	5	4	64	0	18	15	2
43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes	55	2	1	16	0	6	2	1
5 Chemical products	8 656	863	97	1 776	86	477	1 391	324
51 Organic chemicals	2 521	263	15	432	10	147	429	227
52 Inorganic chemicals	623	63	10	155	5	43	82	7
53 Tanning and colouring materials	402	49	6	99	4	18	57	3
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	2 135	185	12	444	30	116	384	35
55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics	421	23	6	78	5	16	108	6
56 Fertilizers	378	28	13	40	10	31	86	16
57 Plastics in primary forms	849	150	18	173	8	42	52	9
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	437	31	9	134	3	14	52	9
6 Manufactured goods classified by material	13 785	1 820	207	3 293	215	679	1 111	97
61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins	323	5	3	36	3	38	15	0
62 Rubber manufactures	713	47	9	207	9	50	75	9
63 Cork and wood manufactures	804	59	27	267	8	27	55	8
64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof	952	94	15	221	13	56	91	6
65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products	2 492	222	38	624	52	153	233	17
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures	2 474	1 014	18	321	16	62	112	11
67 Iron and steel	1 517	137	20	344	44	143	92	7
68 Non-ferrous metals	2 366	144	29	523	55	47	234	16
69 Manufactures of metals	2 338	97	47	750	15	103	204	23
7 Machinery and transport equipment	42 424	1 681	537	11 179	310	1 498	6 061	1 534
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	3 676	151	47	1 038	20	131	730	56
72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.	2 024	134	41	522	44	90	265	39
73 Metalworking machinery	861	47	9	320	2	56	93	8
74 General industry machinery and equipment	3 124	217	51	925	29	183	381	43
75 Office machines and computers	8 923	219	60	2 002	15	116	703	740
76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video	3 907	159	58	813	22	158	537	109
77 Electrical machinery	8 005	249	79	2 527	26	182	1 015	407
78 Road vehicles	6 210	399	91	2 090	132	418	411	85
79 Other transport equipment	5 695	106	100	941	19	164	1 927	49
8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles	18 482	1 034	446	5 361	121	699	2 419	250
81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting	365	28	8	132	3	16	25	3
82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses	1 223	74	44	500	5	29	127	5
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods	492	28	7	115	4	35	79	3
84 Clothing and clothing accessories	7 047	393	237	2 337	38	216	997	36
85 Footwear	1 284	86	28	293	10	50	147	5
87 Professional, scientific, controlling material	2 437	139	32	644	16	84	366	66
88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks	1 395	79	13	353	10	92	199	25
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	4 239	205	76	986	35	178	479	106
9 Articles not classified elsewhere	3 108	18	71	707	1	23	8	75

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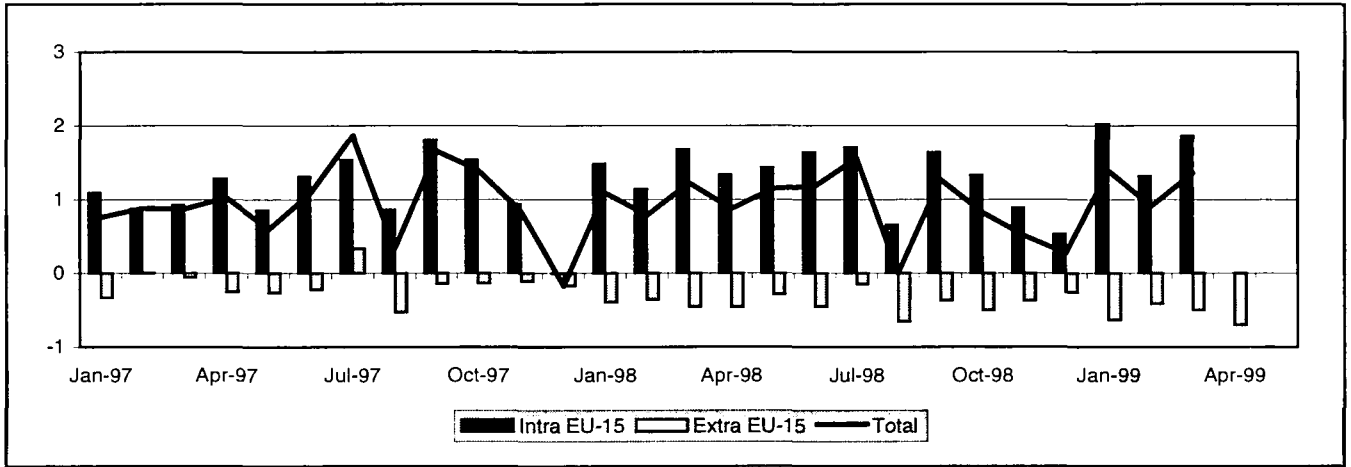
Reporter							Product list
I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	SITC Rev. 3
11 422	12 143	2 504	1 099	1 473	2 927	19 965	0-9 TOTAL
610	734	72	164	54	183	1 154	0 Food and live animals
29	2	0	0	0	0	12	00 Live animals
36	48	7	3	0	5	105	01 Meat and meat preparations
14	32	3	0	1	1	40	02 Dairy products and birds' eggs
122	86	5	60	10	68	194	03 Fish, crustaceans, molluscs
64	6	4	17	1	4	48	04 Cereals and cereal preparations
137	275	31	20	19	51	337	05 Vegetables and fruit
5	10	2	21	1	2	105	06 Sugar, sugar preparations, honey
128	218	13	11	18	31	211	07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices
66	43	3	31	2	12	77	08 Feeding stuff for animals
21	74	9	3	5	14	205	1 Beverages and tobacco
6	22	3	0	3	9	148	11 Beverages
15	52	6	3	3	4	57	12 Tobacco
911	580	157	129	207	132	649	2 Crude materials, except fuels
58	2	2	2	2	1	6	21 Hides and skins, raw
43	167	5	32	6	2	46	22 Oils, seeds and oleaginous fruits
31	9	4	3	2	2	32	23 Crude rubber
175	69	60	43	87	76	118	24 Cork and wood
131	43	17	2	3	8	63	25 Pulp and waste paper
209	9	5	37	1	3	59	26 Textile fibres and their wastes
97	36	15	4	11	11	35	27 Crude fertilizers
122	107	45	2	93	25	236	28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap
1 280	855	248	148	224	262	609	3 Energy
117	112	26	23	23	16	161	32 Coal, coke and briquettes
1 075	663	122	123	125	243	444	33 Petroleum and petroleum products
88	80	69	2	58	3	4	34 Gas, natural and manufactured
:	:	31	:	19	:	:	35 Electric current
54	39	1	3	1	4	52	4 Oils, fats and waxes
2	2	0	0	0	0	4	41 Animal oils and fats
50	22	0	2	0	2	39	42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils
2	15	0	0	0	2	9	43 Animal or vegetable oils, and fats, waxes
1 021	859	194	71	88	215	1 194	5 Chemical products
259	255	22	22	21	43	377	51 Organic chemicals
59	56	16	4	15	20	88	52 Inorganic chemicals
47	37	8	3	2	12	58	53 Tanning and colouring materials
304	229	72	25	16	43	238	54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products
29	36	13	2	3	10	87	55 Essential oils, perfume mat., cosmetics
70	16	6	4	4	9	44	56 Fertilizers
130	97	23	5	10	34	96	57 Plastics in primary forms
39	33	17	2	4	15	74	58 Plastics in non-primary forms
1 825	1 053	382	159	124	357	2 464	6 Manufactured goods classified by material
173	8	5	18	1	3	15	61 Leather manufactures, dressed furskins
87	48	18	10	7	22	115	62 Rubber manufactures
76	61	28	6	8	27	145	63 Cork and wood manufactures
100	67	40	7	7	31	206	64 Paper, paperboard and articles thereof
422	120	66	54	20	55	416	65 Textile yarn, fabrics and related products
122	59	41	7	8	29	652	66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures
343	97	39	17	32	41	159	67 Iron and steel
333	455	48	30	19	70	361	68 Non-ferrous metals
168	329	95	9	23	79	395	69 Manufactures of metals
2 713	4 515	1 007	347	600	1 188	9 253	7 Machinery and transport equipment
181	179	63	20	27	101	932	71 Power generating machinery and equipment
189	155	62	16	47	80	339	72 Machinery specialized for particular ind.
100	31	25	4	10	25	132	73 Metalworking machinery
313	206	79	24	43	100	530	74 General industry machinery and equipment
227	2 529	61	14	70	86	2 079	75 Office machines and computers
224	361	95	42	78	180	1 070	76 Telecommunication, sound, TV, video
417	711	209	51	168	267	1 697	77 Electrical machinery
774	307	272	141	67	197	826	78 Road vehicles
288	36	140	34	90	152	1 648	79 Other transport equipment
1 773	1 692	399	76	170	526	3 516	8 Miscellaneous manuf. articles
17	23	21	1	3	17	67	81 Prefabr. buildings, sanitary, heating, lighting
56	84	43	2	13	61	180	82 Furniture, bedding, mattresses
65	40	6	2	4	12	90	83 Travel goods, handbags and similar goods
687	591	129	9	69	191	1 116	84 Clothing and clothing accessories
274	116	32	11	14	28	191	85 Footwear
190	224	52	19	23	78	503	87 Professional, scientific, controlling material
187	135	23	10	8	25	234	88 Photogr. apparatus, optical goods, clocks
298	477	93	21	36	113	1 136	89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles
1 213	43	36	0	1	45	868	9 Articles not classified elsewhere



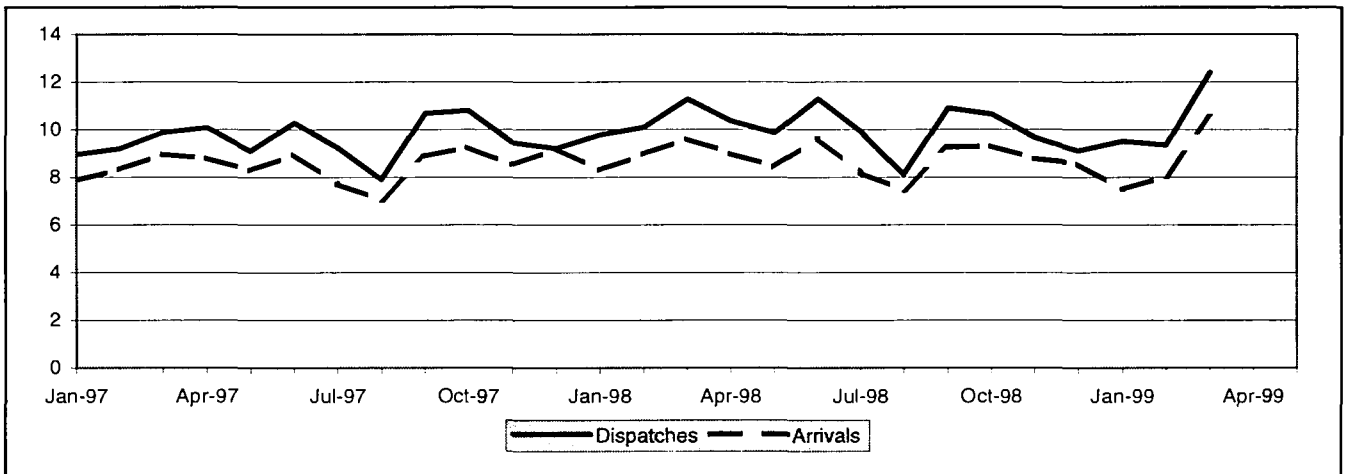
External trade by Member State

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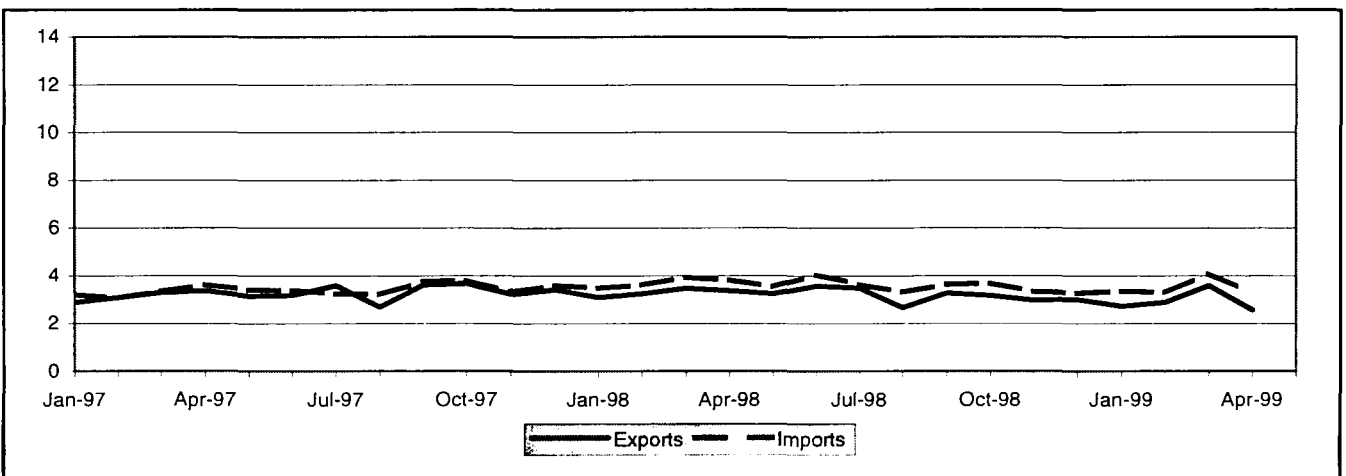
TRADE BALANCE (Bn ECU/euro)



INTRA-EU (Bn ECU/euro)



EXTRA-EU (Bn ECU/euro)



TRADE BALANCE
INTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
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	15 433	650	3 441	725	2 960	8 588	-3 010	3 512	-4 507	933	540	-79	-1 537	3 218
1999 Jan-Mar	5 192	182	997	236	943	2 354	-449	982	-840	272	173	4	-352	691
1998 Mar	1 673	65	366	72	222	822	-200	333	-410	95	62	-8	-111	365
Apr	1 333	51	261	44	232	654	-149	308	-308	77	22	-16	-128	284
May	1 431	54	333	60	258	695	-126	241	-371	75	42	-2	-142	314
Jun	1 636	65	405	66	237	919	-340	323	-274	87	59	2	-156	245
Jul	1 706	48	335	68	237	851	-297	235	-281	81	46	-4	-53	439
Aug	657	50	144	52	158	502	-225	168	-393	70	26	-10	-136	250
Sep	1 634	47	369	70	301	944	-432	416	-330	87	58	-13	-185	302
Oct	1 326	62	246	63	318	750	-298	310	-336	77	49	1	-134	218
Nov	884	50	245	58	305	587	-401	309	-402	73	39	-10	-139	172
Dec	532	48	136	57	238	431	-164	199	-551	66	51	-17	-137	174
1999 Jan	2 020	57	396	71	323	798	-88	340	-158	87	60	11	-103	227
Feb	1 315	52	244	74	294	620	-115	288	-308	85	55	-6	-129	162
Mar	1 856	73	357	91	326	937	-246	354	-374	101	58	-1	-120	301

EXTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzer-land	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterra- nean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
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	-4 718	-236	1 068	-3 484	-329	-1 630	-2 321	1 496	176	2 479	-1 086	530	-489	-1 133
1999 Jan-Apr	-2 247	-59	294	-1 144	-138	-552	-658	436	-119	674	-439	103	-279	-424
1998 Apr	-460	-37	128	-481	-32	-131	-188	143	55	254	-83	43	-30	-75
May	-286	-5	97	-271	-27	-113	-216	152	23	232	-155	53	-24	-58
Jun	-455	-19	72	-239	-47	-148	-230	148	33	254	-126	42	-67	-104
Jul	-145	-32	86	-206	-22	-137	-173	97	7	232	-67	39	-11	-123
Aug	-660	-3	73	-271	24	-175	-193	125	12	101	-72	11	-109	-129
Sep	-369	-15	82	-211	-12	-165	-144	153	-56	206	-77	35	-41	-89
Oct	-505	-8	59	-217	-26	-161	-179	148	-28	211	-93	75	-93	-133
Nov	-372	3	91	-240	-28	-130	-219	130	-35	195	-89	34	-81	-71
Dec	-261	0	85	-374	-59	-119	-135	78	-28	232	-84	65	20	-54
1999 Jan	-633	-43	65	-282	-39	-128	-143	111	-48	139	-97	14	-85	-109
Feb	-413	2	71	-279	-44	-154	-158	116	-35	232	-90	14	-58	-80
Mar	-500	2	96	-273	-11	-147	-208	117	-9	192	-119	62	-87	-146
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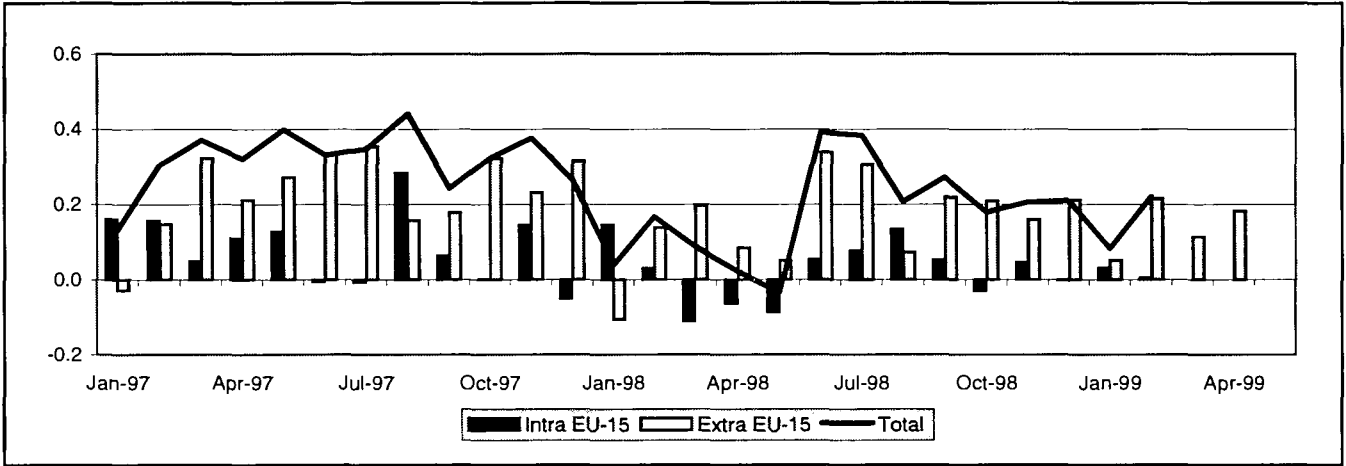
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Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
DISPATCHES														
% 1998	100.0	1.2	25.8	0.8	4.7	24.0	0.6	7.7	16.5	1.5	1.2	0.8	2.0	13.1
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	101 998	1 288	29 268	745	3 847	25 090	473	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	120 933	1 481	31 150	941	5 709	29 001	784	9 368	20 009	1 858	1 404	952	2 447	15 830
1999 Jan-Mar	31 248	387	7 848	279	1 656	7 500	223	2 519	5 114	492	382	257	643	3 948
1998 Mar	11 270	141	2 911	88	502	2 690	73	899	1 868	175	128	93	270	1 432
Apr	10 355	112	2 740	70	455	2 449	61	795	1 780	158	112	80	193	1 350
May	9 845	113	2 626	81	478	2 293	70	768	1 633	155	116	77	183	1 253
Jun	11 286	140	2 921	90	494	2 748	65	869	1 838	175	137	86	190	1 533
Jul	9 898	110	2 558	81	448	2 376	53	744	1 576	147	114	72	149	1 470
Aug	8 117	120	2 278	64	319	1 857	53	489	1 345	133	86	69	161	1 143
Sep	10 889	134	2 725	85	541	2 707	71	887	1 758	173	130	75	199	1 405
Oct	10 637	132	2 664	82	559	2 578	79	841	1 780	163	127	84	252	1 296
Nov	9 663	118	2 491	78	549	2 267	76	777	1 557	150	121	74	236	1 169
Dec	9 103	119	2 252	73	472	2 230	63	669	1 559	138	112	69	187	1 160
1999 Jan	9 510	118	2 386	85	513	2 317	74	786	1 562	144	121	79	173	1 151
Feb	9 347	114	2 351	88	530	2 210	58	768	1 498	151	116	74	201	1 188
Mar	12 390	155	3 111	106	613	2 972	91	964	2 054	197	145	104	269	1 609
Annual Variation (%)														
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	5.4	5.7	4.5	7.7	18.3	5.7	15.5	10.5	1.2	9.9	22.0	1.5	8.8	3.0
1999 Jan-Mar	0.3	0.8	-0.6	17.4	18.8	0.1	15.9	-0.4	-1.4	5.7	9.7	-2.4	-7.8	-2.6
1998 Dec	-1.1	10.1	-0.2	2.6	26.7	-5.7	3.1	0.7	-6.4	13.9	20.6	5.2	4.4	-1.6
1999 Jan	-2.8	-0.9	-2.6	18.6	20.9	-3.7	32.5	-0.6	-5.6	8.1	15.3	-5.1	-15.7	-10.1
Feb	-7.4	-7.8	-7.3	12.4	13.6	-7.9	-7.9	-8.4	-9.9	-4.1	0.1	-14.7	-9.2	-11.3
Mar	9.9	9.7	6.9	20.8	21.9	10.5	23.9	7.2	10.0	12.7	13.7	11.4	-0.5	12.4
ARRIVALS														
% 1998	100.0	0.8	26.3	0.2	2.6	19.3	3.6	5.6	23.2	0.9	0.8	1.0	3.8	12.0
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
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	105 499	831	27 708	216	2 749	20 413	3 794	5 856	24 516	926	864	1 031	3 984	12 612
1999 Jan-Mar	26 056	205	6 851	43	713	5 145	672	1 537	5 954	220	209	254	996	3 257
1998 Mar	9 597	76	2 545	16	281	1 868	273	566	2 277	80	66	102	381	1 067
Apr	9 022	61	2 478	26	223	1 795	210	487	2 088	82	90	96	321	1 066
May	8 414	59	2 292	20	220	1 598	196	527	2 004	81	74	80	325	940
Jun	9 650	75	2 517	24	257	1 829	406	547	2 111	89	78	84	346	1 288
Jul	8 192	62	2 223	13	211	1 525	350	509	1 857	66	68	76	202	1 030
Aug	7 460	70	2 134	12	161	1 355	278	321	1 738	63	60	79	297	893
Sep	9 254	87	2 355	14	240	1 763	503	471	2 087	86	72	88	383	1 103
Oct	9 311	70	2 417	19	242	1 828	377	531	2 116	86	78	83	386	1 078
Nov	8 779	68	2 246	20	244	1 681	477	468	1 959	77	81	85	375	997
Dec	8 571	71	2 116	15	233	1 800	227	470	2 110	72	62	86	324	986
1999 Jan	7 490	61	1 990	14	190	1 519	162	446	1 720	58	61	69	276	924
Feb	8 032	62	2 107	13	236	1 591	174	480	1 806	66	61	80	330	1 025
Mar	10 534	82	2 754	15	287	2 036	337	610	2 429	96	87	105	389	1 308
Annual Variation (%)														
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	3.7	3.3	5.9	27.5	11.4	1.3	58.3	6.2	-3.1	8.4	11.1	15.3	12.0	-0.9
1999 Jan-Mar	-2.9	-1.5	-1.1	-18.7	-0.8	-1.8	-12.8	0.7	-7.6	-2.0	4.3	-7.4	-2.9	0.8
1998 Dec	-7.0	-13.1	-2.9	-30.2	6.5	-8.1	-12.5	-2.6	-12.4	3.3	1.7	3.9	7.3	-9.4
1999 Jan	-9.7	4.4	-4.2	-25.2	-3.6	-7.9	-38.5	3.3	-16.4	-7.5	-3.1	-16.7	-13.5	-9.1
Feb	-10.3	-15.3	-8.7	-26.1	-1.9	-7.7	-25.7	-9.1	-14.5	-19.6	-15.2	-10.6	1.7	-10.6
Mar	9.8	7.2	8.2	-2.6	2.1	9.0	23.2	7.8	6.7	20.3	32.9	2.9	2.1	22.6

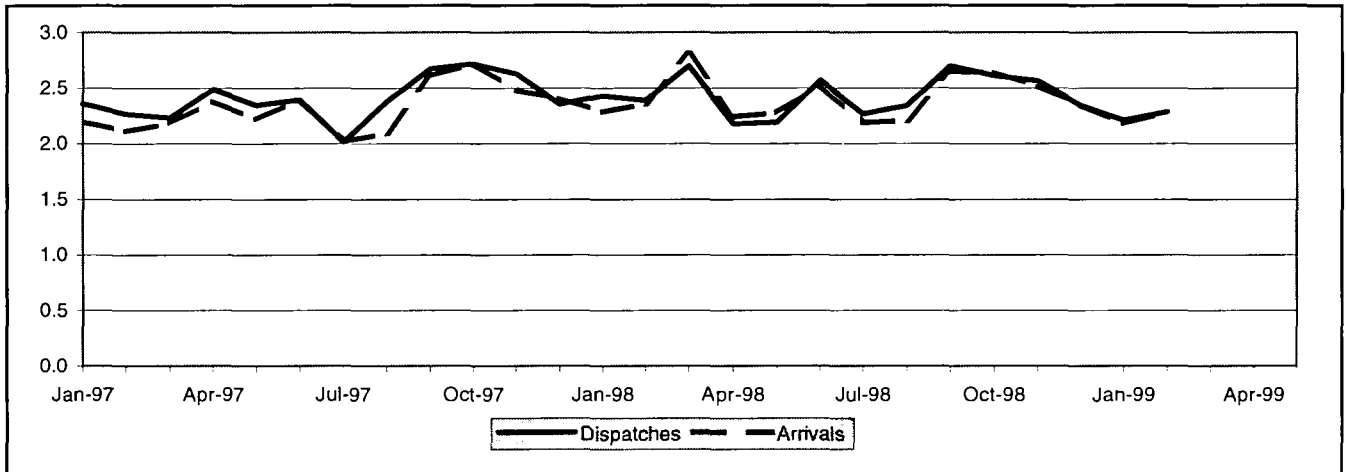
EXTRA EU-15

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
EXPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	1.8	6.8	21.9	1.7	1.9	4.0	10.6	3.7	15.8	5.1	6.0	7.2	3.7
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
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	38 577	710	2 634	8 432	660	747	1 545	4 082	1 419	6 080	1 969	2 315	2 781	1 425
1999 Jan-Apr	11 738	271	764	2 681	199	266	582	1 289	280	1 842	458	673	826	405
1998 Apr	3 367	61	250	646	45	69	140	357	155	544	195	201	253	132
May	3 252	65	228	677	58	61	120	349	124	534	166	180	242	123
Jun	3 575	65	245	812	46	71	128	373	151	583	185	205	250	118
Jul	3 484	48	222	761	59	59	113	326	138	544	181	184	247	118
Aug	2 653	51	176	590	89	44	122	303	104	371	150	179	151	95
Sep	3 271	62	219	772	62	69	144	372	50	498	169	193	239	121
Oct	3 175	58	206	756	53	59	137	396	58	489	170	230	207	125
Nov	2 973	66	232	685	44	58	118	355	59	469	127	172	191	121
Dec	3 011	65	196	602	43	68	141	309	72	493	124	212	266	125
1999 Jan	2 724	55	173	618	31	83	130	310	51	420	107	166	202	92
Feb	2 877	72	184	662	43	44	133	324	64	495	107	145	188	103
Mar	3 581	89	229	847	77	74	185	369	79	551	134	211	239	111
Apr	2 557	55	177	555	48	64	134	286	87	375	110	151	198	99
Annual Variation (%)														
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	-1.4	14.6	1.2	11.0	21.8	-2.4	-15.5	19.3	-22.2	-4.0	-0.1	-1.6	-28.9	-0.6
1999 Jan-Apr	-11.0	17.7	-16.1	-3.5	-3.7	3.8	11.4	-0.8	-57.7	-12.2	-34.3	-11.5	-16.4	-15.4
1999 Jan	-12.0	0.8	-12.6	-16.3	-35.9	65.5	0.4	7.9	-66.7	-10.1	-28.4	-3.2	-5.7	-14.9
Feb	-11.4	44.5	-19.7	-5.8	-14.5	-27.4	11.4	5.2	-63.0	-6.8	-35.4	-26.0	-25.7	-11.6
Mar	3.1	36.9	-1.5	22.4	23.3	-2.3	38.0	6.1	-57.1	-0.7	-28.4	10.2	-10.9	-9.1
Apr	-24.1	-9.5	-29.3	-14.1	5.7	-7.2	-3.9	-19.7	-43.7	-31.0	-43.5	-25.1	-21.8	-25.1
IMPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	2.2	3.6	27.5	2.3	5.5	8.9	6.0	2.9	8.3	7.1	4.1	7.6	5.9
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
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	43 295	947	1 567	11 916	990	2 377	3 866	2 586	1 243	3 601	3 055	1 786	3 270	2 559
1999 Jan-Apr	13 985	330	470	3 825	338	818	1 241	853	399	1 168	897	570	1 105	829
1998 Apr	3 828	97	122	1 128	77	200	328	214	100	291	278	158	283	207
May	3 537	70	131	948	85	175	335	197	101	302	321	127	266	181
Jun	4 030	84	173	1 052	93	219	358	224	119	330	311	163	317	222
Jul	3 629	80	136	966	81	196	286	229	130	312	248	145	258	240
Aug	3 313	53	104	861	65	220	315	178	92	270	222	168	260	223
Sep	3 640	77	138	983	73	235	289	220	106	292	246	157	280	210
Oct	3 680	66	147	973	79	220	317	248	86	278	263	155	300	258
Nov	3 346	63	141	926	72	188	336	226	93	274	215	138	272	192
Dec	3 272	64	111	976	103	187	276	231	100	261	208	147	246	180
1999 Jan	3 357	98	108	899	70	211	273	200	98	280	203	152	287	201
Feb	3 290	70	113	941	87	198	290	209	99	264	196	131	246	183
Mar	4 081	87	133	1 120	87	222	393	252	88	359	253	150	326	257
Apr	3 258	75	115	865	93	187	285	194	114	264	244	137	246	188
Annual Variation (%)														
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	5.5	-7.9	-1.6	7.6	-0.8	3.9	10.1	31.2	-24.4	3.5	10.5	1.2	9.5	-13.7
1999 Jan-Apr	-5.8	-15.3	-3.5	-9.6	-0.4	10.9	-8.4	2.4	-4.0	-8.9	-12.0	-2.5	3.2	-2.7
1999 Jan	-3.7	-8.8	10.2	-2.6	-23.1	0.7	-14.2	15.5	-17.1	-12.6	-4.3	-1.9	2.7	2.0
Feb	-8.8	-24.6	-12.0	-13.2	9.0	10.3	-7.6	0.1	4.9	-22.3	-12.8	-8.1	-1.6	-10.8
Mar	3.9	-4.9	-3.2	2.0	-3.2	49.6	-0.3	5.5	-14.5	8.3	-16.8	16.2	26.2	5.6
Apr	-14.9	-23.3	-5.7	-23.3	19.8	-6.6	-13.2	-9.6	14.3	-9.0	-12.2	-13.3	-13.1	-9.0

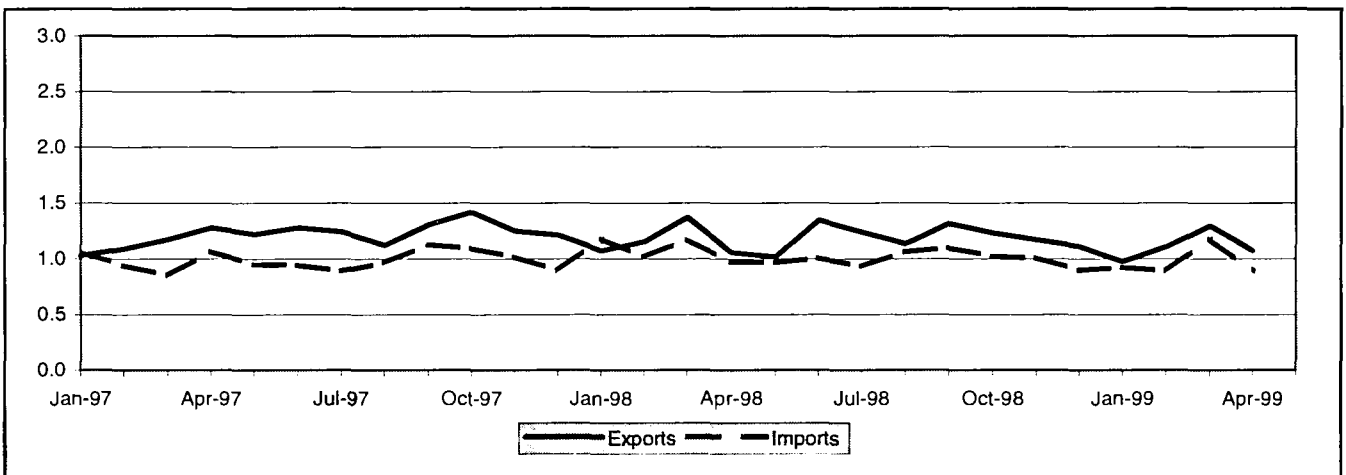
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INTRA-EU (Bn ECU/euro)



EXTRA-EU (Bn ECU/euro)



TRADE BALANCE
INTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
1995	1 240	-417	1 176	226	332	375	-141	61	-709	60	-101	-37	-336	712
1996	1 813	-414	1 138	255	356	275	-191	-18	-809	76	-105	130	206	913
1997	1 033	-516	884	283	360	328	-153	-95	-1 127	43	-178	20	-71	1 255
1998	246	-532	328	291	435	61	-113	-145	-1 050	54	-114	292	-248	989
1999 Jan-Feb	37	-67	49	45	80	-1	-8	-49	-134	-3	-26	50	28	72
1998 Feb	30	-40	8	23	38	21	0	-7	-72	6	-15	24	-56	99
Mar	-111	-55	16	22	36	-29	-19	-42	-104	2	-15	22	-66	123
Apr	-64	-42	48	21	29	-2	-39	-38	-97	3	-3	34	-26	47
May	-87	-33	-13	26	36	9	-12	-18	-87	2	-5	24	-47	32
Jun	53	-52	40	30	42	20	-10	-28	-57	2	-10	26	-32	82
Jul	77	-67	14	23	40	8	-10	-24	-84	3	-11	24	-12	171
Aug	134	-35	50	22	30	35	5	-11	-79	15	-13	22	24	69
Sep	53	-49	-13	27	43	2	0	35	-84	7	-8	17	4	73
Oct	-30	-40	1	25	46	7	3	-12	-108	3	-17	18	-30	72
Nov	47	-47	70	23	33	-22	-5	-18	-92	5	1	26	-8	80
Dec	-2	-40	19	22	30	-21	-10	1	-100	2	-4	29	22	48
1999 Jan	31	-31	26	24	40	13	-6	-8	-52	-2	-17	16	-9	39
Feb	5	-35	24	22	41	-15	-2	-41	-82	-1	-9	34	37	33

EXTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzer-land	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterra- nean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1995	2 783	-61	112	17	44	-367	600	206	250	412	50	442	363	428
1996	3 010	83	71	-6	45	-400	616	402	380	491	-26	435	470	112
1997	2 821	-163	81	71	68	-508	652	447	670	470	-107	417	296	226
1998	1 882	-178	65	-34	116	-625	402	463	445	492	-51	348	66	227
1999 Jan-Apr	564	21	51	-4	41	-234	210	72	28	144	-38	97	96	37
1998 Apr	85	-58	6	-14	6	-42	30	23	55	29	-2	35	-8	10
May	50	-86	-5	-11	5	-31	15	48	47	32	-2	20	31	8
Jun	339	-1	6	53	10	-50	77	65	60	36	-10	35	25	20
Jul	306	-14	2	1	15	-44	65	33	46	41	29	31	48	23
Aug	73	8	6	-10	14	-72	39	31	32	27	-3	17	-3	10
Sep	219	-1	4	8	25	-76	29	26	-5	36	1	23	89	47
Oct	209	24	10	-8	12	-60	70	33	5	41	-2	31	-4	13
Nov	160	7	11	4	3	-43	4	36	16	68	-13	30	-12	14
Dec	212	-17	4	72	4	-37	29	35	20	40	-11	27	3	17
1999 Jan	51	9	14	41	3	-67	52	19	2	23	-14	14	-53	9
Feb	215	11	15	24	14	-62	45	14	7	32	-1	28	66	11
Mar	114	15	13	-76	16	-58	75	20	15	58	-20	36	6	9
Apr	183	-14	9	7	7	-47	38	19	5	31	-2	19	77	7

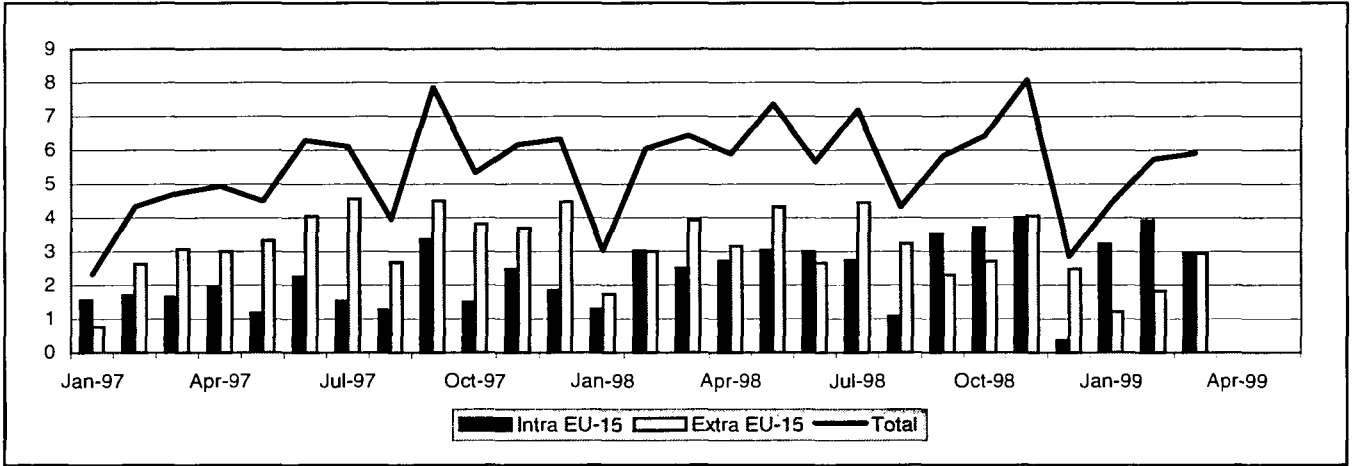
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Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
DISPATCHES														
% 1998	100.0	3.3	31.5	1.2	3.5	8.2	1.1	6.2	7.0	1.6	0.8	4.6	16.8	14.1
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	25 200	778	8 566	271	722	2 120	199	1 458	1 675	387	262	926	3 642	2 999
1996	26 981	834	9 193	312	803	2 215	229	1 588	1 795	420	274	1 114	4 580	3 623
1997	28 840	917	9 370	350	888	2 431	313	1 612	1 947	419	225	1 173	4 983	4 211
1998	29 277	969	9 230	364	1 026	2 394	330	1 801	2 051	457	244	1 355	4 914	4 142
1999 Jan-Feb	4 496	146	1 414	57	178	347	59	261	373	69	38	212	767	574
1998 Feb	2 388	80	734	32	85	197	30	142	166	39	18	117	398	351
Mar	2 697	79	859	28	88	215	26	135	199	39	19	118	446	446
Apr	2 178	77	699	25	73	178	17	114	151	34	23	114	386	287
May	2 192	76	709	32	81	181	23	132	162	31	17	108	362	278
Jun	2 569	88	817	34	94	237	23	151	195	38	19	116	412	345
Jul	2 266	70	692	30	88	192	24	143	158	36	24	95	313	402
Aug	2 340	85	742	27	72	185	29	109	169	42	16	107	437	321
Sep	2 701	89	847	34	92	210	34	196	192	43	21	124	464	355
Oct	2 608	92	805	31	98	225	42	181	177	44	18	117	429	350
Nov	2 562	80	820	29	91	197	29	170	164	41	32	112	437	362
Dec	2 346	73	728	27	87	182	29	183	162	33	17	106	418	301
1999 Jan	2 211	76	688	29	91	180	29	140	198	32	17	98	354	280
Feb	2 285	70	726	28	87	168	30	121	175	37	21	113	413	295
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	9.6	13.4	0.8	3.0	13.6	7.3	5.7	4.0	4.1	6.2	35.6	30.8	6.1	-4.3
1996	7.1	7.3	7.3	15.1	11.3	4.5	14.8	8.9	7.2	8.3	4.5	20.3	25.8	20.8
1997	6.9	10.0	1.9	12.3	10.6	9.7	37.0	1.5	8.4	-0.0	-17.9	5.3	8.8	16.2
1998	1.5	5.6	-1.5	3.9	15.5	-1.5	5.3	11.8	5.3	9.0	8.4	15.4	-1.4	-1.6
1999 Jan-Feb	-6.6	-8.3	-6.6	-14.4	8.3	-11.4	8.6	-9.3	16.0	-9.6	2.4	-10.8	-5.4	-17.3
1998 Nov	-2.4	5.4	-2.5	2.5	15.4	-8.4	5.1	6.7	-4.8	10.3	83.7	4.1	2.3	-17.6
Dec	-0.4	-0.5	-3.2	4.5	9.4	-11.6	-19.8	43.1	6.8	-8.1	9.5	-5.8	2.1	-8.5
1999 Jan	-8.9	-4.6	-11.8	-14.6	13.9	-7.9	19.2	-4.0	26.7	-13.1	-13.3	-18.7	-14.3	-18.5
Feb	-4.3	-12.1	-1.0	-14.2	3.0	-14.9	0.0	-14.6	6.0	-6.4	20.2	-2.7	3.9	-16.0
ARRIVALS														
% 1998	100.0	5.2	30.7	0.3	2.0	8.0	1.5	6.7	10.7	1.4	1.2	3.7	17.8	10.9
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	23 961	1 195	7 390	45	390	1 745	341	1 397	2 384	327	364	963	3 978	2 287
1996	25 169	1 248	8 056	57	447	1 940	420	1 606	2 604	343	379	984	4 374	2 710
1997	27 807	1 433	8 486	67	528	2 102	466	1 707	3 074	377	404	1 153	5 054	2 956
1998	29 031	1 501	8 902	73	591	2 333	443	1 946	3 101	403	358	1 063	5 162	3 154
1999 Jan-Feb	4 459	213	1 364	11	97	349	67	310	507	72	64	162	739	502
1998 Feb	2 358	120	725	9	47	176	30	149	237	33	33	92	454	252
Mar	2 808	135	843	7	52	244	45	177	303	37	33	96	512	323
Apr	2 242	119	651	4	43	180	56	152	248	31	26	81	412	240
May	2 279	109	722	6	45	172	34	150	249	29	22	84	409	246
Jun	2 517	140	777	4	52	216	33	180	252	36	29	90	444	264
Jul	2 189	136	678	7	48	184	34	167	241	33	35	71	324	231
Aug	2 206	120	691	5	42	151	24	120	247	27	30	85	412	252
Sep	2 649	137	860	8	49	208	33	160	277	37	29	107	461	283
Oct	2 639	132	804	6	51	218	39	192	286	40	35	98	459	278
Nov	2 516	128	750	5	58	218	34	187	256	36	31	86	444	282
Dec	2 347	113	709	5	57	203	39	182	261	31	21	77	396	253
1999 Jan	2 180	107	662	5	51	166	35	148	250	34	34	83	363	241
Feb	2 280	106	702	6	47	182	32	163	257	38	30	79	376	262
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	15.1	5.1	5.6	-28.7	9.2	4.0	40.0	1.6	5.1	8.2	-9.3	10.0	14.5	4.7
1996	5.0	4.4	9.0	27.3	14.6	11.2	23.2	14.9	9.2	4.9	4.2	2.2	10.0	18.5
1997	10.5	14.8	5.3	17.0	18.2	8.4	11.1	6.3	18.0	9.7	6.5	17.2	15.5	9.1
1998	4.4	4.8	4.9	9.0	12.0	10.9	-4.9	14.0	0.9	7.1	-11.2	-7.9	2.1	6.7
1999 Jan-Feb	-3.9	-8.1	-3.7	-29.9	3.6	2.7	-5.6	11.6	5.4	8.8	-3.5	-13.5	-16.8	-0.1
1998 Nov	1.4	8.1	2.2	1.3	26.1	22.8	-0.4	25.1	-6.2	-7.5	1.9	-11.4	-7.3	-5.1
Dec	-2.4	-4.1	0.7	-6.9	7.0	0.1	-9.0	25.0	-7.3	-0.3	-20.9	-15.6	-7.7	-7.5
1999 Jan	-4.5	-4.0	-4.2	-20.3	7.6	1.6	-15.3	14.6	2.6	3.3	1.4	-13.0	-16.4	-4.3
Feb	-3.3	-11.8	-3.2	-36.7	-0.4	3.8	7.9	9.0	8.3	14.4	-8.5	-14.0	-17.1	4.0

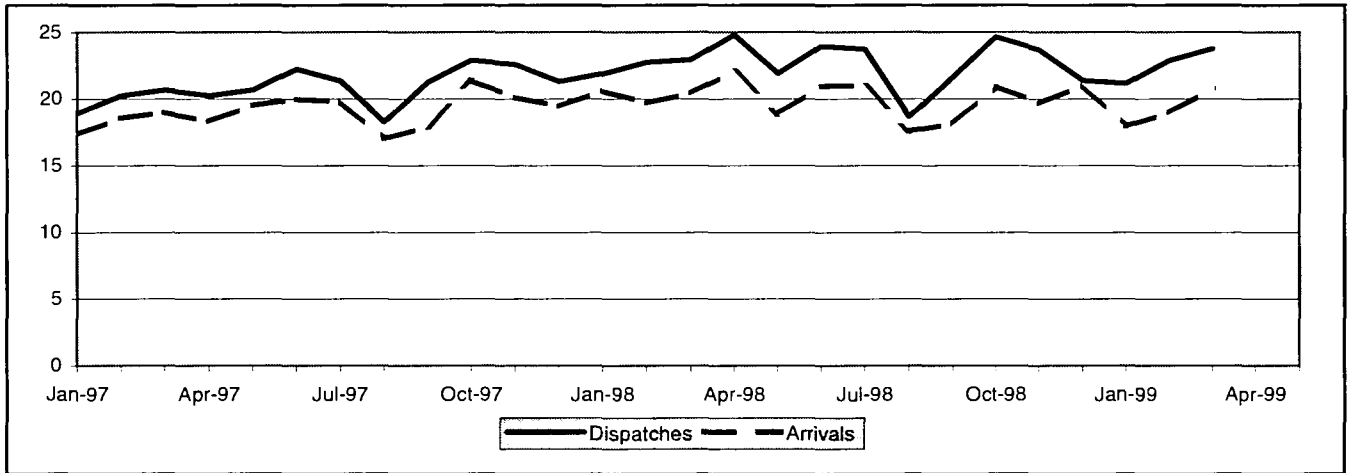
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Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
EXPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	17.3	4.2	14.4	1.7	1.6	8.1	13.3	5.3	5.9	4.2	4.5	9.1	2.3
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	12 560	2 080	680	1 511	151	200	1 387	1 158	634	693	572	645	1 176	525
1996	13 511	2 455	635	1 637	165	239	1 319	1 438	716	748	567	649	1 366	277
1997	14 609	2 486	614	1 989	199	297	1 404	1 685	967	798	602	692	1 355	342
1998	14 201	2 452	596	2 045	247	233	1 154	1 891	757	845	591	642	1 288	328
1999 Jan-Apr	4 446	751	202	704	88	76	471	560	124	266	135	180	493	64
1998 Apr	1 054	187	47	145	17	15	85	143	78	56	48	59	79	19
May	1 014	161	38	141	15	18	85	144	69	53	40	43	102	20
Jun	1 345	215	54	204	21	14	137	179	89	66	55	67	116	25
Jul	1 237	175	42	175	23	27	117	144	73	70	77	56	131	29
Aug	1 134	209	49	165	25	17	100	147	55	59	45	47	94	20
Sep	1 317	225	56	176	35	18	89	165	21	70	45	46	216	53
Oct	1 230	222	52	178	23	22	125	164	28	72	56	55	88	24
Nov	1 168	216	53	181	17	23	77	159	36	98	41	54	88	26
Dec	1 110	177	46	193	15	25	86	161	44	70	40	49	92	22
1999 Jan	974	178	48	154	18	16	110	133	27	56	33	41	76	15
Feb	1 107	188	52	172	21	23	107	134	31	59	32	43	153	16
Mar	1 293	217	57	217	27	22	139	159	40	94	36	58	108	19
Apr	1 071	169	46	160	22	14	115	134	25	57	34	38	156	14
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	3.8	2.8	3.4	-17.7	-14.5	37.6	3.2	15.4	46.4	7.5	7.0	7.0	10.7	-7.7
1996	7.6	18.0	-6.7	8.3	9.1	19.6	-4.9	24.1	13.1	8.0	-1.0	0.6	16.1	-47.2
1997	8.1	1.3	-3.4	21.5	20.6	24.2	6.5	17.2	35.0	6.7	6.2	6.6	-0.8	23.5
1998	-2.8	-1.4	-2.9	2.8	24.1	-21.8	-17.8	12.3	-21.7	5.8	-1.8	-7.2	-5.0	-4.3
1999 Jan-Apr	-4.3	-12.0	-1.3	11.3	22.1	10.7	39.2	-10.8	-63.9	-7.6	-30.0	-20.3	36.4	-41.3
1999 Jan	-9.0	-11.4	-2.8	6.6	4.8	-11.3	43.5	-16.1	-64.5	-6.0	-18.1	-17.2	-10.7	-19.8
Feb	-3.9	-18.9	3.2	13.1	23.1	52.3	41.5	-14.1	-64.8	-15.4	-35.0	-23.8	88.2	-33.7
Mar	-5.5	-7.4	-3.5	13.7	31.9	10.5	37.1	-6.9	-59.5	-8.4	-35.1	-4.9	-6.7	-59.6
Apr	1.6	-10.0	-1.8	10.9	27.2	-5.1	35.6	-6.1	-67.8	1.7	-28.8	-35.5	97.1	-25.7
IMPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	21.4	4.3	16.9	1.1	7.0	6.1	11.6	2.5	2.9	5.2	2.4	9.9	0.8
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	9 777	2 141	568	1 494	107	567	788	952	384	280	522	203	813	97
1996	10 501	2 372	564	1 642	120	639	704	1 036	337	257	593	214	896	165
1997	11 788	2 649	532	1 918	131	805	752	1 238	296	328	710	275	1 060	117
1998	12 319	2 630	531	2 079	131	858	752	1 428	312	353	642	294	1 222	100
1999 Jan-Apr	3 882	730	151	707	47	310	261	488	95	121	173	83	396	27
1998 Apr	970	245	41	159	11	57	55	120	23	27	49	24	87	9
May	964	247	43	152	10	48	70	96	22	21	41	23	70	11
Jun	1 006	216	48	151	11	64	60	114	30	29	65	31	91	6
Jul	931	188	40	174	8	71	52	111	27	29	48	25	83	6
Aug	1 060	201	43	176	11	88	61	116	23	33	44	30	97	10
Sep	1 098	227	52	168	10	94	60	140	26	34	44	23	127	6
Oct	1 021	197	43	186	11	82	55	131	24	30	58	24	92	11
Nov	1 008	209	43	177	14	66	73	122	19	30	54	24	99	12
Dec	898	193	42	122	11	62	57	125	23	29	51	22	89	5
1999 Jan	923	168	34	113	15	83	58	114	25	32	48	27	129	6
Feb	892	177	37	148	7	86	62	120	25	27	33	15	86	5
Mar	1 179	202	43	293	11	80	65	139	25	36	56	22	102	10
Apr	888	182	37	153	15	61	77	116	21	26	36	19	78	7
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	4.4	15.7	2.2	19.3	3.1	5.8	-12.4	1.5	17.3	-29.2	-4.6	-2.9	-15.6	-13.7
1996	7.4	10.8	-0.8	9.9	12.3	12.7	-10.7	8.8	-12.3	-8.2	13.5	5.4	10.2	69.5
1997	12.3	11.7	-5.6	16.8	9.0	25.9	6.9	19.5	-12.0	27.6	19.7	28.6	18.3	-29.4
1998	4.5	-0.7	-0.3	8.4	-0.1	6.6	-0.0	15.4	5.4	7.6	-9.5	7.0	15.3	-13.9
1999 Jan-Apr	-10.4	-23.3	-15.0	-8.5	4.5	9.9	-1.2	3.4	-20.1	2.2	-25.8	-9.1	-16.2	-20.1
1999 Jan	-21.7	-33.4	-25.2	-26.1	6.8	-2.2	-14.2	8.7	-47.4	-4.0	-27.0	22.4	-37.7	-25.9
Feb	-12.1	-15.7	-12.6	-23.4	-22.2	7.5	2.1	0.3	1.4	1.1	-42.8	-28.6	1.2	-30.5
Mar	0.7	-17.2	-12.1	9.2	-4.9	31.1	-20.8	8.6	2.3	15.2	-7.1	-11.8	9.4	-0.0
Apr	-8.4	-25.5	-9.8	-3.6	32.6	8.5	40.4	-3.9	-10.5	-4.2	-27.3	-18.1	-9.7	-29.2

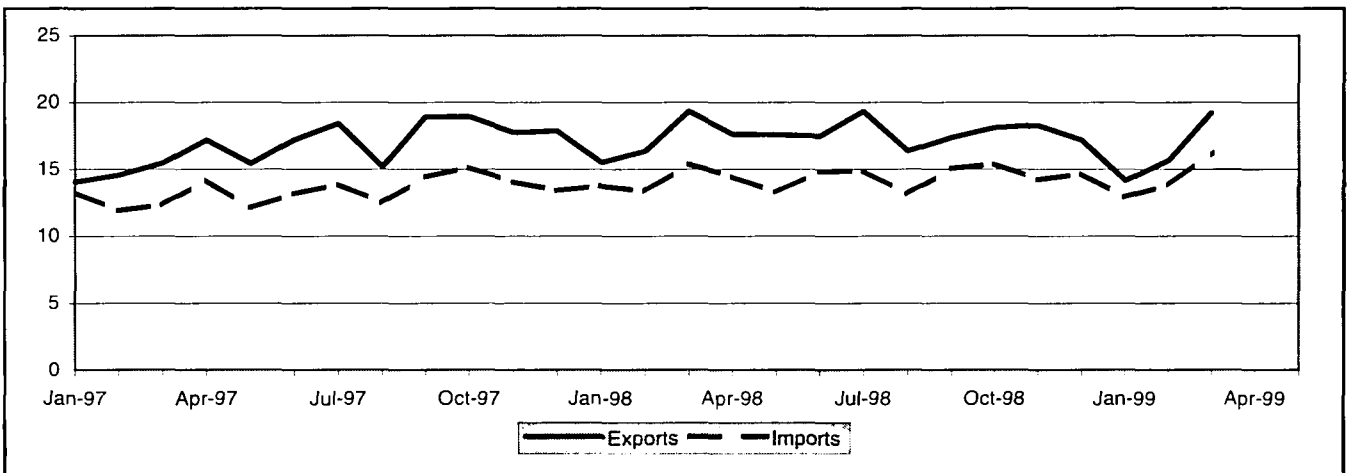
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INTRA-EU (Bn ECU/euro)



EXTRA-EU (Bn ECU/euro)



TRADE BALANCE
INTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
1995	18 604	-1 050	583	1 338	2 813	6 546	-2 912	207	-9 571	7 847	40	-13	2 712	10 063
1996	18 998	-767	508	1 363	3 209	5 683	-2 729	889	-10 381	9 148	231	480	2 679	8 685
1997	22 276	-2 209	429	1 564	3 745	5 374	-2 271	3 192	-11 969	8 594	469	479	3 836	11 043
1998	31 007	-560	1 269	1 847	5 538	5 866	-2 065	4 055	-11 604	8 575	996	606	3 171	13 312
1999 Jan-Mar	10 095	764	473	482	1 431	2 496	-1 469	1 380	-2 628	1 890	279	263	815	3 922
1998 Mar	2 504	80	63	119	329	146	-152	587	-880	787	89	61	283	990
Apr	2 721	53	128	138	260	623	-158	510	-1 259	796	98	-21	287	1 266
May	3 039	-262	99	155	495	425	-136	581	-598	711	113	123	271	1 062
Jun	2 999	-71	127	176	461	924	-164	307	-1 143	648	84	57	225	1 369
Jul	2 736	43	57	150	578	500	-225	72	-650	664	42	13	163	1 328
Aug	1 081	-137	104	117	481	6	-133	-170	-1 108	623	38	-22	187	1 095
Sep	3 521	71	128	151	401	523	-164	593	-624	750	65	111	362	1 155
Oct	3 713	12	212	202	799	1 055	-208	303	-851	783	108	107	316	875
Nov	4 014	8	141	195	621	820	-170	548	-787	751	160	134	333	1 259
Dec	362	-125	100	185	402	-21	-189	-152	-1 666	570	75	-8	260	929
1999 Jan	3 225	263	163	127	450	778	-201	370	-945	591	43	108	292	1 184
Feb	3 909	327	152	181	419	1 314	-550	566	-716	625	69	-6	281	1 247
Mar	2 962	175	157	174	562	403	-719	444	-967	674	167	160	242	1 491

EXTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzer-land	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterra- nean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1995	26 953	-2 334	5 723	9 899	-273	-2 310	-5 920	2 187	-218	3 094	3 128	3 309	4 654	-358
1996	32 627	-3 327	5 040	10 975	-90	-3 150	-4 428	5 796	-174	4 182	3 936	2 490	5 958	-351
1997	40 574	-3 720	5 272	15 661	1 117	-4 871	-6 076	7 609	2 006	5 837	5 301	3 436	5 732	-585
1998	38 096	-2 052	5 400	17 946	1 219	-4 832	-8 675	8 123	2 012	5 738	7 010	4 368	264	164
1999 Jan-Mar	5 991	-443	1 402	4 133	229	-1 307	-2 087	933	-451	1 229	1 353	1 039	-253	172
1998 Mar	3 935	-187	369	1 724	225	-358	-731	749	402	469	595	403	177	35
Apr	3 165	-205	533	1 620	138	-275	-921	605	272	537	498	384	-2	-65
May	4 324	-202	496	1 448	117	-255	-647	1 130	308	596	553	446	187	-33
Jun	2 656	-155	297	1 280	133	-341	-959	729	305	510	505	265	47	4
Jul	4 455	-179	391	1 936	118	-409	-580	744	304	599	663	460	163	75
Aug	3 236	-28	557	1 134	68	-353	-583	530	204	313	888	258	42	0
Sep	2 302	-186	335	1 448	114	-476	-815	512	-126	452	685	415	-146	10
Oct	2 710	-88	441	1 710	35	-460	-752	726	-225	473	517	334	-234	63
Nov	4 063	-77	818	1 802	79	-462	-811	920	-14	566	648	517	-117	46
Dec	2 493	-102	255	1 401	54	-303	-645	215	99	465	557	385	-48	90
1999 Jan	1 215	-197	347	1 311	58	-487	-539	407	-210	103	351	234	-248	28
Feb	1 828	-142	431	1 162	64	-416	-709	219	-137	524	450	334	-77	65
Mar	2 948	-103	624	1 660	107	-404	-839	307	-104	603	552	471	72	80

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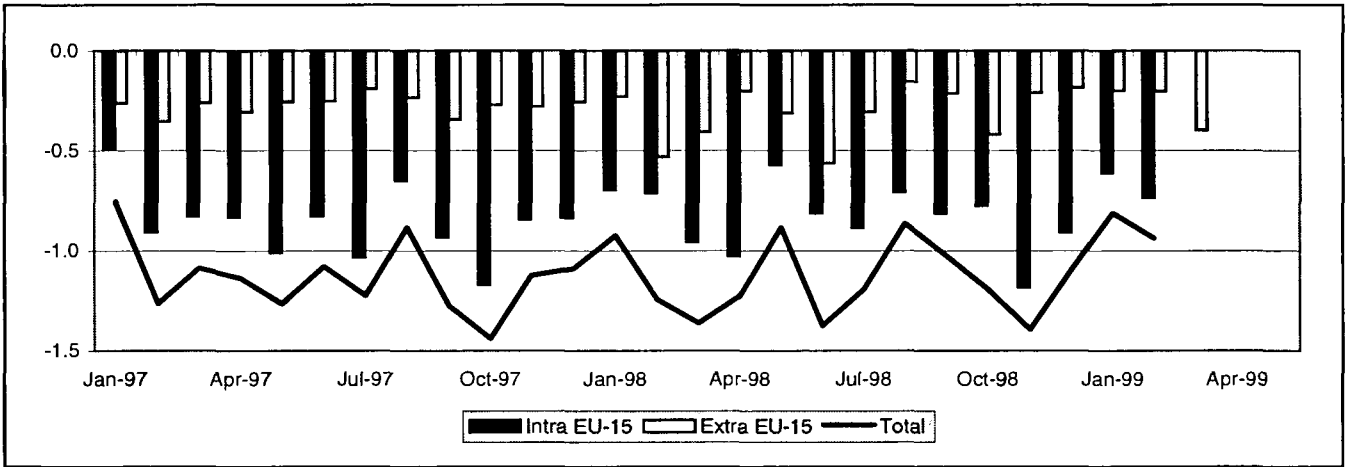
INTRA EU-15

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner													
		B/L	DK	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	
DISPATCHES															
% 1998	100.0	10.1	3.1	1.3	7.2	19.8	1.0	13.1	12.1	9.4	2.0	1.8	4.1	15.3	
Value (Bn ECU/euro)															
1995	232 722	26 236	7 667	2 966	13 772	46 904	1 869	30 363	30 491	22 262	3 620	3 689	9 821	33 063	
1996	237 061	26 090	7 586	2 928	14 996	45 674	1 806	31 042	31 564	23 830	4 276	3 959	9 972	33 338	
1997	250 533	26 300	7 952	3 136	16 830	48 123	2 188	33 293	31 605	23 409	4 809	4 152	10 513	38 224	
1998	271 909	27 369	8 317	3 489	19 507	53 714	2 585	35 723	33 034	25 442	5 356	4 782	11 031	41 560	
1999 Jan-Mar	67 824	6 740	2 048	858	4 959	13 926	696	9 035	7 794	6 160	1 349	1 374	2 693	10 191	
1998 Mar	22 930	2 281	696	258	1 646	4 538	198	3 146	2 814	2 149	460	390	907	3 447	
1998 Apr	24 796	2 570	759	300	1 656	4 903	237	3 390	3 050	2 279	479	398	975	3 801	
1998 May	21 903	2 193	622	288	1 634	4 266	230	3 060	2 575	2 032	470	431	891	3 211	
1998 Jun	23 950	2 404	704	312	1 734	4 845	247	3 237	2 791	2 119	470	375	955	3 756	
1998 Jul	23 711	2 317	683	310	1 798	4 627	211	3 117	2 910	2 185	468	377	844	3 864	
1998 Aug	18 654	1 929	625	242	1 284	3 522	178	2 035	2 355	1 846	331	323	781	3 204	
1998 Sep	21 649	2 338	680	268	1 541	4 265	184	2 870	2 543	2 027	403	419	965	3 144	
1998 Oct	24 637	2 473	835	356	1 792	5 026	196	3 175	2 911	2 387	483	477	1 035	3 491	
1998 Nov	23 671	2 374	707	313	1 727	4 822	217	3 134	2 682	2 225	519	495	985	3 471	
1998 Dec	21 383	2 140	635	297	1 574	4 213	251	2 562	2 563	2 033	419	394	903	3 399	
1999 Jan	21 156	1 998	676	260	1 573	4 445	225	2 790	2 422	1 967	397	461	885	3 056	
1999 Feb	22 897	2 304	682	297	1 619	4 882	238	3 050	2 674	2 018	451	409	892	3 381	
1999 Mar	23 771	2 437	690	302	1 767	4 600	233	3 195	2 697	2 175	501	505	915	3 754	
Annual Variation (%)															
1995	11.8	7.9	14.2	-1.2	21.2	8.6	13.5	11.4	11.2	7.8	17.9	31.8	23.3	14.9	
1996	1.9	-0.6	-1.1	-1.3	8.9	-2.6	-3.4	2.2	3.5	7.0	18.1	7.3	1.5	0.8	
1997	5.7	0.8	4.8	7.1	12.2	5.4	21.2	7.2	0.1	-1.8	12.5	4.9	5.4	14.7	
1998	8.5	4.1	4.6	11.3	15.9	11.6	18.1	7.3	4.5	8.7	11.4	15.2	4.9	8.7	
1999 Jan-Mar	0.4	1.6	-1.0	7.0	4.0	5.3	9.8	-1.2	-10.0	-2.4	2.7	25.8	-0.1	-0.3	
1998 Dec	0.4	-2.6	-16.4	12.9	12.5	4.3	38.9	-19.1	-1.6	10.2	-5.2	11.8	-0.5	8.5	
1999 Jan	-3.3	0.4	-1.1	-2.1	2.1	4.5	-0.5	-1.4	-20.2	-5.9	-6.8	28.7	-2.2	-6.6	
1999 Feb	0.7	-2.3	-0.9	6.1	2.5	10.1	13.7	-3.7	-4.7	-2.4	5.6	18.6	0.9	-3.4	
1999 Mar	3.7	6.9	-0.8	17.2	7.3	1.4	17.7	1.6	-4.1	1.2	8.8	29.5	0.9	8.9	
ARRIVALS															
% 1998	100.0	11.6	2.9	0.7	5.8	19.9	1.9	13.1	18.5	7.0	1.8	1.7	3.3	11.7	
Value (Bn ECU/euro)															
1995	214 119	27 287	7 084	1 628	10 959	40 358	4 781	30 155	40 062	14 414	3 580	3 701	7 109	23 000	
1996	218 063	26 857	7 078	1 565	11 787	39 991	4 535	30 154	41 945	14 683	4 045	3 479	7 292	24 653	
1997	228 257	28 509	7 523	1 572	13 085	42 749	4 459	30 101	43 574	14 814	4 340	3 673	6 677	27 181	
1998	240 902	27 929	7 048	1 642	13 969	47 848	4 650	31 667	44 638	16 867	4 360	4 175	7 860	28 248	
1999 Jan-Mar	57 728	5 975	1 576	377	3 528	11 431	2 165	7 656	10 422	4 270	1 070	1 112	1 878	6 269	
1998 Mar	20 426	2 200	633	139	1 317	4 392	350	2 559	3 694	1 362	372	328	623	2 457	
1998 Apr	22 076	2 517	631	162	1 395	4 280	395	2 880	4 308	1 483	381	418	689	2 535	
1998 May	18 864	2 454	524	133	1 139	3 841	365	2 479	3 174	1 321	357	308	620	2 149	
1998 Jun	20 950	2 475	577	136	1 273	3 921	411	2 931	3 934	1 471	386	318	731	2 387	
1998 Jul	20 975	2 274	626	160	1 220	4 127	436	3 046	3 560	1 521	425	364	680	2 536	
1998 Aug	17 573	2 066	521	125	803	3 516	311	2 204	3 462	1 223	293	345	594	2 109	
1998 Sep	18 127	2 266	552	117	1 140	3 742	348	2 277	3 167	1 278	339	308	604	1 989	
1998 Oct	20 925	2 461	623	154	993	3 972	404	2 871	3 762	1 604	374	370	719	2 616	
1998 Nov	19 657	2 366	566	119	1 106	4 002	387	2 586	3 469	1 474	358	360	652	2 212	
1998 Dec	21 022	2 266	535	112	1 172	4 234	439	2 714	4 229	1 462	344	402	643	2 470	
1999 Jan	17 931	1 736	513	132	1 123	3 666	426	2 420	3 367	1 376	354	353	593	1 872	
1999 Feb	18 988	1 977	529	116	1 200	3 568	787	2 484	3 390	1 393	383	414	611	2 134	
1999 Mar	20 809	2 262	534	129	1 205	4 197	952	2 751	3 664	1 501	334	345	674	2 263	
Annual Variation (%)															
1995	12.7	19.5	14.3	0.3	23.3	11.1	28.7	13.1	15.4	-6.1	30.6	3.9	1.2	13.3	
1996	1.8	-1.6	-0.1	-3.9	7.6	-0.9	-5.2	-0.0	4.7	1.9	13.0	-6.0	2.6	7.2	
1997	4.7	6.2	6.3	0.4	11.0	6.9	-1.7	-0.2	3.9	0.9	7.3	5.6	-8.4	10.3	
1998	5.5	-2.0	-6.3	4.5	6.8	11.9	4.3	5.2	2.4	13.9	0.5	13.7	17.7	3.9	
1999 Jan-Mar	-4.9	-11.9	-16.8	-11.2	-5.4	-6.4	87.7	-0.3	-9.9	6.0	-2.8	13.2	-2.7	-13.5	
1998 Dec	8.2	-8.3	-30.1	-5.8	-9.2	42.3	4.0	12.1	13.6	16.3	-20.5	2.7	4.5	-2.9	
1999 Jan	-12.9	-25.5	-21.2	-3.0	-0.1	-13.4	-2.4	-7.6	-18.7	4.6	-2.8	28.7	-14.1	-18.0	
1999 Feb	-3.7	-12.2	-13.2	-22.2	-6.7	-0.6	114.6	-0.7	-9.3	3.1	4.8	9.1	-0.7	-14.8	
1999 Mar	1.9	2.8	-15.7	-7.3	-8.5	-4.5	171.9	7.5	-0.8	10.1	-10.1	5.0	8.1	-7.9	

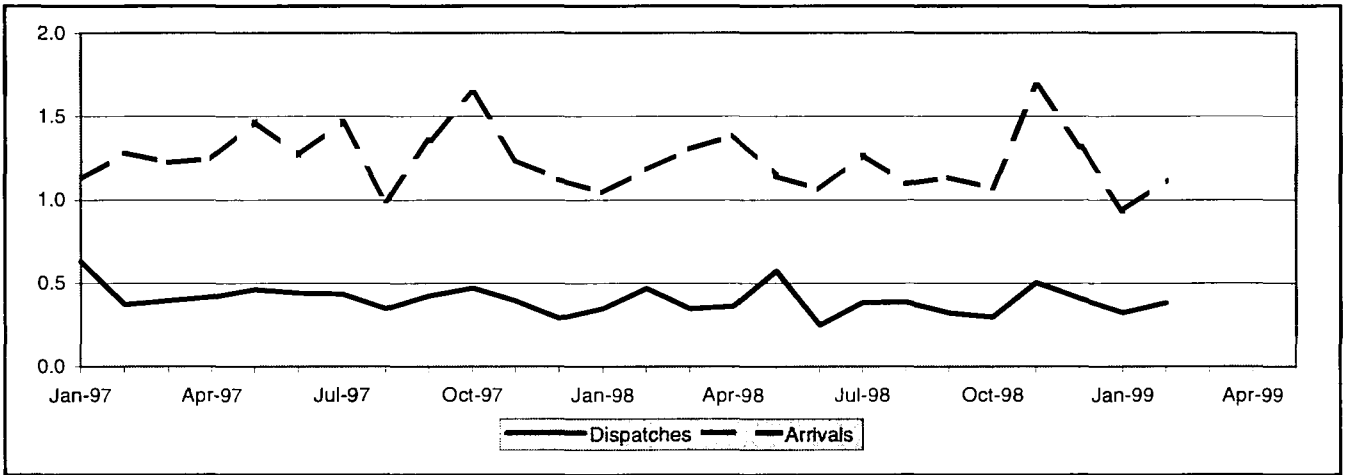
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Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
EXPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	2.1	10.3	21.5	1.7	2.9	4.4	19.8	5.0	9.3	6.5	4.6	7.6	1.2
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	167 474	3 271	21 188	29 159	2 193	5 756	10 058	24 797	7 779	14 943	9 368	8 974	19 497	2 212
1996	176 130	3 486	19 798	31 469	2 207	5 694	11 099	29 053	8 495	16 680	9 536	8 747	20 051	2 023
1997	201 020	3 939	20 281	38 984	3 411	5 406	10 426	35 383	11 537	19 247	11 920	10 187	20 771	2 298
1998	210 545	4 329	21 653	45 352	3 560	6 044	9 289	41 783	10 585	19 514	13 621	9 757	16 104	2 433
1999 Jan-Mar	49 023	928	5 519	11 207	772	1 530	2 506	9 676	1 451	4 609	2 918	2 151	3 678	644
1998 Mar	19 329	396	1 931	4 170	426	475	892	3 719	1 175	1 798	1 165	846	1 543	202
Apr	17 606	350	1 738	3 918	337	520	767	3 348	1 007	1 627	1 072	825	1 388	159
May	17 598	377	1 761	3 620	317	496	685	3 668	1 037	1 686	1 067	907	1 331	173
Jun	17 488	347	1 778	3 709	352	537	691	3 632	1 003	1 650	1 138	699	1 294	171
Jul	19 337	366	1 912	4 222	309	551	874	3 718	1 075	1 818	1 265	875	1 395	281
Aug	16 368	325	1 612	3 260	242	524	681	3 193	903	1 476	1 423	730	1 268	166
Sep	17 372	396	1 745	3 789	286	545	726	3 513	653	1 597	1 212	872	1 250	192
Oct	18 100	389	1 926	4 076	251	539	814	3 852	535	1 668	1 166	816	1 258	239
Nov	18 280	394	2 190	4 036	252	468	817	3 788	632	1 697	1 140	913	1 246	208
Dec	17 185	394	1 740	3 815	234	627	741	3 363	704	1 627	1 104	847	1 210	287
1999 Jan	14 135	271	1 548	3 301	221	429	857	2 877	431	1 164	847	602	1 036	180
Feb	15 665	294	1 772	3 529	247	508	723	3 115	429	1 530	944	670	1 179	217
Mar	19 223	364	2 198	4 377	304	593	927	3 684	590	1 915	1 127	879	1 463	247
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	11.1	5.3	10.0	3.6	-4.0	7.6	8.0	23.0	-0.2	12.1	10.7	-1.6	16.4	19.3
1996	5.2	6.6	-6.6	7.9	0.6	-1.1	10.3	17.2	9.2	11.6	1.8	-2.5	2.8	-8.5
1997	14.1	13.0	2.4	23.9	54.6	-5.1	-6.1	21.8	35.8	15.4	25.0	16.5	3.6	13.6
1998	4.7	9.9	6.8	16.3	4.4	11.8	-10.9	18.1	-8.2	1.4	14.3	-4.2	-22.5	5.8
1999 Jan-Mar	-4.3	-6.4	5.1	2.7	-21.2	23.7	0.6	-0.3	-52.2	-1.3	-3.8	-5.4	-17.6	15.6
1998 Dec	-3.8	13.0	7.3	8.6	-23.0	15.9	-6.0	6.5	-42.9	-10.4	8.9	-18.8	-28.4	30.9
1999 Jan	-8.9	-2.5	-2.6	3.8	-3.0	17.9	6.8	0.4	-52.2	-19.0	-8.8	-15.7	-36.0	3.3
Feb	-4.3	-7.8	2.4	-0.8	-24.1	27.6	-9.3	-0.2	-55.3	6.8	0.4	-6.0	-9.5	20.0
Mar	-0.6	-8.0	13.8	5.0	-28.7	24.8	3.8	-1.0	-49.7	6.5	-3.3	3.9	-5.2	22.3
IMPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	3.7	9.4	15.9	1.4	6.3	10.4	19.5	5.0	8.0	3.8	3.1	9.2	1.3
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	140 521	5 605	15 465	19 259	2 467	8 066	15 979	22 610	7 997	11 848	6 240	5 665	14 842	2 570
1996	143 503	6 813	14 757	20 494	2 297	8 844	15 526	23 257	8 669	12 498	5 600	6 257	14 092	2 374
1997	160 446	7 659	15 010	23 323	2 294	10 277	16 502	27 774	9 531	13 410	6 618	6 751	15 039	2 883
1998	172 449	6 381	16 254	27 406	2 340	10 876	17 964	33 660	8 573	13 775	6 611	5 389	15 840	2 268
1999 Jan-Mar	43 032	1 371	4 117	7 074	542	2 836	4 594	8 743	1 901	3 380	1 565	1 112	3 931	472
1998 Mar	15 394	582	1 562	2 446	201	832	1 624	2 970	772	1 329	571	443	1 366	167
Apr	14 441	556	1 205	2 298	200	795	1 687	2 743	735	1 090	574	441	1 390	224
May	13 274	579	1 265	2 171	200	750	1 333	2 538	729	1 090	514	461	1 144	206
Jun	14 831	503	1 481	2 428	219	878	1 650	2 904	698	1 140	632	434	1 247	167
Jul	14 882	545	1 521	2 286	190	960	1 453	2 974	770	1 218	602	415	1 232	206
Aug	13 132	353	1 055	2 126	174	877	1 264	2 663	699	1 164	535	472	1 225	165
Sep	15 070	582	1 410	2 342	173	1 021	1 541	3 001	779	1 146	527	457	1 396	182
Oct	15 390	477	1 484	2 366	216	1 000	1 566	3 126	760	1 195	649	482	1 493	176
Nov	14 217	470	1 372	2 233	173	929	1 628	2 868	645	1 130	491	396	1 363	162
Dec	14 692	496	1 485	2 414	180	930	1 386	3 148	605	1 161	547	461	1 259	197
1999 Jan	12 920	468	1 201	1 990	163	916	1 395	2 470	641	1 061	496	368	1 284	152
Feb	13 837	436	1 341	2 367	183	924	1 432	2 896	566	1 007	494	336	1 256	153
Mar	16 275	467	1 574	2 717	196	997	1 766	3 376	694	1 312	575	408	1 390	167
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	7.5	6.5	7.6	3.4	26.8	5.6	4.5	25.0	5.4	4.0	5.6	-12.6	2.0	-1.8
1996	2.1	21.5	-4.6	6.4	-6.9	9.6	-2.8	2.9	8.4	5.5	-10.3	10.4	-5.1	-7.6
1997	11.8	12.4	1.7	13.8	-0.1	16.2	6.3	19.4	9.9	7.3	18.2	7.9	6.7	21.4
1998	7.5	-16.7	8.3	17.5	2.0	5.8	8.9	21.2	-10.1	2.7	-0.1	-20.2	5.3	-21.3
1999 Jan-Mar	1.2	-24.7	3.6	4.9	-11.9	3.7	3.1	13.6	-11.7	-1.8	1.7	-18.7	-3.9	-19.1
1998 Dec	9.7	-21.7	12.0	29.0	8.6	12.8	-3.3	27.3	-22.9	0.5	10.4	-8.8	4.9	-25.3
1999 Jan	-6.2	-30.0	5.2	-4.3	-22.2	-9.5	-3.3	8.6	-13.5	-3.6	-8.7	-28.4	-11.8	-34.5
Feb	3.6	-23.5	5.5	6.8	-11.0	3.6	3.3	18.1	-11.6	-0.4	16.0	-18.4	-1.0	-17.0
Mar	5.7	-19.8	0.8	11.1	-2.1	19.8	8.8	13.7	-10.1	-1.3	0.8	-7.8	1.8	0.2

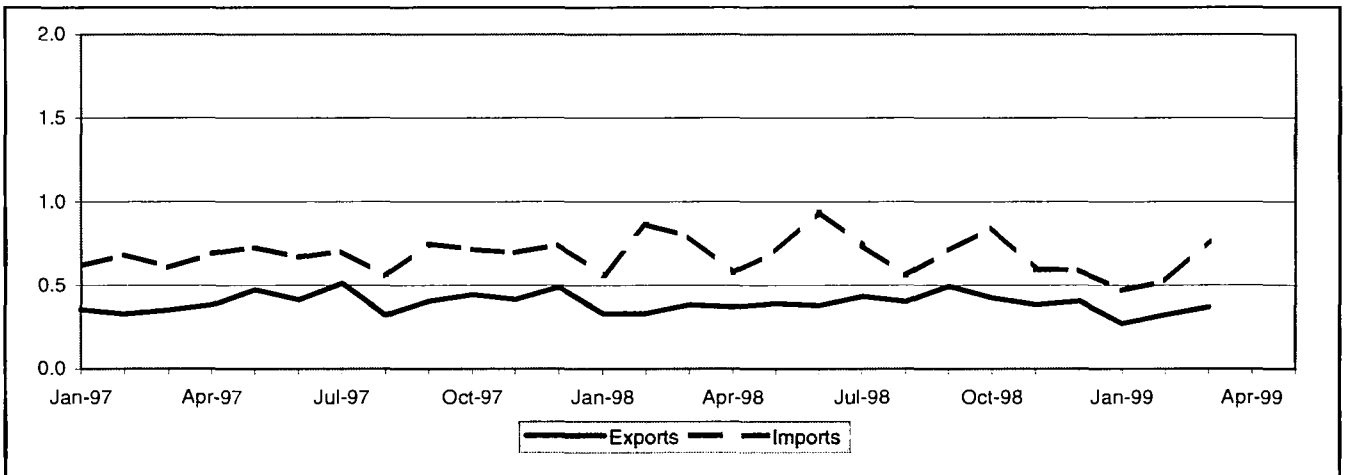
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EXTRA-EU (Bn ECU/euro)



TRADE BALANCE
INTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
1995	-8 799	-557	-221	-1 427	-381	-1 165	-177	-2 532	-1 152	-91	-19	-110	-192	-776
1996	-9 352	-642	-227	-1 515	-471	-1 316	-168	-2 449	-1 161	-136	-26	-116	-202	-923
1997	-10 354	-708	-279	-1 513	-634	-1 662	-159	-2 675	-1 214	-141	-49	-145	-273	-893
1998	-10 045	-714	-260	-1 800	-748	-1 617	-126	-2 227	-1 174	-111	-22	-244	-266	-737
1999 Jan-Feb	-1 347	-99	-31	-255	-68	-235	-20	-231	-149	-12	-4	-41	-39	-162
1998 Feb	-712	-47	-25	-71	-50	-110	-9	-235	-79	-6	-1	-20	-25	-34
Mar	-956	-60	-24	-188	-60	-150	-11	-227	-98	-10	-4	-18	-30	-77
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
Sep	-813	-65	-16	-146	-37	-124	-8	-201	-95	-10	-3	-18	-19	-72
Oct	-774	-50	-20	-129	-53	-129	-9	-168	-106	-8	-4	-15	-27	-54
Nov	-1 184	-74	-25	-221	-69	-152	-13	-311	-137	-13	-4	-33	-20	-112
Dec	-909	-71	-23	-206	-50	-139	-7	-187	-125	-14	-2	-10	-18	-57
1999 Jan	-612	-54	-11	-118	-41	-109	-12	-105	-78	-3	-1	-18	-17	-45
Feb	-735	-45	-20	-137	-27	-127	-8	-125	-71	-9	-3	-23	-22	-117

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Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1995	-2 550	-18	-72	-381	-41	-275	-455	166	-308	364	-252	-583	-457	-83
1996	-3 674	-24	-267	-388	-45	-328	-651	310	-237	537	-217	-1 049	-727	-158
1997	-3 262	-33	-231	-383	-51	-370	-715	351	-147	890	-298	-893	-743	-57
1998	-3 732	-43	-141	-652	-57	-455	-809	393	-190	722	-124	-936	-843	-11
1999 Jan-Mar	-800	-3	-78	-51	-8	-99	-277	81	-86	159	-21	-75	-201	-12
1998 Mar	-407	-7	-38	-31	-4	-31	-63	7	-49	38	-18	-104	-55	-3
Apr	-201	-1	-28	-39	-4	-33	-41	38	-8	62	-11	-42	-34	-0
May	-312	-1	-6	-87	-5	-66	-52	40	-9	78	-14	-2	-102	-3
Jun	-563	-21	-30	-97	-8	-32	-88	12	-7	48	-20	-117	-115	-2
Jul	-306	-2	-37	-94	-10	-35	-121	40	-4	110	-19	-18	-67	-2
Aug	-156	0	57	-24	-0	-33	-62	38	-5	104	-19	-51	-111	2
Sep	-213	-2	37	-96	0	-39	-103	40	-11	87	31	-41	-78	-1
Oct	-419	-2	10	-24	1	-41	-60	30	-11	21	-8	-220	-98	3
Nov	-210	-0	-35	-30	-5	-36	-69	43	-16	58	-14	-47	-29	4
Dec	-184	-1	-20	-54	-5	-32	-60	51	-5	81	-3	-16	-75	0
1999 Jan	-200	-1	-17	-15	-2	-21	-55	40	-31	43	-9	-30	-48	-5
Feb	-203	-0	-32	-10	-5	-31	-73	25	-31	55	-7	-3	-54	3
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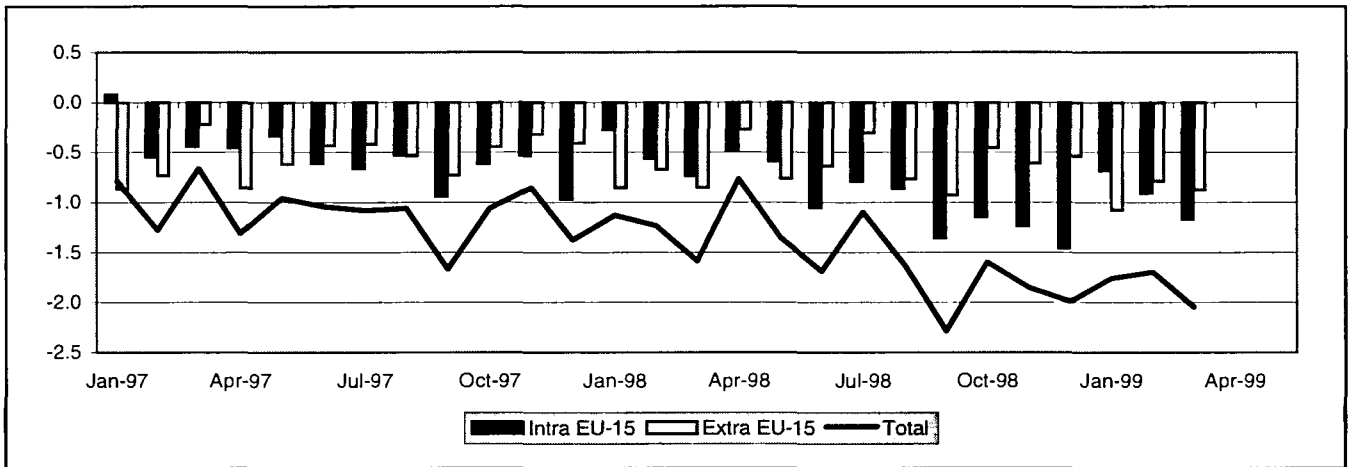
GREECE
INTRA EU-15

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
DISPATCHES														
% 1998	100.0	2.2	1.3	32.7	4.4	8.1	0.6	26.3	5.4	2.3	1.0	0.8	2.3	12.5
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	5 080	162	66	1 853	289	457	27	1 181	227	114	50	48	98	510
1996	4 975	138	66	1 670	281	439	26	1 228	234	117	64	55	109	548
1997	5 078	146	68	1 798	191	420	23	1 241	244	102	37	58	123	624
1998	4 647	103	58	1 521	205	378	29	1 220	251	106	46	39	107	582
1999 Jan-Feb	705	14	12	224	35	54	3	203	45	18	5	3	14	75
1998 Feb	470	13	6	172	15	43	3	97	27	12	5	2	10	63
Mar	347	10	5	114	13	30	3	90	21	9	3	4	9	39
Apr	362	9	6	132	13	25	1	71	28	9	5	3	11	48
May	573	6	4	116	11	27	2	309	22	8	12	3	7	44
Jun	248	6	3	75	12	23	2	61	14	6	2	6	4	34
Jul	384	8	5	143	14	39	2	83	21	11	3	4	8	42
Aug	387	8	5	156	23	22	2	69	21	8	2	1	11	59
Sep	321	6	4	103	27	24	3	64	19	9	3	2	9	48
Oct	297	6	3	99	14	25	1	74	16	6	2	3	5	43
Nov	502	12	7	195	21	47	5	87	27	12	4	5	18	63
Dec	408	8	6	118	29	39	3	108	18	7	3	6	9	53
1999 Jan	323	5	6	102	17	25	1	88	21	10	3	1	7	37
Feb	382	9	6	122	18	29	1	115	24	9	2	2	8	38
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	12.5	25.6	0.4	10.8	64.9	7.3	5.6	7.8	14.8	2.4	60.9	8.2	31.4	8.5
1996	-2.1	-14.8	0.6	-9.9	-2.7	-3.9	-3.5	4.0	2.9	2.6	28.6	14.5	12.0	7.5
1997	2.1	5.3	2.5	7.7	-31.9	-4.4	-11.8	1.0	4.5	-12.3	-41.5	5.1	12.8	13.8
1998	-8.5	-29.1	-13.9	-15.4	7.0	-9.9	29.0	-1.6	3.0	3.4	23.2	-33.5	-13.2	-6.7
1999 Jan-Feb	-13.8	-40.5	11.6	-16.8	21.1	-29.4	-49.9	0.1	-1.9	-11.1	-29.2	-9.0	-5.4	-30.6
1998 Nov	27.6	18.0	43.4	66.8	27.8	18.3	43.9	-15.4	65.5	14.4	59.4	43.9	110.8	8.2
Dec	41.3	18.7	39.2	44.5	74.9	39.5	102.5	58.5	-6.4	39.8	-28.4	278.3	-8.7	29.9
1999 Jan	-7.2	-50.8	39.3	5.2	18.6	-24.3	-41.2	-16.8	11.0	21.2	72.4	-21.9	39.1	-18.5
Feb	-18.7	-32.6	-8.1	-29.1	23.5	-33.3	-55.9	18.6	-11.0	-31.5	-64.3	2.5	-26.1	-39.4
ARRIVALS														
% 1998	100.0	5.6	2.2	22.6	6.5	13.6	1.1	23.5	9.7	1.5	0.5	1.9	2.5	9.0
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	13 879	719	286	3 279	670	1 622	204	3 713	1 379	205	69	158	290	1 286
1996	14 328	780	293	3 185	752	1 755	194	3 677	1 394	252	90	171	312	1 471
1997	15 432	854	347	3 311	825	2 081	181	3 916	1 459	244	87	203	397	1 517
1998	14 692	817	318	3 320	953	1 995	156	3 448	1 426	216	68	283	373	1 319
1999 Jan-Feb	2 052	113	43	479	103	289	22	433	194	30	9	44	54	237
1998 Feb	1 181	61	31	243	65	153	12	332	106	19	6	21	35	97
Mar	1 303	70	28	301	73	180	13	317	118	18	7	22	39	116
Apr	1 387	58	24	248	217	191	16	308	108	18	6	46	30	118
May	1 143	78	20	310	63	145	14	243	104	16	4	15	25	105
Jun	1 061	70	23	282	48	163	12	223	96	19	4	12	28	81
Jul	1 271	70	35	258	68	168	12	340	121	17	6	29	35	109
Aug	1 095	64	21	235	58	157	14	236	122	16	5	31	30	105
Sep	1 134	71	20	249	64	148	11	266	114	19	6	19	28	120
Oct	1 071	56	23	228	67	154	10	242	122	15	6	18	32	97
Nov	1 686	86	32	415	90	199	18	398	164	26	8	38	38	175
Dec	1 317	79	30	324	79	177	10	295	143	21	6	16	27	110
1999 Jan	935	59	17	219	57	134	13	193	99	13	4	20	24	82
Feb	1 117	54	26	259	45	156	9	240	95	18	5	25	30	155
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	13.1	4.3	9.1	10.7	18.0	11.0	31.7	23.3	2.3	9.2	7.8	5.4	-0.5	14.4
1996	3.2	8.4	2.4	-2.9	12.3	8.2	-4.7	-1.0	1.1	23.2	30.8	8.0	7.6	14.4
1997	7.7	9.5	18.3	4.0	9.8	18.6	-6.5	6.5	4.6	-3.5	-3.5	18.7	27.3	3.1
1998	-4.8	-4.4	-8.3	0.3	15.5	-4.2	-14.2	-12.0	-2.3	-11.1	-21.9	39.3	-6.0	-13.0
1999 Jan-Feb	-7.7	-2.7	-29.8	1.9	-18.4	-7.2	-9.9	-24.9	-8.7	-7.7	-8.0	21.9	-11.7	29.3
1998 Nov	36.4	26.4	15.1	50.4	31.5	22.5	50.4	25.0	38.8	31.6	60.9	132.8	48.7	47.1
Dec	17.3	38.2	58.4	22.7	42.8	13.6	-12.5	9.5	29.1	24.4	17.7	-35.6	-5.2	4.8
1999 Jan	-10.3	7.1	-44.0	-3.2	-5.7	-15.5	2.5	-21.1	-6.8	-11.9	1.5	29.4	-7.4	-4.8
Feb	-5.5	-11.6	-15.8	6.7	-30.2	1.5	-23.3	-27.7	-10.7	-4.5	-14.4	16.7	-14.9	59.8

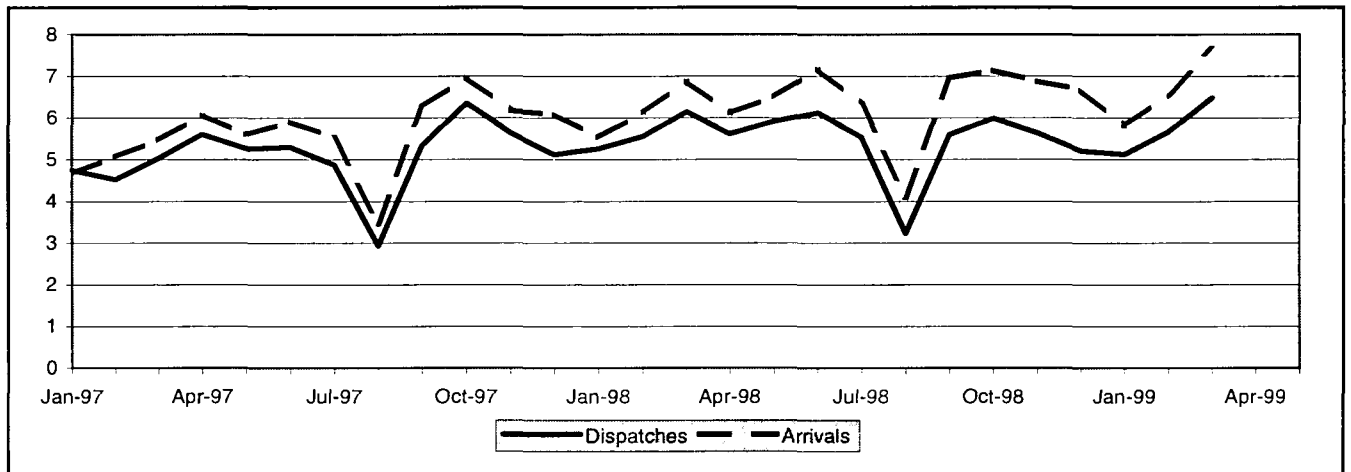
EXTRA EU-15

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner													
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP	
EXPORTS															
% 1998	100.0	0.8	5.8	9.0	1.3	0.3	1.4	30.0	8.0	40.5	3.2	5.1	2.5	3.1	
Value (Bn ECU/euro)															
1995	3 371	25	264	257	31	13	64	887	315	1 219	108	199	94	75	
1996	4 274	26	108	360	41	39	65	1 135	452	1 877	128	276	163	100	
1997	4 889	24	182	429	50	50	65	1 410	561	2 131	99	249	134	132	
1998	4 733	38	276	427	61	15	68	1 422	377	1 917	153	241	117	148	
1999 Jan-Mar	961	11	25	132	10	2	19	305	39	415	29	46	24	29	
1998 Mar	382	4	7	44	4	1	7	119	28	162	6	26	15	10	
Apr	371	4	7	39	5	1	5	123	31	154	8	20	14	16	
May	392	3	33	28	4	1	12	119	26	158	10	22	9	13	
Jun	380	4	8	40	4	1	7	114	29	174	7	19	7	11	
Jul	433	3	6	40	4	4	3	133	42	193	7	19	8	13	
Aug	402	2	72	24	8	0	3	108	34	155	9	16	4	10	
Sep	494	3	78	32	7	3	3	119	29	174	48	17	6	13	
Oct	424	4	39	31	10	1	7	120	27	149	24	23	8	13	
Nov	385	2	6	49	3	1	4	117	28	161	9	25	7	13	
Dec	406	4	6	36	6	1	10	131	39	161	8	21	15	12	
1999 Jan	270	5	5	33	3	0	8	94	12	118	8	15	7	8	
Feb	323	4	7	53	3	1	5	102	12	133	8	17	5	14	
Mar	368	3	13	45	4	1	6	108	15	164	13	14	13	7	
Annual Variation (%)															
1995	-0.5	-9.8	195.6	-32.9	-15.7	-13.3	-19.4	15.9	8.4	-1.6	-10.3	-36.5	-5.2	-26.8	
1996	26.8	1.4	-59.2	40.2	30.5	206.2	1.0	28.0	43.3	54.1	18.6	38.4	73.4	33.6	
1997	14.4	-7.1	69.2	19.3	22.1	30.6	1.2	24.2	24.2	13.5	-22.5	-9.7	-17.6	32.2	
1998	-3.2	59.8	51.3	-0.4	23.0	-70.6	3.5	0.9	-32.8	-10.0	54.5	-3.3	-13.3	11.8	
1999 Jan-Mar	-8.1	18.8	19.6	22.4	0.1	-48.0	21.8	-10.0	-57.8	-5.3	28.0	-21.8	-35.8	-12.3	
1998 Dec	-16.8	221.4	4.4	0.2	66.4	-76.5	15.8	-1.3	-50.1	-24.4	5.2	-22.2	64.0	-33.7	
1999 Jan	-18.7	166.7	-46.7	21.7	10.9	-60.2	45.9	-14.5	-66.8	-16.7	-10.5	-14.2	-7.1	-30.2	
Feb	-2.4	-6.9	42.7	47.7	-14.9	-11.4	70.2	-6.2	-55.2	-1.5	7.1	8.2	-70.4	24.2	
Mar	-3.8	-20.5	86.3	2.2	5.4	-62.0	-18.6	-9.2	-48.7	1.5	107.9	-45.3	-12.3	-30.9	
IMPORTS															
% 1998	100.0	1.0	4.9	12.8	1.4	5.5	10.4	12.2	6.7	14.1	3.3	13.9	11.3	1.9	
Value (Bn ECU/euro)															
1995	5 921	43	336	638	72	288	519	721	623	855	359	782	551	158	
1996	7 948	50	375	747	86	367	716	825	689	1 341	345	1 325	890	258	
1997	8 151	57	413	812	101	420	781	1 059	708	1 241	397	1 142	878	190	
1998	8 465	80	417	1 080	118	470	877	1 029	566	1 194	277	1 177	959	159	
1999 Jan-Mar	1 761	14	102	182	18	101	296	224	125	255	49	121	226	41	
1998 Mar	789	11	44	75	8	32	70	112	77	124	25	129	70	13	
Apr	572	5	35	79	9	33	46	84	39	92	20	62	48	16	
May	704	4	39	116	9	67	63	79	35	80	24	23	112	16	
Jun	942	24	37	137	12	33	95	102	36	126	28	136	122	13	
Jul	739	5	43	135	14	39	124	93	46	83	26	37	75	15	
Aug	558	2	14	48	8	34	65	71	39	51	28	67	114	8	
Sep	707	5	40	127	7	42	106	78	40	87	16	58	84	14	
Oct	843	5	30	55	9	42	66	91	38	128	31	244	106	9	
Nov	595	3	41	79	8	36	73	74	44	103	23	72	36	9	
Dec	591	5	26	91	12	32	69	80	44	80	11	37	91	12	
1999 Jan	469	5	22	48	5	22	63	55	43	75	17	45	55	14	
Feb	526	4	40	64	8	31	78	77	43	78	15	20	58	11	
Mar	766	5	41	70	6	48	155	92	39	103	17	57	113	16	
Annual Variation (%)															
1995	2.0	-6.3	0.4	10.2	45.9	21.9	-24.9	26.3	2.5	-19.8	46.2	-17.8	25.7	-8.6	
1996	34.2	15.2	11.8	17.2	19.1	27.4	38.1	14.4	10.6	56.9	-4.0	69.5	61.5	63.2	
1997	2.5	13.8	10.1	8.6	17.8	14.7	9.0	28.3	2.8	-7.4	15.1	-13.8	-1.4	-26.7	
1998	3.8	41.9	0.9	33.0	16.9	11.7	12.3	-2.8	-20.0	-3.7	-30.1	3.0	9.3	-16.0	
1999 Jan-Mar	-20.4	-35.2	-7.3	-14.6	-40.3	-10.0	74.9	-19.4	-39.3	-30.0	-29.5	-72.4	30.9	-12.6	
1998 Dec	-20.5	-41.2	-37.0	35.0	38.0	3.1	17.8	-22.8	-39.9	-31.7	-73.4	-76.3	101.4	38.4	
1999 Jan	-16.4	-17.4	-27.1	-29.1	-52.6	-36.2	7.3	-21.0	-15.0	-3.7	-31.1	4.7	17.4	-33.5	
Feb	-39.1	-9.3	9.6	-8.7	-41.8	-31.4	91.6	-20.1	-45.2	-52.5	-28.4	-92.6	4.8	-16.2	
Mar	-3.0	-55.7	-7.6	-6.8	-22.4	47.7	122.1	-17.8	-49.2	-16.8	-28.9	-55.9	60.6	25.2	

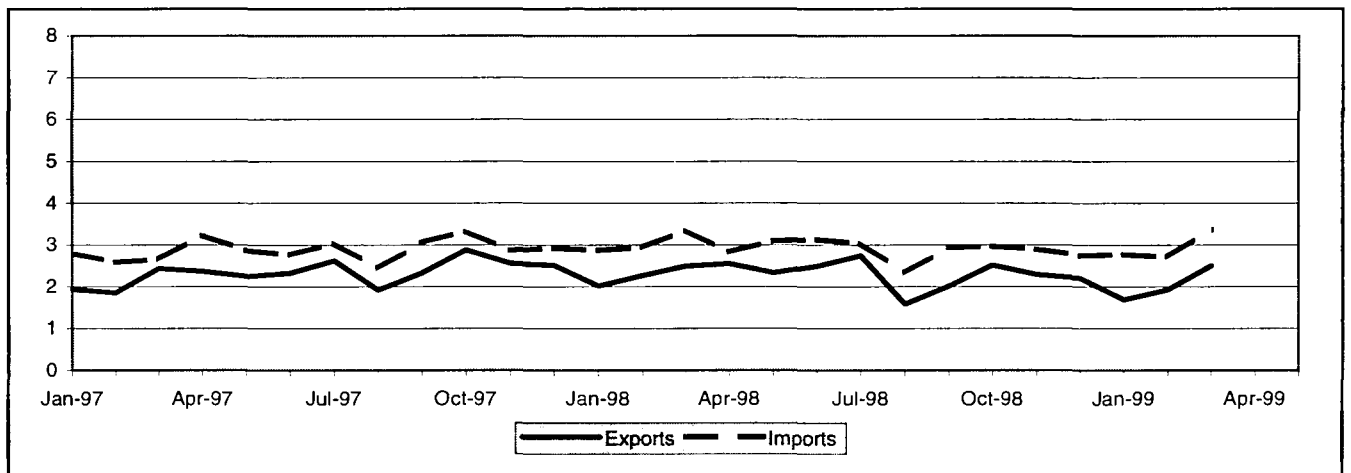
TRADE BALANCE (Bn ECU/euro)



INTRA-EU (Bn ECU/euro)



EXTRA-EU (Bn ECU/euro)



TRADE BALANCE
INTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
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
1998	-10 561	-1 785	-214	-4 976	696	-2 656	-942	-1 767	-2 564	-400	5 352	-573	-568	-659
1999 Jan-Mar	-2 765	-488	-41	-1 446	183	-745	-184	-425	-461	-127	1 369	-126	-302	-88
1998 Mar	-735	-136	-19	-364	64	-154	-77	-115	-233	-25	444	-48	-30	-82
Apr	-491	-112	-1	-322	63	-169	-80	-56	-186	-27	474	-50	-33	-29
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
Oct	-1 146	-203	-20	-468	67	-278	-68	-194	-258	-52	545	-47	-61	-148
Nov	-1 241	-185	-21	-478	56	-331	-86	-169	-244	-77	474	-58	-82	-67
Dec	-1 458	-163	-32	-504	56	-440	-78	-267	-232	-22	452	-36	-97	-144
1999 Jan	-683	-121	-14	-460	51	-222	-61	-112	-102	-5	390	-28	-84	35
Feb	-911	-200	-11	-455	61	-225	-45	-168	-169	-32	464	-40	-107	-17
Mar	-1 171	-167	-17	-532	70	-297	-78	-145	-190	-90	515	-58	-110	-105

EXTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1995	-3 355	-15	-449	-1 869	-111	-759	-1 270	56	-782	887	467	-2 643	-298	-1 244
1996	-1 767	-322	-243	-1 729	-68	-1 079	-1 127	489	-654	847	997	-3 757	13	-1 307
1997	-6 587	-165	-520	-1 800	-43	-1 759	-1 317	714	-398	445	1 378	-4 740	47	-1 903
1998	-7 653	33	-546	-1 711	-49	-2 047	-1 967	657	-454	1 617	1 696	-3 417	-1 932	-1 355
1999 Jan-Mar	-2 740	-90	-153	-492	8	-567	-567	142	-194	116	222	-679	-531	-149
1998 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
Jun	-638	-42	-71	-82	7	-138	-182	44	-34	116	137	-302	-162	-102
Jul	-304	-11	-52	-28	3	-176	-176	50	-21	200	229	-239	-182	-45
Aug	-766	-27	-20	1	4	-138	-126	16	-32	47	-3	-334	-158	-158
Sep	-929	-22	-69	-171	-7	-239	-161	33	-61	123	87	-269	-175	-111
Oct	-453	-8	-27	-70	-18	-224	-178	71	-36	179	178	-260	-143	-99
Nov	-611	66	-28	-200	-14	-167	-187	42	-59	146	100	-219	-159	-91
Dec	-534	-13	-41	-88	-10	-152	-173	41	-50	172	153	-240	-149	-121
1999 Jan	-1 077	-74	-43	-184	-5	-204	-198	36	-51	31	61	-231	-196	-57
Feb	-786	-14	-52	-136	6	-188	-174	34	-35	35	52	-235	-163	-37
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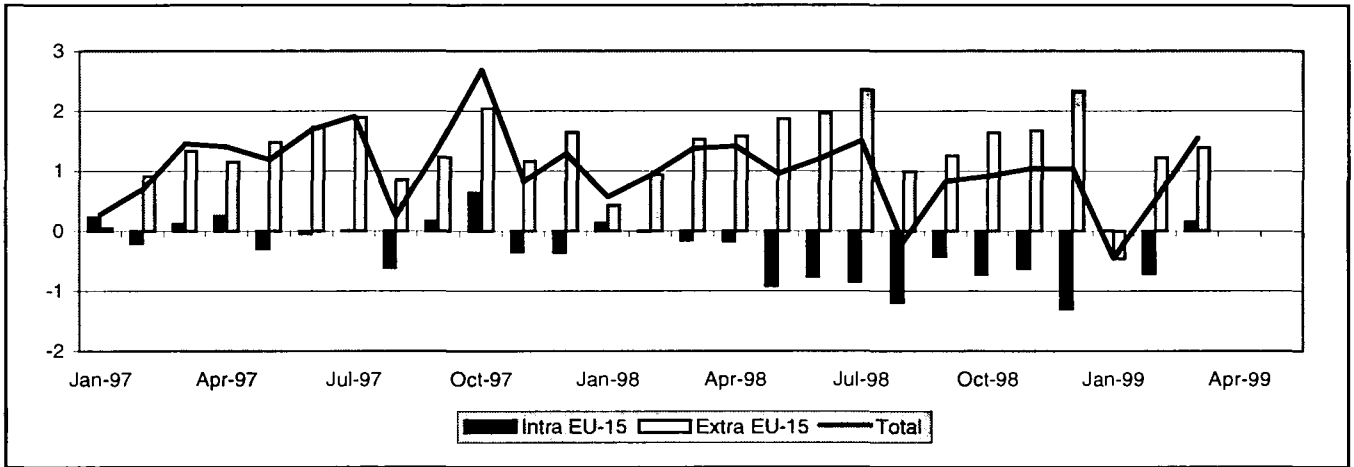
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Period	Intra EU-15	Partner													
		B/L	DK	D	EL	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	
DISPATCHES															
% 1998	100.0	3.9	1.0	19.2	1.3	27.5	0.7	12.8	4.8	1.2	12.8	0.5	1.6	11.8	
Value (Bn ECU/euro)															
1995	49 065	2 120	476	10 483	693	13 692	255	6 265	2 349	558	5 782	237	625	5 401	
1996	57 287	2 386	501	11 749	786	16 247	366	7 047	2 622	674	7 080	231	730	6 622	
1997	60 718	2 430	587	11 493	854	15 974	366	8 531	3 171	733	7 744	340	867	7 091	
1998	65 837	2 567	646	12 668	869	18 092	491	8 448	3 177	802	8 442	325	1 033	7 780	
1999 Jan-Mar	17 273	666	176	3 350	239	4 634	150	2 209	933	215	2 154	96	278	2 057	
1998 Mar	6 149	243	59	1 210	78	1 711	45	828	296	82	729	29	89	710	
Apr	5 616	226	55	1 063	76	1 532	45	741	270	60	736	27	85	663	
May	5 916	219	56	1 138	72	1 610	38	841	263	71	726	27	93	716	
Jun	6 121	235	53	1 103	72	1 820	57	814	265	72	727	29	84	749	
Jul	5 540	207	52	1 005	63	1 628	45	659	242	70	709	24	85	708	
Aug	3 229	134	38	636	45	745	19	369	167	45	491	13	57	430	
Sep	5 602	223	52	1 086	86	1 577	34	676	250	72	776	26	95	607	
Oct	5 989	236	60	1 195	84	1 640	48	750	283	72	802	31	101	650	
Nov	5 640	219	57	1 090	71	1 517	38	749	280	54	735	26	78	696	
Dec	5 212	200	55	1 013	72	1 384	46	611	286	69	691	34	91	611	
1999 Jan	5 125	187	53	1 002	65	1 371	42	585	315	67	631	32	79	647	
Feb	5 667	228	57	1 102	80	1 517	53	713	292	73	712	33	93	680	
Mar	6 481	250	66	1 245	93	1 746	55	911	327	75	811	31	106	731	
Annual Variation (%)															
1995	14.2	14.4	20.7	21.8	22.6	10.8	-3.3	11.0	-1.2	10.0	20.2	11.9	34.1	9.9	
1996	16.8	12.5	5.3	12.1	13.4	18.7	44.0	12.5	11.6	20.9	22.5	-2.2	16.8	22.6	
1997	6.0	1.8	17.3	-2.2	8.7	-1.7	-0.1	21.1	20.9	8.7	9.4	46.8	18.8	7.1	
1998	8.4	5.7	10.0	10.2	1.8	13.3	34.2	-1.0	0.2	9.5	9.0	-4.3	19.1	9.7	
1999 Jan-Mar	1.8	-0.5	4.8	0.3	4.9	-0.1	22.7	-1.3	6.9	-1.3	5.1	9.4	5.0	5.5	
1998 Dec	1.8	-2.8	2.1	8.0	7.8	-1.2	18.7	-5.0	-3.5	6.7	4.0	8.9	20.1	3.0	
1999 Jan	-2.6	-6.1	-3.0	-6.0	-7.1	-3.0	15.5	-16.1	6.8	-0.2	-0.0	30.1	6.4	9.0	
Feb	2.0	0.7	4.5	3.7	0.7	0.1	28.1	0.2	3.5	5.8	3.4	-1.7	-8.6	4.9	
Mar	5.4	2.9	12.1	2.9	19.8	2.0	23.6	10.0	10.2	-8.3	11.2	4.9	19.2	3.0	
ARRIVALS															
% 1998	100.0	5.7	1.1	23.1	0.2	27.2	1.9	13.4	7.5	1.6	4.0	1.2	2.1	11.0	
Value (Bn ECU/euro)															
1995	57 061	3 311	717	13 341	292	14 579	899	7 678	4 180	785	2 550	756	1 097	6 873	
1996	66 128	3 836	810	14 894	325	17 602	895	9 204	4 638	982	2 815	729	1 386	8 009	
1997	67 275	3 809	772	15 271	198	17 861	1 158	9 113	5 010	1 029	2 703	711	1 374	8 265	
1998	76 398	4 353	860	17 644	173	20 749	1 434	10 215	5 741	1 202	3 090	898	1 601	8 439	
1999 Jan-Mar	20 038	1 154	217	4 796	56	5 379	335	2 634	1 394	342	785	222	579	2 145	
1998 Mar	6 884	379	78	1 574	14	1 865	122	943	530	107	286	77	120	792	
Apr	6 107	337	56	1 385	13	1 701	125	798	456	87	262	77	118	692	
May	6 506	357	62	1 498	14	1 779	134	928	458	105	275	77	122	697	
Jun	7 175	371	80	1 665	15	2 011	143	1 008	491	120	282	84	141	764	
Jul	6 332	351	66	1 440	15	1 749	120	879	465	105	278	65	118	680	
Aug	4 090	257	55	1 046	9	899	108	482	350	46	201	55	106	476	
Sep	6 960	419	90	1 650	14	1 874	115	903	525	137	266	83	140	746	
Oct	7 135	439	80	1 662	16	1 918	116	944	542	124	257	78	161	797	
Nov	6 880	404	78	1 568	15	1 848	125	918	524	131	261	84	160	763	
Dec	6 670	363	87	1 517	16	1 824	124	879	517	91	239	70	188	756	
1999 Jan	5 808	308	66	1 462	13	1 594	103	698	417	72	241	60	163	612	
Feb	6 578	429	68	1 557	20	1 742	98	881	460	105	248	73	200	697	
Mar	7 652	417	83	1 777	23	2 043	133	1 056	517	165	296	89	217	836	
Annual Variation (%)															
1995	15.0	13.6	14.5	17.4	53.7	8.4	31.1	18.3	24.4	1.8	21.9	18.3	21.6	12.1	
1996	15.9	15.9	13.0	11.6	11.3	20.7	-0.4	19.9	10.9	25.1	10.4	-3.6	26.4	16.5	
1997	1.7	-0.7	-4.6	2.5	-39.1	1.5	29.4	-1.0	8.0	4.8	-4.0	-2.4	-0.9	3.2	
1998	13.6	14.3	11.3	15.5	-12.4	16.2	23.8	12.1	14.6	16.8	14.3	26.3	16.5	2.1	
1999 Jan-Mar	8.1	9.4	5.3	13.9	24.6	4.5	3.4	6.4	-1.3	34.1	1.9	-1.3	67.2	3.7	
1998 Dec	9.5	12.0	22.9	13.2	12.8	14.7	6.2	4.9	14.4	11.9	-1.6	7.2	58.7	-9.7	
1999 Jan	4.9	-3.5	-2.4	15.4	-16.5	2.6	10.9	-0.8	-7.2	18.3	4.2	-16.0	53.1	2.1	
Feb	7.5	20.1	13.2	13.5	29.0	0.8	-9.2	6.1	6.2	19.5	-2.1	-4.7	65.7	2.8	
Mar	11.2	10.1	6.1	12.9	68.6	9.6	8.8	12.0	-2.4	55.2	3.7	15.7	81.2	5.6	

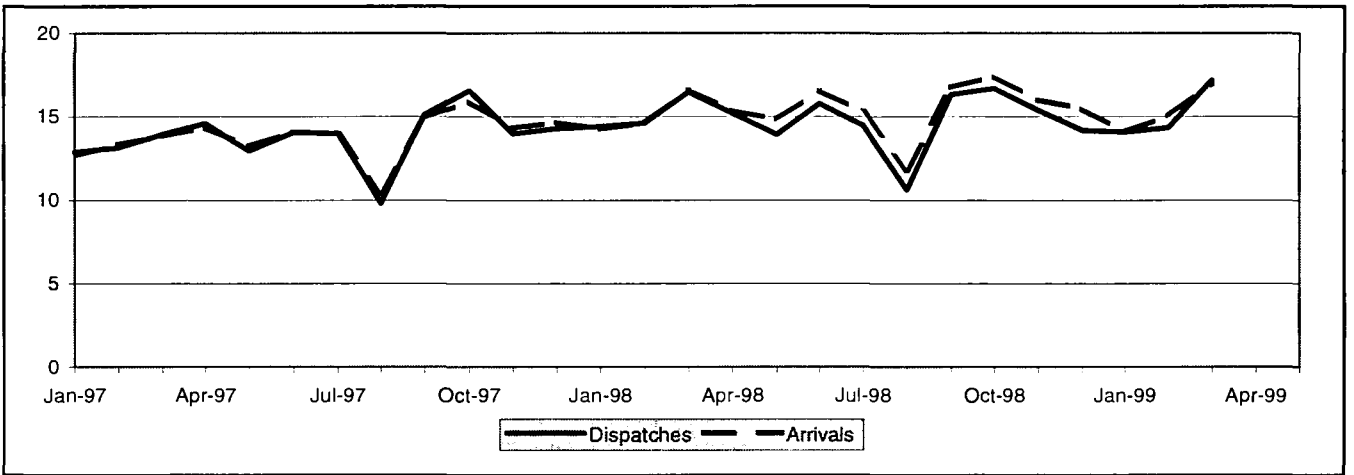
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Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
EXPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	2.2	3.8	14.7	1.5	1.6	3.2	7.6	2.6	20.4	21.4	9.0	4.9	4.1
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	23 980	423	789	2 928	344	694	923	1 050	369	4 134	3 669	2 085	1 740	743
1996	27 538	301	911	3 370	344	484	898	1 439	548	4 400	4 356	2 207	2 099	1 148
1997	27 987	398	954	4 072	407	429	956	1 888	868	4 749	5 640	2 492	2 530	1 130
1998	27 501	592	1 047	4 037	418	435	872	2 098	707	5 606	5 871	2 487	1 342	1 141
1999 Jan-Mar	6 122	118	278	974	107	126	240	531	86	1 082	1 198	559	320	329
1998 Mar	2 489	97	93	357	37	35	80	208	87	492	491	214	132	111
Apr	2 553	123	92	370	42	44	74	177	86	478	548	244	111	105
May	2 334	35	87	374	33	35	51	174	68	482	510	210	104	104
Jun	2 493	36	86	397	53	47	69	173	70	481	558	202	117	107
Jul	2 743	34	98	393	37	51	85	185	76	511	659	237	135	114
Aug	1 582	18	45	252	23	37	34	103	53	322	356	136	77	67
Sep	2 009	23	81	289	24	23	76	164	21	431	435	168	100	90
Oct	2 513	31	100	356	36	28	82	210	28	577	526	242	118	108
Nov	2 292	113	100	320	36	23	73	184	28	448	443	235	107	95
Dec	2 206	26	87	311	29	41	100	151	33	473	479	208	123	88
1999 Jan	1 693	54	83	277	28	23	66	149	21	295	339	165	86	71
Feb	1 926	36	90	310	37	35	63	169	29	340	363	164	93	129
Mar	2 503	28	105	386	42	69	112	213	36	448	495	231	141	128
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	11.5	103.4	11.0	-1.8	-3.5	5.9	22.2	21.4	28.6	19.1	-0.3	9.1	11.0	14.5
1996	14.8	-28.7	15.4	15.1	-0.0	-30.2	-2.7	37.1	48.6	6.4	18.8	5.9	20.6	54.6
1997	1.6	32.1	4.7	20.8	18.4	-11.4	6.5	31.2	58.3	7.9	29.5	12.9	20.5	-1.6
1998	-1.7	48.7	9.8	-0.9	2.7	1.4	-8.8	11.1	-18.6	18.1	4.1	-0.2	-47.0	0.9
1999 Jan-Mar	-9.7	-22.4	2.5	-0.3	2.1	16.7	5.7	-8.0	-64.7	-22.8	-11.8	-7.7	-9.0	26.2
1998 Dec	-12.1	-17.7	9.8	-10.6	-6.2	-24.2	31.8	-17.2	-57.3	-6.0	-3.2	-12.8	-23.6	-14.7
1999 Jan	-16.0	113.7	-3.8	-7.0	-12.3	-9.5	-1.0	-17.1	-71.2	-24.4	-21.7	-13.2	-28.2	11.3
Feb	-15.2	20.5	-2.4	-3.8	4.6	-27.6	-22.5	-11.1	-65.9	-34.5	-16.2	-18.8	-7.2	51.1
Mar	0.6	-71.5	13.3	8.4	12.3	95.8	40.1	2.6	-58.0	-9.0	0.7	7.6	7.2	15.6
IMPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	1.6	4.5	16.4	1.3	7.1	8.1	4.1	3.3	11.3	11.9	16.8	9.3	7.1
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	27 335	438	1 238	4 797	455	1 453	2 193	994	1 151	3 247	3 201	4 728	2 038	1 987
1996	29 305	624	1 153	5 100	412	1 564	2 025	950	1 202	3 553	3 360	5 964	2 086	2 455
1997	34 575	563	1 474	5 872	451	2 188	2 273	1 174	1 266	4 303	4 262	7 232	2 483	3 033
1998	35 153	559	1 594	5 748	467	2 482	2 839	1 442	1 161	3 989	4 175	5 904	3 274	2 496
1999 Jan-Mar	8 862	208	431	1 465	99	693	808	389	280	967	976	1 238	850	478
1998 Mar	3 342	47	167	757	37	191	238	138	106	403	292	548	299	230
Apr	2 829	42	139	500	39	195	253	116	113	301	322	402	248	195
May	3 096	42	143	465	35	202	249	117	151	377	390	500	271	226
Jun	3 130	78	156	479	46	185	251	129	105	366	421	504	279	209
Jul	3 047	45	151	420	34	226	260	135	97	311	429	477	316	159
Aug	2 348	45	65	250	19	174	160	86	85	275	358	470	235	225
Sep	2 938	46	150	460	31	261	237	131	82	308	349	437	275	202
Oct	2 965	39	128	425	54	251	260	138	64	398	348	502	261	207
Nov	2 902	47	128	520	50	190	260	143	86	302	342	454	266	185
Dec	2 740	40	129	399	39	193	274	111	83	301	326	448	271	209
1999 Jan	2 771	129	126	461	33	227	264	113	72	263	278	395	282	129
Feb	2 712	50	142	447	31	223	237	134	64	305	311	398	255	166
Mar	3 379	29	163	558	35	243	307	141	145	398	386	444	313	184
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	8.9	34.4	12.1	3.1	41.5	24.3	3.9	59.6	22.8	6.9	10.2	5.4	16.7	-1.8
1996	7.2	42.4	-6.8	6.3	-9.4	7.6	-7.7	-4.4	4.4	9.4	4.9	26.2	2.3	23.6
1997	18.0	-9.7	27.8	15.1	9.4	40.0	12.2	23.6	5.3	21.1	26.9	21.3	19.1	23.5
1998	1.7	-0.8	8.1	-2.1	3.7	13.4	24.9	22.8	-8.3	-7.3	-2.0	-18.4	31.8	-17.7
1999 Jan-Mar	-3.2	52.7	6.3	-19.9	-16.9	14.6	27.1	16.1	-4.5	-7.9	9.7	-27.6	-0.1	-29.5
1998 Dec	-6.2	-37.7	-1.4	-19.0	-22.7	9.4	46.7	4.5	42.0	-5.9	-1.1	-28.1	17.2	-41.8
1999 Jan	-3.6	192.2	11.6	-13.8	-21.2	3.5	24.8	20.5	-26.5	-13.0	-10.8	-30.8	20.5	-42.4
Feb	-7.8	12.2	13.2	-17.1	-21.7	14.8	27.5	30.1	-28.7	-11.3	8.9	-32.6	-19.7	-26.5
Mar	1.1	-38.4	-2.5	-26.3	-7.0	27.2	29.0	2.6	36.0	-1.3	32.5	-18.9	4.7	-20.1

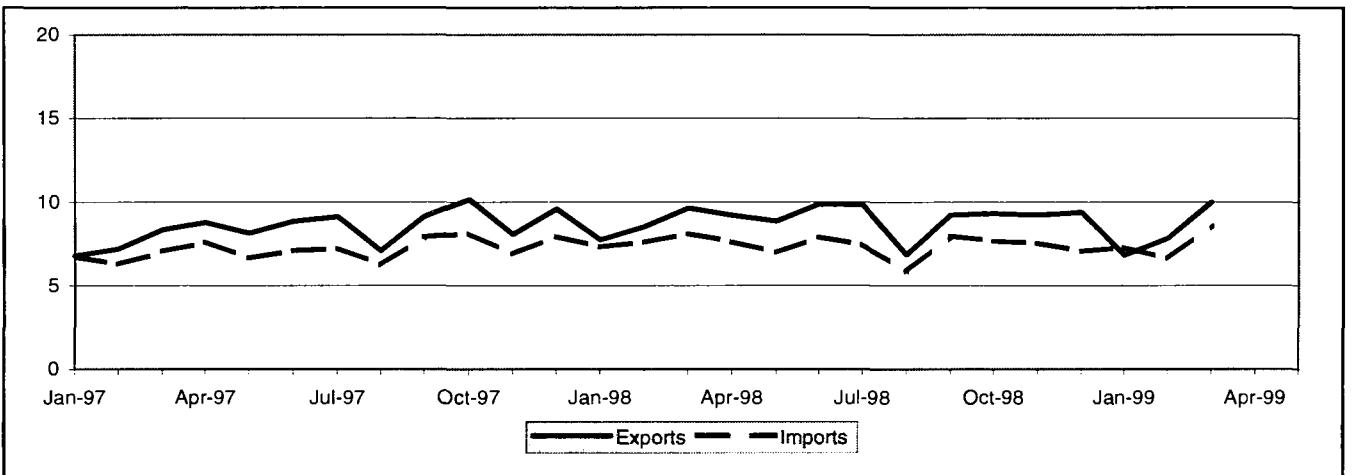
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EXTRA-EU (Bn ECU/euro)



TRADE BALANCE
INTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
1995	-6 438	-3 926	-88	-4 091	1 254	2 297	-1 827	597	-4 764	907	741	-383	-159	3 004
1996	-6 986	-3 273	-0	-4 581	1 408	2 890	-1 843	-732	-4 907	893	743	-341	303	2 453
1997	-417	-3 622	-44	-3 242	1 721	4 286	-1 778	549	-5 120	780	1 134	-338	490	4 767
1998	-6 961	-5 564	134	-5 609	1 792	5 045	-2 311	-762	-7 083	746	1 201	-427	514	5 363
1999 Jan-Mar	-545	-1 372	-6	-1 327	676	1 408	-598	85	-1 700	309	368	-101	162	1 551
1998 Mar	-154	-486	69	-167	157	452	-209	0	-646	79	125	-9	55	426
Apr	-168	-474	28	-417	151	378	-128	40	-519	36	98	-15	60	594
May	-913	-547	34	-576	135	376	-193	-68	-589	28	92	-78	47	426
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	-1 183	-500	-27	-435	127	151	-164	-195	-523	114	79	-36	46	183
Sep	-425	-518	18	-396	178	541	-205	-29	-720	36	139	-66	32	564
Oct	-720	-416	-11	-421	178	544	-268	-146	-639	54	81	-54	34	342
Nov	-632	-406	40	-527	125	536	-201	-26	-583	52	167	-57	16	230
Dec	-1 295	-396	-12	-748	126	454	-220	-236	-725	33	124	-20	40	285
1999 Jan	5	-367	-11	-473	363	510	-207	145	-539	68	85	-35	9	458
Feb	-712	-507	-10	-601	132	424	-149	-44	-592	70	78	-50	45	491
Mar	162	-498	15	-253	180	474	-241	-16	-568	172	204	-16	108	602

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Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1995	15 438	-1 683	2 470	-665	-57	-1 066	-843	985	-1 114	3 735	810	1 326	4 577	1 319
1996	16 265	-2 333	2 804	-656	299	-1 731	-407	1 857	-1 114	4 569	1 319	71	3 509	1 606
1997	15 510	-2 492	2 632	-1 301	862	-1 474	-957	2 784	-378	5 100	1 996	438	3 583	1 405
1998	18 552	-1 831	2 400	466	1 016	-2 011	-1 480	3 047	-272	6 540	3 145	1 554	2 745	2 202
1999 Jan-Mar	2 154	-349	873	-990	294	-570	-433	700	-300	1 340	432	759	58	469
1998 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	2 348	-86	89	417	53	-156	-64	259	-33	780	390	262	312	125
Aug	996	-95	116	-60	67	-142	-77	187	-22	378	297	-34	224	171
Sep	1 256	-58	219	168	37	-263	-174	197	-125	529	192	93	377	-15
Oct	1 638	-107	174	368	39	-134	-170	258	-82	711	401	263	50	191
Nov	1 674	-127	235	21	37	-19	-192	277	-97	491	299	265	173	442
Dec	2 328	-100	329	75	53	-13	-156	197	-85	636	392	342	511	98
1999 Jan	-462	-116	82	-504	-44	-254	-90	191	-125	227	58	163	-37	164
Feb	1 225	-91	408	-84	244	-211	-139	219	-46	470	165	199	-19	175
Mar	1 390	-142	383	-402	95	-105	-204	291	-129	643	209	397	114	131

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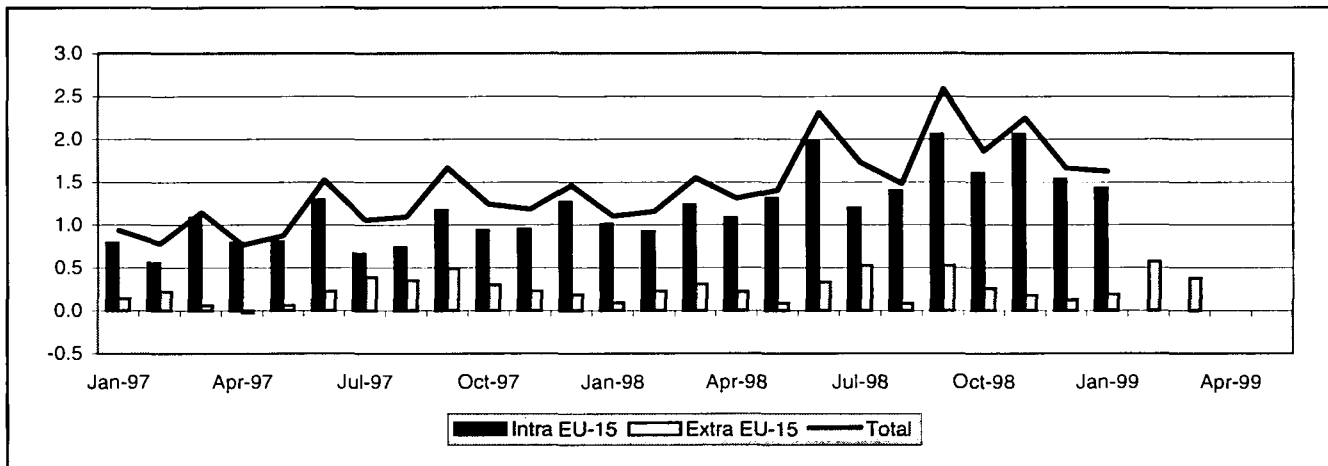
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		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
DISPATCHES														
% 1998	100.0	12.0	1.4	26.3	1.3	13.5	1.0	14.5	7.1	1.7	2.4	0.8	2.3	15.7
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	145 033	19 091	2 033	41 041	1 744	16 515	1 132	22 322	10 214	2 607	3 102	1 049	2 898	21 284
1996	149 665	19 860	2 155	41 006	1 910	18 413	1 181	22 000	10 478	2 666	3 256	1 258	3 263	22 220
1997	165 256	20 812	2 296	42 333	2 167	20 527	1 653	24 681	11 882	2 728	3 970	1 175	3 713	27 319
1998	178 037	21 398	2 476	46 836	2 242	24 077	1 867	25 777	12 706	3 033	4 329	1 346	4 008	27 941
1999 Jan-Mar	45 616	5 215	587	12 030	831	6 175	428	6 636	3 229	857	1 158	330	1 007	7 133
1998 Mar	16 472	1 973	284	4 420	197	2 110	165	2 459	1 153	289	413	125	357	2 526
Apr	15 196	1 798	201	3 955	184	1 958	199	2 337	1 029	238	366	123	362	2 451
May	13 918	1 573	193	3 541	164	2 023	133	2 114	981	222	334	101	327	2 212
Jun	15 780	1 831	213	3 953	184	2 232	152	2 368	1 060	248	360	120	350	2 708
Jul	14 457	1 566	177	3 802	206	2 032	144	2 064	1 040	223	364	116	252	2 472
Aug	10 609	1 369	140	3 070	147	1 135	113	1 225	798	261	260	80	268	1 742
Sep	16 336	2 040	209	4 412	212	2 176	151	2 306	1 148	259	387	115	391	2 530
Oct	16 693	2 037	217	4 564	214	2 430	136	2 312	1 220	279	375	128	372	2 409
Nov	15 374	1 875	226	4 034	183	2 195	152	2 283	1 116	254	401	120	314	2 221
Dec	14 181	1 772	197	3 721	174	1 992	141	1 901	1 098	217	378	100	328	2 163
1999 Jan	14 085	1 659	169	3 625	391	1 923	144	2 046	999	234	327	95	277	2 195
Feb	14 332	1 612	183	3 807	193	1 972	134	2 097	1 013	244	356	101	323	2 296
Mar	17 199	1 944	234	4 598	247	2 281	150	2 493	1 217	378	475	134	407	2 642
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	11.4	6.0	7.5	10.2	16.5	13.2	-8.0	8.3	8.2	19.7	1.2	35.1	23.6	2.7
1996	3.2	4.0	6.0	-0.1	9.5	11.5	4.3	-1.4	2.6	2.3	5.0	19.9	12.6	4.4
1997	10.4	4.8	6.5	3.2	13.5	11.5	39.9	12.2	13.4	2.3	21.9	-6.6	13.8	22.9
1998	7.7	2.8	7.9	10.6	3.4	17.3	13.0	4.4	6.9	11.2	9.0	14.5	7.9	2.3
1999 Jan-Mar	0.3	-5.8	-16.7	2.1	44.4	4.6	-21.7	-3.4	0.4	2.7	4.9	-3.9	-3.5	1.4
1998 Dec	-0.7	-14.0	-1.9	9.9	1.8	9.6	-6.2	-11.8	6.5	2.1	7.4	-7.0	3.7	-6.9
1999 Jan	-2.3	-6.1	-19.9	-1.1	99.0	1.9	-32.0	-5.6	-6.0	-11.9	1.2	-12.8	-16.9	-0.8
Feb	-1.9	-10.3	-12.5	2.9	6.3	3.4	-20.8	-6.4	1.5	-12.5	-3.2	-7.8	-8.7	0.1
Mar	4.4	-1.5	-17.5	4.0	25.2	8.1	-9.3	1.4	5.5	30.8	15.1	7.1	14.3	4.6
ARRIVALS														
% 1998	100.0	14.6	1.3	28.3	0.2	10.3	2.3	14.3	10.7	1.2	1.7	1.0	1.9	12.2
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	151 471	23 018	2 121	45 132	490	14 218	2 959	21 724	14 978	1 700	2 362	1 432	3 057	18 280
1996	156 651	23 134	2 155	45 587	501	15 523	3 024	22 732	15 385	1 773	2 513	1 598	2 960	19 767
1997	165 673	24 434	2 340	45 575	445	16 241	3 431	24 132	17 002	1 949	2 836	1 514	3 224	22 552
1998	184 998	26 962	2 342	52 446	450	19 032	4 178	26 539	19 789	2 287	3 127	1 774	3 494	22 578
1999 Jan-Mar	46 161	6 588	592	13 357	155	4 767	1 026	6 551	4 929	547	790	431	845	5 582
1998 Mar	16 627	2 459	215	4 587	40	1 658	375	2 459	1 800	210	288	134	302	2 100
Apr	15 365	2 272	173	4 372	32	1 580	327	2 296	1 548	202	267	138	302	1 857
May	14 831	2 120	159	4 117	29	1 647	326	2 182	1 570	195	243	179	280	1 786
Jun	16 541	2 360	220	4 668	32	1 911	364	2 470	1 715	189	289	160	314	1 849
Jul	15 301	2 262	201	4 274	29	1 701	352	2 350	1 470	179	319	146	243	1 774
Aug	11 793	1 870	167	3 505	21	984	278	1 420	1 322	147	182	116	222	1 559
Sep	16 761	2 558	191	4 807	34	1 635	356	2 335	1 868	223	248	181	358	1 965
Oct	17 414	2 453	228	4 985	36	1 886	404	2 458	1 859	224	293	181	338	2 067
Nov	16 006	2 281	186	4 561	58	1 659	353	2 309	1 699	202	234	177	298	1 991
Dec	15 477	2 168	208	4 469	47	1 538	361	2 138	1 824	183	254	120	288	1 878
1999 Jan	14 080	2 027	180	4 099	28	1 413	352	1 901	1 538	166	241	130	268	1 737
Feb	15 044	2 119	193	4 408	61	1 548	283	2 141	1 606	175	278	151	278	1 805
Mar	17 037	2 442	219	4 850	67	1 807	391	2 509	1 785	207	271	149	299	2 040
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	12.6	5.9	3.0	7.2	8.8	13.6	6.4	5.0	10.0	3.1	5.8	10.6	20.4	7.5
1996	3.4	0.5	1.6	1.0	2.3	9.2	2.2	4.6	2.7	4.3	6.4	11.6	-3.2	8.1
1997	5.8	5.6	8.6	-0.0	-11.2	4.6	13.5	6.2	10.5	9.9	12.9	-5.3	8.9	14.1
1998	11.7	10.3	0.1	15.1	1.0	17.2	21.8	10.0	16.4	17.4	10.3	17.2	8.4	0.1
1999 Jan-Mar	1.4	-0.5	-2.6	5.3	16.7	6.1	-3.0	-0.5	0.3	0.8	-1.1	15.2	-0.7	-4.6
1998 Dec	5.7	-3.9	0.8	16.8	42.2	8.0	6.0	4.7	7.7	1.8	6.1	-16.8	0.3	-4.6
1999 Jan	-1.3	-2.7	-11.9	3.6	-51.0	4.0	-4.4	-4.7	0.2	6.4	5.4	7.8	1.8	-10.7
Feb	2.9	2.1	2.1	6.4	68.2	5.0	-10.2	0.6	1.6	-1.4	-1.4	27.2	-2.7	-0.1
Mar	2.5	-0.7	2.2	5.7	65.8	8.9	4.5	2.0	-0.8	-1.5	-5.9	11.2	-0.9	-2.9

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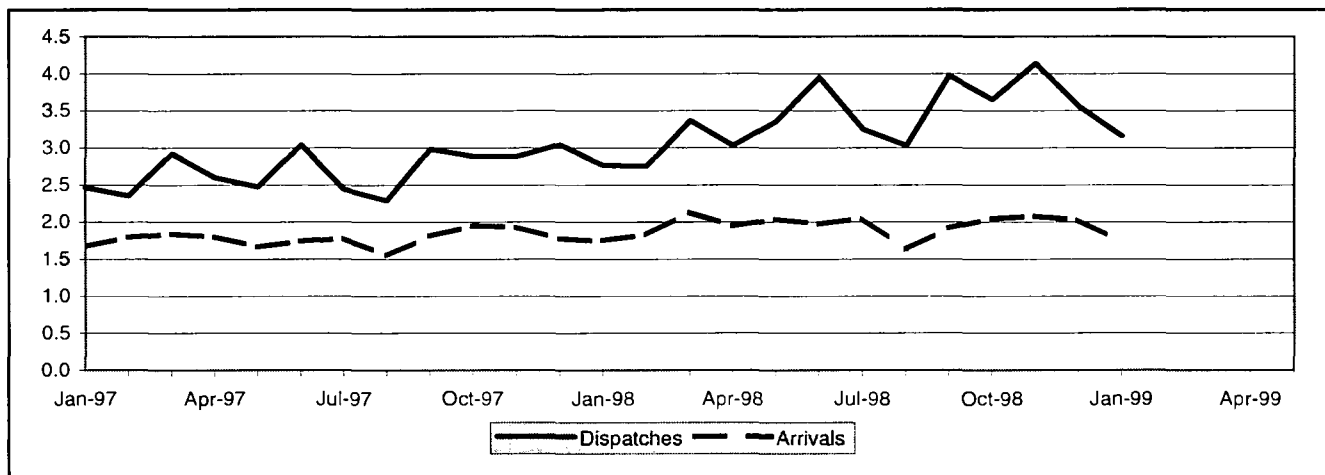
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		Norway	Switzer- land	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterra- nean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
EXPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	1.2	9.6	20.5	2.3	2.8	3.9	7.2	2.3	15.6	6.4	8.5	9.6	6.7
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	85 212	895	8 805	13 684	1 468	2 028	4 335	4 077	1 958	11 997	4 272	8 290	10 392	5 660
1996	90 634	979	9 178	14 592	1 633	1 981	4 275	5 265	2 395	13 201	4 564	8 242	9 626	6 375
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1998	107 615	1 290	10 358	22 030	2 450	3 043	4 223	7 781	2 482	16 781	6 940	9 111	10 361	7 167
1999 Jan-Mar	24 623	308	3 054	5 203	712	723	1 018	1 889	405	3 875	1 362	2 174	1 889	1 403
1998 Mar	9 641	108	910	1 867	159	226	449	700	281	1 463	601	797	1 025	540
Apr	9 209	116	858	1 947	277	198	346	710	276	1 321	575	764	785	820
May	8 838	106	760	1 846	391	150	378	674	238	1 390	524	659	748	454
Jun	9 862	127	872	2 138	169	337	342	731	279	1 625	591	773	901	751
Jul	9 825	136	798	2 213	179	268	387	685	229	1 700	756	882	912	564
Aug	6 837	92	567	1 325	154	268	271	467	192	1 008	560	558	745	463
Sep	9 220	109	993	2 078	161	229	342	660	107	1 323	513	687	1 103	559
Oct	9 307	116	914	2 013	173	306	366	704	125	1 547	677	860	693	617
Nov	9 213	118	1 025	1 723	137	368	315	693	108	1 347	620	843	839	849
Dec	9 389	86	1 026	1 803	163	401	317	581	120	1 481	650	854	1 150	547
1999 Jan	6 820	101	801	1 593	126	171	339	544	113	1 005	351	621	548	451
Feb	7 827	105	1 068	1 590	332	211	307	593	127	1 218	432	622	570	453
Mar	9 977	101	1 185	2 021	254	341	372	752	164	1 652	579	931	771	499
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	6.8	5.4	13.4	-6.4	3.3	10.8	9.9	21.9	35.7	10.1	-9.9	6.9	37.3	24.0
1996	6.4	9.4	4.2	6.6	11.3	-2.3	-1.4	29.1	22.4	10.0	6.8	-0.6	-7.4	12.6
1997	11.6	45.7	2.3	23.2	40.4	56.8	2.4	23.9	51.0	11.2	28.9	15.3	13.5	-2.6
1998	6.4	-9.5	10.3	22.5	6.8	-2.0	-3.5	19.3	-31.4	14.4	18.0	-4.1	-5.2	15.4
1999 Jan-Mar	-5.0	8.6	20.0	5.2	10.3	39.8	-12.0	0.7	-50.0	-4.1	-7.5	-2.6	-23.9	-9.1
1998 Dec	-2.0	-4.4	27.3	10.5	18.8	45.1	-22.4	-2.2	-63.0	0.9	2.5	-21.7	12.2	-14.4
1999 Jan	-11.9	30.6	4.0	9.8	-42.6	45.2	-2.0	-4.1	-54.4	-12.9	-10.3	-13.2	-8.8	-6.2
Feb	-8.2	7.9	23.5	-2.3	24.4	21.1	-15.4	-2.4	-54.6	-14.4	-10.0	-13.4	-33.6	-13.3
Mar	3.5	-6.4	30.2	8.2	59.8	51.3	-17.1	7.4	-41.5	12.9	-3.7	16.7	-24.8	-7.6
IMPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	3.5	8.9	24.2	1.6	5.7	6.4	5.3	3.1	11.5	4.3	8.5	8.6	5.6
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	69 775	2 578	6 335	14 350	1 525	3 094	5 178	3 091	3 071	8 262	3 462	6 964	5 814	4 340
1996	74 369	3 312	6 374	15 248	1 334	3 713	4 681	3 408	3 509	8 632	3 245	8 171	6 117	4 769
1997	85 665	3 917	6 758	19 282	1 432	4 581	5 333	3 740	3 994	9 573	3 885	9 063	7 343	4 807
1998	89 062	3 121	7 959	21 564	1 435	5 054	5 703	4 734	2 755	10 242	3 795	7 557	7 615	4 965
1999 Jan-Mar	22 470	657	2 181	6 193	418	1 293	1 451	1 189	705	2 534	930	1 416	1 831	933
1998 Mar	8 113	326	706	2 158	137	385	571	416	231	930	365	645	653	331
Apr	7 627	312	640	2 063	131	418	515	396	207	768	356	674	596	372
May	6 969	263	581	1 805	107	400	461	385	198	826	302	612	594	335
Jun	7 897	272	684	1 947	110	413	506	416	222	966	356	726	665	459
Jul	7 478	223	709	1 796	126	424	450	426	262	920	366	619	600	439
Aug	5 841	187	451	1 385	87	410	348	280	214	631	263	592	522	292
Sep	7 964	167	775	1 910	125	492	516	464	232	794	321	594	726	573
Oct	7 670	224	741	1 645	134	440	536	446	207	837	276	596	643	425
Nov	7 539	244	790	1 703	100	387	508	416	205	856	321	579	666	408
Dec	7 061	186	697	1 728	110	414	472	384	205	846	259	512	639	449
1999 Jan	7 282	217	720	2 097	171	424	429	353	239	778	293	459	585	287
Feb	6 601	196	659	1 673	88	423	446	374	173	748	267	424	590	278
Mar	8 587	243	802	2 423	160	446	576	462	293	1 009	370	533	656	368
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	-1.6	8.4	12.0	-4.5	15.1	16.6	1.8	18.6	16.0	6.8	3.6	-10.3	17.4	3.8
1996	6.6	28.5	0.6	6.3	-12.5	20.0	-9.6	10.2	14.2	4.5	-6.3	17.3	5.2	9.9
1997	15.2	18.3	6.0	26.5	7.3	23.4	13.9	9.8	13.8	10.9	19.7	10.9	20.0	0.8
1998	4.0	-20.3	17.8	11.8	0.2	10.3	6.9	26.6	-31.0	7.0	-2.3	-16.6	3.7	3.3
1999 Jan-Mar	-2.4	-37.1	15.3	10.9	3.0	3.1	4.4	6.0	-12.2	-9.4	-4.6	-31.0	-6.8	-23.1
1998 Dec	-11.0	-55.1	21.5	-8.6	-3.5	-2.5	-5.3	9.5	-18.1	-7.0	-10.7	-40.3	-12.6	-6.5
1999 Jan	-0.4	-37.0	30.8	25.2	34.0	-9.5	-1.5	6.7	-24.4	2.8	2.8	-35.3	-15.8	-34.6
Feb	-13.0	-47.4	3.8	-4.4	-38.0	5.5	16.1	-0.1	-32.4	-32.7	-17.8	-39.2	-4.5	-37.3
Mar	5.8	-25.3	13.6	12.3	16.6	15.9	1.0	11.0	27.0	8.5	1.3	-17.3	0.5	11.1

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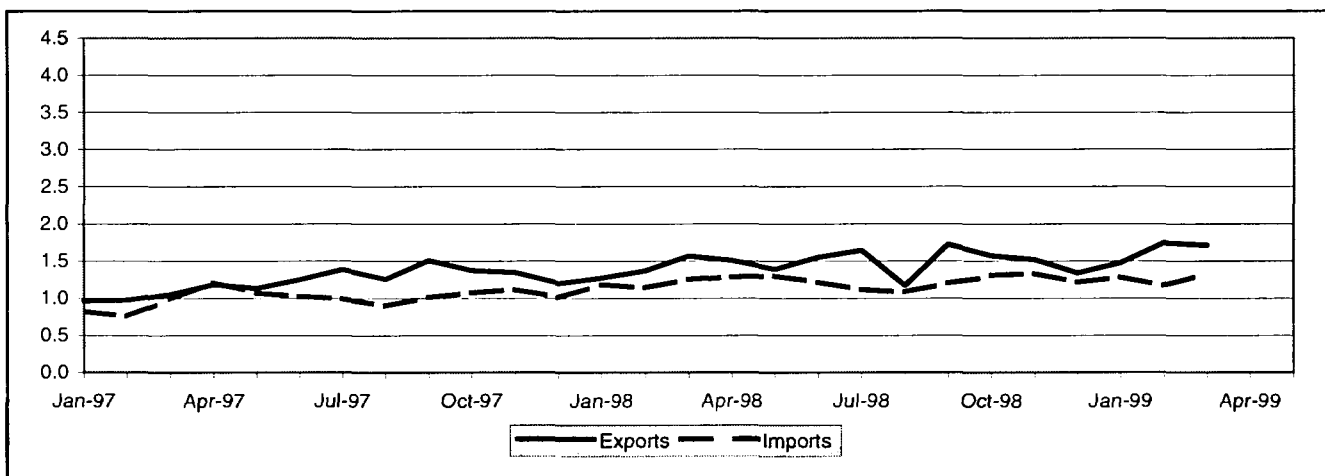
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EXTRA-EU (Bn ECU/euro)



TRADE BALANCE

INTRA EU-15

Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
1995	9 296	1 149	251	3 354	192	611	2 290	885	1 547	155	81	91	414	-1 094
1996	9 106	1 386	290	3 221	206	561	2 127	889	1 676	126	90	61	341	-1 389
1997	11 082	1 911	277	3 896	135	868	2 155	958	2 113	124	136	-11	393	-1 446
1998	17 416	3 114	323	7 454	130	1 104	3 305	1 275	1 925	237	142	20	687	-1 715
1999 January	1 431	200	24	373	12	95	325	143	171	13	16	5	56	32
1998 Jan	1 013	229	18	309	9	73	243	112	151	16	12	-11	44	-151
Feb	928	166	14	297	10	77	236	75	104	15	12	3	44	-94
Mar	1 237	194	34	458	13	114	269	116	183	23	13	10	47	-188
Apr	1 086	166	16	466	11	62	260	80	117	19	7	-1	52	-127
May	1 316	200	19	739	11	82	215	119	138	16	14	-1	66	-242
Jun	1 977	244	21	1 012	16	108	292	117	233	23	21	3	43	-104
Jul	1 199	255	24	449	10	84	294	89	127	15	6	-3	38	-136
Aug	1 397	324	14	600	6	91	195	94	142	19	10	4	51	-104
Sep	2 058	298	37	1 034	11	125	333	101	195	24	14	0	77	-145
Oct	1 605	193	23	798	13	89	307	119	200	21	9	-3	74	-186
Nov	2 064	639	31	714	11	104	340	111	179	22	13	8	84	-137
Dec	1 537	207	72	578	8	93	321	141	154	23	11	12	67	-100
1999 Jan	1 431	200	24	373	12	95	325	143	171	13	16	5	56	32

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Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzer-land	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterra- nean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1995	158	19	462	-1 170	84	-178	-184	188	260	377	181	410	-910	2
1996	1 935	78	501	-349	120	-181	-108	254	298	379	188	425	-555	-5
1997	2 656	3	565	565	35	-260	-542	284	330	362	301	489	-680	57
1998	2 988	109	848	1 505	-14	-419	-684	328	276	543	362	537	-1 554	30
1999 Jan-Mar	1 150	28	286	675	-12	-94	-71	42	31	108	74	157	-337	22
1998 Mar	311	2	73	141	5	-34	-27	26	35	29	25	54	-126	3
Apr	222	8	62	84	-9	-27	-82	38	41	51	32	50	-135	6
May	90	7	52	-12	1	-20	-91	26	38	46	29	40	-138	2
Jun	334	32	54	120	12	-23	-32	21	46	51	24	36	-132	3
Jul	529	4	96	256	21	-38	-69	42	27	56	38	49	-89	4
Aug	83	-1	73	23	-12	-37	-44	-7	21	42	25	58	-132	0
Sep	529	4	77	434	4	-39	-15	22	6	52	28	45	-148	2
Oct	259	21	92	173	-10	-53	-89	43	6	43	41	58	-156	3
Nov	184	10	83	176	-5	-49	-93	43	6	46	32	38	-175	1
Dec	126	18	74	-45	4	-38	-5	22	6	66	33	39	-125	0
1999 Jan	192	2	82	146	-4	-23	-36	14	9	16	26	37	-144	6
Feb	575	24	100	406	-12	-33	-93	13	10	52	27	60	-66	10
Mar	384	2	104	122	3	-38	59	15	12	40	22	60	-127	6

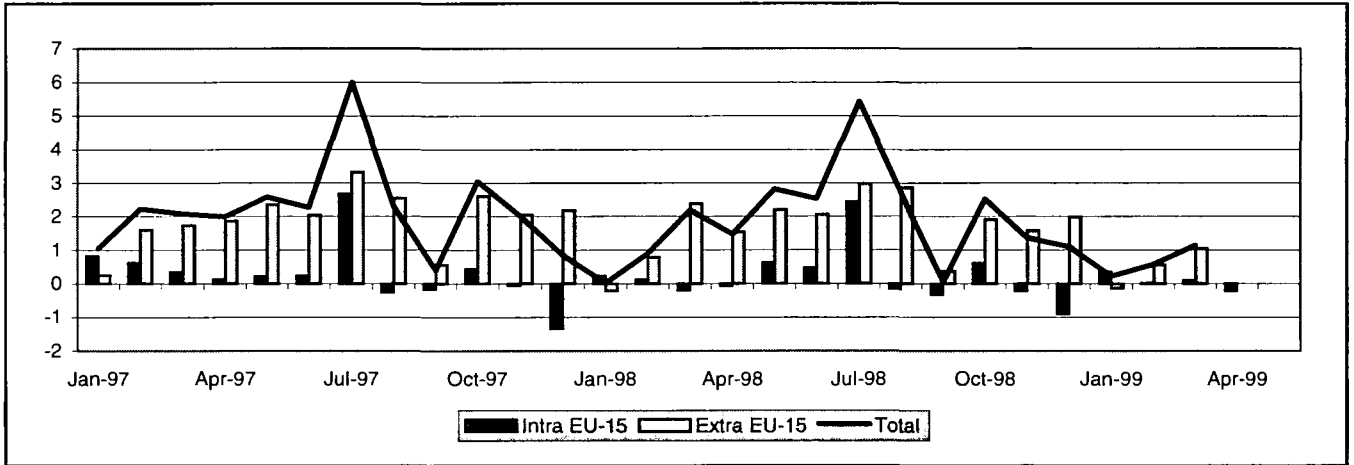
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Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
DISPATCHES														
% 1998	100.0	8.9	1.4	24.2	0.4	3.7	11.7	4.7	7.8	0.8	0.6	0.7	2.5	31.3
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	25 274	1 515	431	5 043	207	831	3 271	1 309	2 377	214	138	222	658	8 762
1996	27 110	1 806	493	5 076	221	884	3 212	1 401	2 604	193	162	212	691	8 681
1997	32 384	2 363	531	5 935	150	1 212	3 790	1 545	3 322	198	205	242	752	11 670
1998	40 821	3 646	559	9 884	149	1 502	4 787	1 914	3 198	314	227	275	1 037	12 783
1999 January	3 157	244	43	569	13	125	432	187	273	22	22	25	83	1 044
1998 Jan	2 764	266	36	495	11	100	370	154	246	23	17	22	69	916
Feb	2 755	201	34	505	13	110	350	126	203	20	18	23	69	1 033
Mar	3 366	245	53	670	14	155	406	175	307	29	22	22	85	1 133
Apr	3 030	211	33	672	12	97	391	131	235	24	16	24	81	1 065
May	3 355	243	34	971	13	115	333	168	248	21	20	18	91	1 029
Jun	3 950	294	41	1 204	17	137	416	174	332	29	26	23	79	1 127
Jul	3 250	307	41	704	12	122	427	147	260	22	15	21	65	1 060
Aug	3 026	361	33	764	8	115	294	128	226	27	16	20	72	921
Sep	3 973	340	59	1 219	13	152	449	159	282	32	22	25	107	1 071
Oct	3 652	243	48	977	15	119	440	179	315	30	16	22	104	1 104
Nov	4 140	687	50	926	13	146	470	168	295	30	22	28	119	1 143
Dec	3 560	249	95	778	9	134	443	205	250	28	18	27	95	1 182
1999 Jan	3 157	244	43	569	13	125	432	187	273	22	22	25	83	1 044
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	20.4	33.4	54.2	24.2	40.1	23.5	24.2	15.4	47.6	3.0	7.8	15.3	10.2	9.0
1996	7.3	19.2	14.3	0.7	7.0	6.4	-1.8	7.0	9.6	-9.9	17.2	-4.5	5.0	-0.9
1997	19.5	30.9	7.8	16.9	-32.0	37.1	18.0	10.2	27.6	2.7	26.6	14.1	8.9	34.4
1998	26.1	54.3	5.1	66.5	-0.8	23.9	26.3	23.9	-3.7	58.7	10.5	13.6	37.8	9.5
1999 January	14.2	-8.1	19.0	15.1	17.3	25.2	16.6	21.6	11.4	-4.8	30.9	9.9	20.3	14.0
1998 Oct	26.5	-3.0	23.1	86.0	36.1	-12.3	18.6	36.2	40.1	76.3	-23.8	19.3	46.8	7.1
Nov	43.6	199.6	19.1	66.2	23.2	29.1	30.5	15.1	23.8	78.5	-31.7	35.3	62.2	13.6
Dec	17.0	-14.7	80.9	20.9	-10.8	4.7	23.2	56.0	-3.1	13.1	3.0	-0.2	29.5	19.7
1999 Jan	14.2	-8.1	19.0	15.1	17.3	25.2	16.6	21.6	11.4	-4.8	30.9	9.9	20.3	14.0
ARRIVALS														
% 1998	100.0	2.3	1.0	10.4	0.1	1.7	6.3	2.7	5.4	0.3	0.4	1.1	1.5	61.9
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	15 978	365	180	1 689	14	220	981	424	829	59	57	131	244	9 856
1996	18 004	420	203	1 855	15	323	1 085	512	928	67	72	151	350	10 071
1997	21 302	453	254	2 038	15	344	1 635	586	1 209	74	69	253	359	13 116
1998	23 406	532	236	2 430	20	398	1 482	639	1 273	77	84	255	350	14 498
1999 January	1 725	44	20	196	1	29	107	44	102	8	6	20	27	1 012
1998 Jan	1 751	37	18	186	2	26	127	41	94	6	5	34	25	1 067
Feb	1 828	35	20	207	3	33	114	51	99	5	6	20	25	1 128
Mar	2 129	51	20	213	1	40	137	59	123	5	9	12	38	1 321
Apr	1 943	45	17	206	1	34	130	51	117	4	9	25	29	1 192
May	2 039	43	15	233	2	34	119	49	109	5	6	19	25	1 270
Jun	1 974	51	20	192	1	30	124	57	100	6	5	20	37	1 230
Jul	2 051	52	17	254	2	38	133	57	132	7	9	24	27	1 196
Aug	1 630	37	19	163	1	23	98	34	85	7	5	17	21	1 026
Sep	1 915	42	23	185	2	28	115	58	87	8	8	25	30	1 216
Oct	2 047	50	24	179	1	30	133	60	115	9	7	25	30	1 289
Nov	2 077	48	20	212	3	42	129	57	116	8	8	20	35	1 280
Dec	2 024	42	24	200	1	41	122	64	96	5	6	16	28	1 282
1999 Jan	1 725	44	20	196	1	29	107	44	102	8	6	20	27	1 012
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	12.5	10.4	14.0	11.5	-1.9	15.6	37.2	-0.5	16.1	-24.7	1.5	49.5	-13.2	10.6
1996	12.7	14.8	12.7	9.8	2.8	46.5	10.6	20.8	12.0	12.7	25.5	15.3	43.4	2.2
1997	18.3	7.9	25.2	9.9	4.5	6.7	50.7	14.4	30.2	11.2	-4.4	67.2	2.5	30.2
1998	9.9	17.4	-7.2	19.2	28.3	15.6	-9.4	9.0	5.3	4.3	22.5	0.9	-2.5	10.5
1999 January	-1.4	18.5	8.4	5.4	-32.5	12.2	-16.3	6.6	8.5	32.1	15.2	-40.9	9.3	-5.1
1998 Oct	5.1	26.2	19.3	5.3	-4.7	8.7	-13.8	7.7	-1.6	82.6	-8.8	23.9	-9.0	7.6
Nov	7.6	-0.7	-27.4	22.5	183.2	27.1	8.0	-6.5	28.2	43.7	23.5	-52.9	8.5	4.6
Dec	14.2	5.7	-2.2	22.1	43.8	14.5	2.1	10.6	22.4	13.3	9.0	-41.0	-2.2	13.8
1999 Jan	-1.4	18.5	8.4	5.4	-32.5	12.2	-16.3	6.6	8.5	32.1	15.2	-40.9	9.3	-5.1

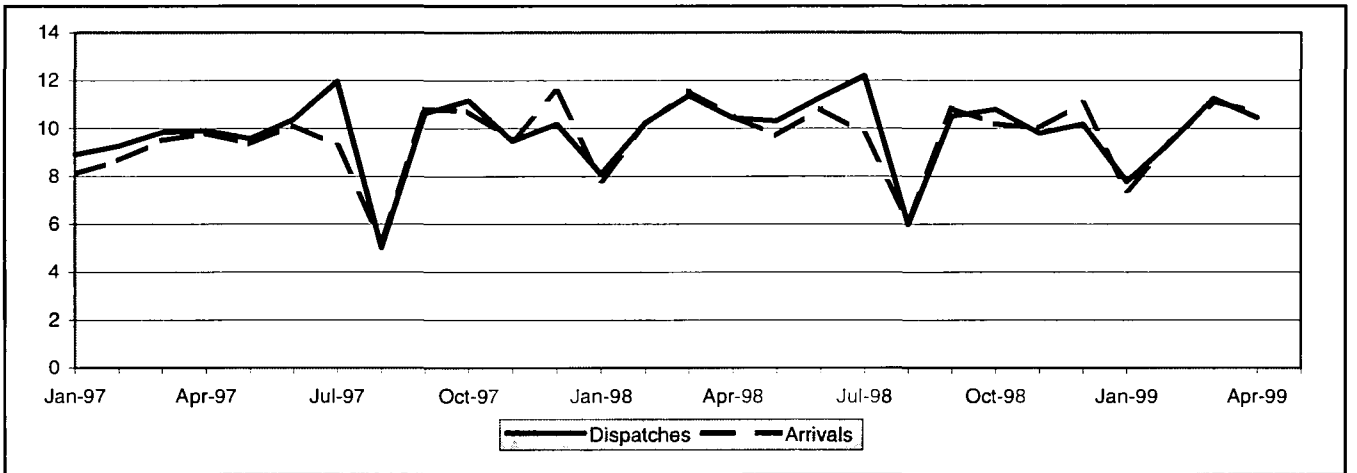
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Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
EXPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	3.2	6.5	43.3	2.0	0.4	8.2	3.5	1.7	5.0	2.8	3.6	9.0	1.3
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	8 904	360	619	2 791	253	28	992	314	292	535	311	471	834	178
1996	10 960	423	675	3 517	311	40	1 082	407	318	556	368	472	1 301	196
1997	14 629	507	797	5 237	306	44	1 458	484	352	675	462	573	1 871	265
1998	17 619	555	1 152	7 635	345	75	1 451	613	292	879	501	633	1 578	233
1999 Jan-Mar	4 931	139	351	2 188	83	29	399	143	35	234	112	179	534	64
1998 Mar	1 565	44	103	665	31	6	166	42	36	70	38	60	142	19
Apr	1 506	42	83	671	29	8	100	52	43	87	45	57	122	20
May	1 390	45	77	608	25	7	113	45	39	72	43	52	102	22
Jun	1 552	63	78	671	33	5	151	54	47	71	39	46	113	20
Jul	1 643	46	122	718	47	4	106	62	28	82	50	55	127	23
Aug	1 168	32	93	457	26	4	100	41	21	63	36	63	101	15
Sep	1 724	54	101	871	27	10	149	45	8	74	40	52	136	21
Oct	1 570	50	120	667	30	6	110	61	6	73	54	66	167	22
Nov	1 517	44	109	677	27	9	112	64	9	74	41	49	148	17
Dec	1 339	44	101	482	29	9	145	66	7	84	39	50	141	18
1999 Jan	1 475	43	102	665	30	16	98	50	12	67	34	45	169	20
Feb	1 744	53	119	850	21	7	107	44	10	82	39	68	182	22
Mar	1 712	43	130	673	32	6	195	50	13	85	38	66	183	21
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	17.4	15.7	11.2	20.0	-5.5	4.5	10.8	90.7	49.8	19.9	15.3	21.3	26.1	-2.9
1996	23.1	17.6	8.9	26.0	22.9	39.9	9.1	29.6	8.8	4.0	18.3	0.2	55.9	10.5
1997	33.5	19.9	18.2	48.9	-1.6	10.7	34.7	18.8	10.6	21.3	25.7	21.3	43.9	35.2
1998	20.4	9.6	44.5	45.8	12.8	70.7	-0.5	26.6	-16.9	30.2	8.3	10.5	-15.7	-12.3
1999 Jan-Mar	17.1	2.6	31.7	20.7	15.3	110.7	10.0	15.8	-58.5	17.9	-1.8	24.9	27.3	14.6
1998 Dec	11.5	-1.0	56.4	37.9	74.1	92.0	26.3	29.8	-81.2	0.9	37.9	5.3	-17.1	-7.4
1999 Jan	15.8	20.6	24.1	23.9	32.4	251.0	-6.8	14.7	-47.9	10.3	-9.8	5.3	20.2	12.9
Feb	27.2	-4.8	45.4	38.9	18.3	129.2	15.8	15.1	-59.4	21.8	4.0	65.2	32.9	20.0
Mar	9.4	-2.6	26.7	1.3	1.3	-5.0	17.3	17.7	-64.7	20.9	0.3	11.2	29.1	11.0
IMPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	3.1	2.1	41.9	2.5	3.4	14.6	1.9	0.1	2.3	0.9	0.7	21.4	1.4
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	8 746	341	157	3 961	169	207	1 176	127	33	158	129	61	1 744	175
1996	9 025	345	174	3 866	191	221	1 190	153	20	177	179	48	1 855	201
1997	11 974	503	232	4 671	271	304	1 999	200	22	313	161	84	2 552	209
1998	14 631	447	304	6 130	359	494	2 135	285	16	335	139	96	3 132	203
1999 Jan-Mar	3 781	111	65	1 513	95	123	470	101	4	126	38	22	871	42
1998 Mar	1 254	42	29	523	26	40	193	16	1	41	12	5	268	16
Apr	1 284	35	22	587	38	35	182	14	2	35	13	6	258	14
May	1 301	38	25	620	24	27	204	19	1	26	14	11	240	19
Jun	1 218	31	24	551	21	28	182	33	1	20	15	9	246	17
Jul	1 114	41	26	462	26	42	175	20	1	26	12	6	216	19
Aug	1 085	33	20	435	38	41	144	49	1	21	11	6	233	15
Sep	1 195	50	24	437	23	49	164	22	1	23	12	7	285	18
Oct	1 311	29	28	494	40	59	200	18	1	30	14	8	323	19
Nov	1 333	34	26	501	32	58	206	21	3	28	10	12	323	16
Dec	1 212	26	28	527	24	46	151	44	0	17	6	11	266	18
1999 Jan	1 283	41	20	519	34	40	134	35	3	51	9	8	313	15
Feb	1 169	29	19	444	33	40	200	31	1	30	13	7	248	13
Mar	1 329	41	26	551	28	44	136	35	1	45	16	6	310	15
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	19.3	8.8	-24.2	10.4	31.5	0.1	28.8	14.0	33.9	32.5	37.2	22.6	63.0	4.7
1996	3.2	1.3	10.4	-2.4	13.3	6.7	1.2	20.9	-38.2	12.1	38.4	-22.5	6.4	14.7
1997	32.7	45.9	33.6	20.8	41.8	37.8	68.0	30.6	10.9	76.4	-10.0	76.2	37.5	3.7
1998	22.2	-11.3	31.1	31.2	32.2	62.5	6.8	42.6	-28.2	7.3	-13.9	14.5	22.7	-2.7
1999 Jan-Mar	5.7	-14.8	-19.6	-0.2	1.4	13.2	-10.9	117.8	-23.3	16.4	15.6	11.3	17.3	-12.4
1998 Dec	20.1	-52.7	65.8	16.5	2.0	59.8	5.3	135.0	-72.5	-54.7	-32.1	139.7	54.9	69.8
1999 Jan	8.5	-19.3	-13.5	5.8	-3.8	12.8	-20.6	153.9	133.5	81.3	-14.6	-0.9	19.1	-8.4
Feb	2.5	-21.8	-33.0	-11.7	1.9	19.0	20.4	88.5	-79.7	-23.0	25.7	25.2	17.4	-21.8
Mar	6.0	-3.2	-11.4	5.2	7.8	8.7	-29.4	116.1	-34.1	9.2	31.8	14.2	15.6	-6.9

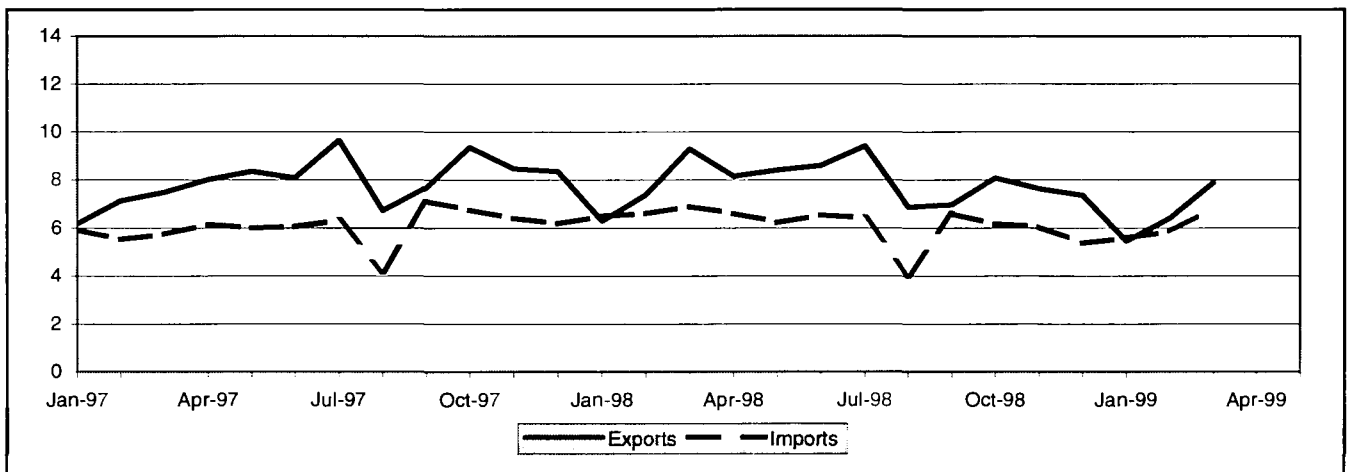
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EXTRA-EU (Bn ECU/euro)



TRADE BALANCE
INTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
1995	6 538	-2 488	94	3 328	2 238	2 394	1 805	-746	-3 171	534	1 838	-120	-423	1 387
1996	9 972	-2 466	151	4 206	2 524	2 831	3 093	-852	-3 689	888	1 822	75	-293	1 929
1997	3 658	-2 900	191	1 471	2 952	2 239	1 379	-1 064	-5 320	549	1 989	-22	-472	2 665
1998	2 651	-3 422	144	-767	3 190	3 803	2 118	-1 263	-5 724	279	2 101	-289	-647	3 128
1999 Jan-Apr	265	-1 026	73	-693	827	1 509	694	-536	-1 966	103	751	-167	-254	949
1998 Apr	-63	-342	24	-202	262	288	153	-95	-534	21	172	-32	-62	284
May	619	-309	35	128	300	350	287	-91	-447	38	161	-17	-42	226
Jun	468	-287	18	-54	284	325	298	-142	-449	26	199	-41	-84	377
Jul	2 444	-137	43	400	338	489	544	-80	-205	82	223	-17	7	758
Aug	-150	-135	-19	-29	151	117	38	-111	-437	25	61	-21	-11	221
Sep	-322	-399	-1	-358	304	370	120	-103	-519	-1	199	-42	-92	200
Oct	610	-343	17	-25	297	465	247	-81	-451	31	219	-20	-57	312
Nov	-217	-362	15	-111	235	293	145	-135	-492	21	176	-53	-65	115
Dec	-887	-305	-29	-272	264	329	-161	-138	-641	-32	189	-22	-152	82
1999 Jan	356	-206	7	-51	162	355	282	-112	-457	42	141	1	-45	236
Feb	22	-238	19	-164	191	315	136	-97	-457	38	190	-56	-75	218
Mar	100	-265	30	-149	267	389	140	-161	-535	42	210	-46	-47	224
Apr	-212	-318	18	-329	207	450	136	-167	-518	-18	211	-68	-87	271

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Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1995	14 697	134	491	5 267	252	-983	640	2 717	-1 525	3 755	1 947	-1 579	5 310	-326
1996	24 703	259	1 058	6 427	-34	-966	1 245	4 810	33	4 621	3 299	-1 874	6 707	-313
1997	23 171	462	81	7 573	122	-1 666	439	4 876	-645	3 066	4 085	-4 462	5 997	98
1998	20 476	542	-258	8 824	306	-2 490	-618	4 636	-645	4 387	4 006	-2 345	1 609	1 139
1999 Jan-Mar	-1 474	73	-114	2 008	69	-761	-546	703	-647	385	511	-504	92	-63
1998 Mar	2 392	55	-40	775	44	-161	-33	499	33	501	393	-125	173	268
Apr	1 541	100	-40	716	25	-163	-101	436	-88	402	329	-331	114	-30
May	2 200	35	-14	639	52	-165	-93	471	72	461	331	-167	128	392
Jun	2 062	34	-37	951	21	-215	-131	402	-69	450	295	-188	86	354
Jul	2 980	47	5	1 005	26	-181	46	526	131	687	516	34	147	-10
Aug	2 860	98	126	792	38	-114	173	385	136	312	470	-222	297	81
Sep	375	36	-34	717	8	-361	-73	286	-221	250	145	-250	65	-151
Oct	1 917	61	-60	870	36	-235	-69	499	-86	456	298	-147	128	68
Nov	1 586	38	-68	645	15	-186	-134	377	-227	380	333	-96	117	314
Dec	1 989	19	17	843	35	-119	-107	318	-115	395	372	-29	153	3
1999 Jan	-133	13	-81	556	3	-277	-187	174	-279	-80	163	-274	-9	-47
Feb	564	8	-16	652	18	-252	-200	254	-175	157	180	-88	17	-15
Mar	1 043	52	-17	800	48	-232	-159	276	-194	308	169	-142	84	-2

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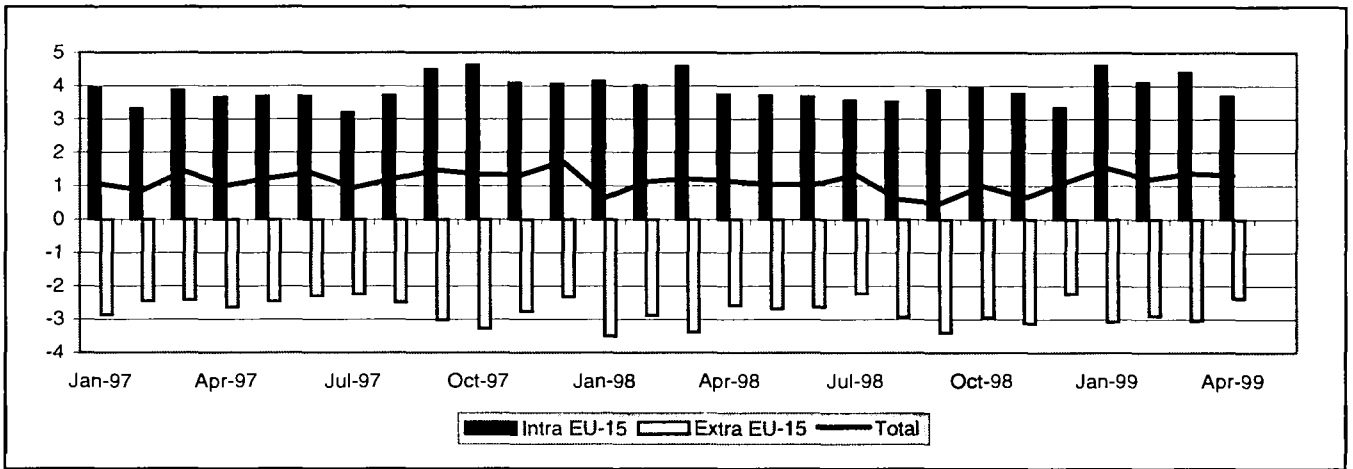
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		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
DISPATCHES														
% 1998	100.0	4.8	1.5	29.2	3.5	10.3	22.7	0.7	5.1	4.0	2.5	0.9	1.9	12.8
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	102 384	5 079	1 547	33 545	3 392	8 603	23 141	719	5 269	4 244	2 475	813	1 728	11 044
1996	110 161	5 415	1 668	34 552	3 746	9 660	24 704	797	5 814	4 669	2 619	952	1 982	12 786
1997	116 302	5 775	1 762	34 806	4 168	11 027	25 912	781	6 074	4 825	2 835	1 079	2 119	15 137
1998	121 194	5 851	1 803	35 433	4 261	12 489	27 475	866	6 167	4 904	3 025	1 123	2 299	15 498
1999 Jan-Apr	38 917	1 908	565	11 370	1 311	4 274	8 928	297	1 959	1 558	1 044	335	731	4 637
1998 Apr	10 439	502	148	3 024	358	1 035	2 447	71	524	418	263	102	209	1 337
May	10 315	495	150	2 999	387	1 115	2 315	67	517	421	282	89	193	1 284
Jun	11 288	540	166	3 198	375	1 202	2 608	81	585	455	273	96	203	1 505
Jul	12 199	593	182	3 529	434	1 226	2 630	81	653	488	305	119	223	1 737
Aug	5 985	299	89	1 903	202	523	1 268	39	294	252	110	60	140	806
Sep	10 507	464	158	3 124	401	1 080	2 398	74	498	451	267	93	198	1 302
Oct	10 803	494	164	3 184	379	1 139	2 442	93	543	442	274	92	215	1 341
Nov	9 790	438	153	2 926	323	1 089	2 186	74	498	395	250	86	182	1 190
Dec	10 187	509	152	2 935	383	1 121	2 280	88	516	414	272	91	183	1 244
1999 Jan	7 788	389	112	2 277	255	839	1 854	54	393	301	195	66	138	913
Feb	9 430	471	135	2 763	315	1 046	2 159	77	470	380	257	81	178	1 098
Mar	11 251	526	166	3 295	405	1 181	2 570	88	568	454	295	97	216	1 389
Apr	10 447	522	152	3 034	337	1 208	2 344	77	529	423	297	91	198	1 236
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	10.7	5.0	13.9	9.0	16.7	14.6	9.2	28.1	13.0	8.1	12.9	27.6	18.9	5.0
1996	7.6	6.6	7.8	3.0	10.4	12.3	6.8	10.8	10.3	10.0	5.8	17.1	14.7	15.8
1997	5.6	6.7	5.6	0.7	11.3	14.2	4.9	-2.0	4.5	3.3	8.3	13.4	6.9	18.4
1998	4.2	1.3	2.3	1.8	2.2	13.3	6.0	10.9	1.5	1.6	6.7	4.0	8.5	2.4
1999 Jan-Apr	-3.0	-5.5	-3.8	-2.3	-4.7	7.0	-4.5	9.9	-5.0	-1.8	5.4	-15.5	-4.3	-8.9
1999 Jan	-3.6	-6.3	-2.5	-3.7	-7.0	5.9	-1.6	2.0	-8.9	-2.7	1.7	-10.4	-7.9	-10.5
Feb	-7.9	-12.9	-11.4	-7.4	-6.9	3.1	-8.2	2.7	-11.9	-4.6	1.8	-21.1	-9.1	-15.2
Mar	-1.0	-6.3	-3.4	1.0	-0.2	2.6	-3.6	24.9	-1.0	-1.4	4.2	-17.8	3.4	-3.4
Apr	0.1	4.1	2.6	0.3	-5.9	16.7	-4.2	8.6	0.9	1.0	12.9	-11.1	-4.9	-7.6
ARRIVALS														
% 1998	100.0	7.8	1.4	30.5	0.9	7.3	21.4	1.8	10.0	3.9	0.8	1.2	2.5	10.4
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	95 845	7 566	1 453	30 217	1 153	6 209	21 336	1 465	8 440	3 710	637	933	2 152	9 657
1996	100 188	7 881	1 517	30 346	1 222	6 828	21 612	1 648	9 503	3 782	797	876	2 275	10 857
1997	112 644	8 676	1 571	33 335	1 215	8 788	24 533	1 845	11 394	4 276	847	1 101	2 591	12 472
1998	118 543	9 272	1 660	36 200	1 070	8 686	25 357	2 129	11 892	4 626	924	1 412	2 946	12 370
1999 Jan-Apr	38 652	2 934	492	12 062	484	2 765	8 234	833	3 925	1 454	293	502	985	3 688
1998 Apr	10 502	844	125	3 226	96	747	2 294	166	1 057	397	91	134	271	1 054
May	9 695	804	115	2 870	86	765	2 029	158	965	382	122	106	235	1 058
Jun	10 820	828	148	3 253	91	877	2 310	224	1 035	429	74	137	287	1 129
Jul	9 754	731	139	3 129	96	738	2 085	161	858	406	81	137	216	979
Aug	6 135	434	109	1 931	51	406	1 230	150	730	227	49	81	151	585
Sep	10 830	863	159	3 483	98	710	2 278	176	1 017	452	68	135	290	1 101
Oct	10 193	836	148	3 209	83	675	2 196	174	995	411	55	112	271	1 029
Nov	10 007	799	138	3 037	88	796	2 041	208	990	374	75	139	247	1 075
Dec	11 075	814	181	3 207	118	793	2 440	225	1 158	447	83	114	335	1 162
1999 Jan	7 432	594	105	2 328	93	483	1 572	166	850	259	54	65	183	677
Feb	9 409	709	115	2 928	123	731	2 023	174	926	342	68	136	253	881
Mar	11 151	791	137	3 444	138	792	2 430	249	1 102	412	85	142	263	1 165
Apr	10 660	840	135	3 362	130	758	2 209	244	1 047	441	86	158	286	964
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	11.1	10.6	3.3	10.0	2.0	12.8	10.0	8.9	3.0	17.4	26.2	14.9	21.1	10.5
1996	4.5	4.2	4.4	0.4	5.9	10.0	1.3	12.5	12.6	1.9	25.0	-6.0	5.7	12.4
1997	12.4	10.1	3.5	9.8	-0.5	28.7	13.5	12.0	19.9	13.1	6.3	25.6	13.9	14.9
1998	5.2	6.9	5.6	8.6	-11.9	-1.2	3.4	15.4	4.4	8.2	9.1	28.2	13.7	-0.8
1999 Jan-Apr	-3.5	-7.3	-5.9	-0.2	34.9	-5.6	-5.9	27.6	-5.3	-2.9	-7.7	11.1	7.8	-13.3
1999 Jan	-5.3	-4.6	-9.0	1.0	34.6	-15.0	-6.0	22.6	-3.0	-7.8	0.9	-22.0	6.5	-23.6
Feb	-7.0	-13.5	-16.7	-5.5	13.8	-4.6	-8.6	0.6	-7.1	-10.2	-12.8	27.5	21.2	-14.5
Mar	-3.6	-9.9	-5.3	-0.2	60.8	-6.4	-5.3	39.7	-9.2	-6.0	-9.9	11.7	0.3	-9.1
Apr	1.5	-0.5	8.1	4.2	35.6	1.5	-3.7	46.6	-1.0	11.0	-6.1	17.9	5.6	-8.5

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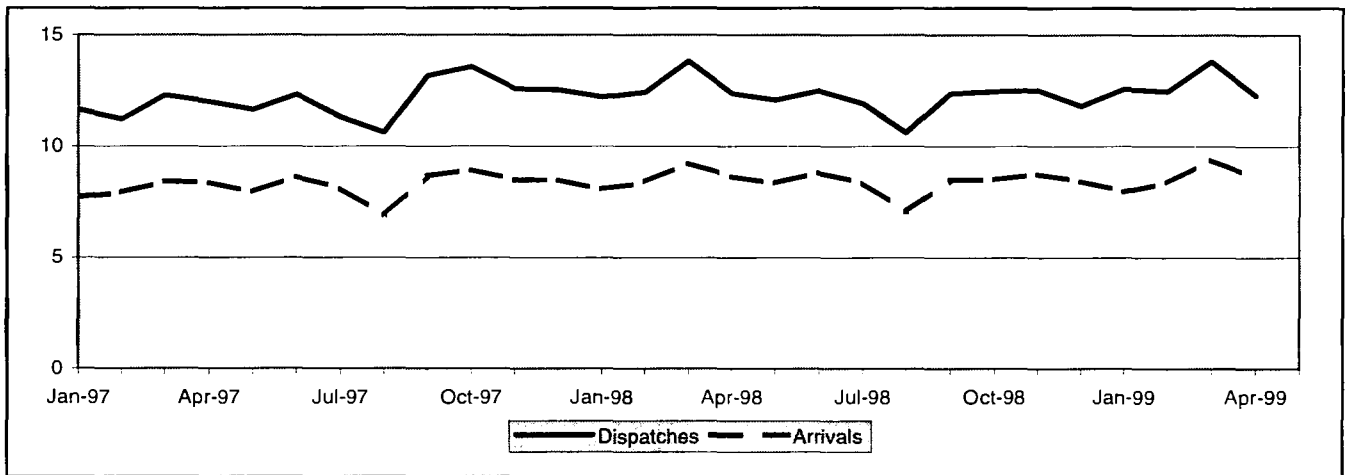
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		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
EXPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	1.2	8.0	19.6	1.9	1.9	3.8	14.7	4.2	17.7	9.1	7.6	7.0	3.6
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	76 335	732	6 617	12 809	1 629	2 021	4 065	9 101	2 642	13 490	5 880	5 781	8 739	1 718
1996	88 534	973	7 208	14 427	1 431	2 209	4 373	11 508	3 514	15 585	7 137	6 713	10 165	1 892
1997	95 469	1 204	7 204	16 680	1 651	2 231	4 161	13 216	4 170	16 972	8 480	7 360	9 949	2 425
1998	94 445	1 148	7 554	18 543	1 763	1 835	3 612	13 851	3 937	16 711	8 625	7 177	6 577	3 418
1999 Jan-Mar	19 728	237	1 813	4 384	380	374	769	3 031	571	3 297	1 602	1 517	1 361	405
1998 Mar	9 291	105	723	1 753	172	198	390	1 362	426	1 630	824	691	639	474
Apr	8 150	149	644	1 584	150	170	293	1 209	369	1 512	774	585	570	147
May	8 407	89	644	1 471	169	177	279	1 222	415	1 478	738	627	557	555
Jun	8 596	85	654	1 795	170	149	251	1 236	305	1 523	763	615	555	544
Jul	9 418	89	729	1 898	175	187	371	1 409	459	1 692	926	745	611	195
Aug	6 874	132	429	1 346	146	145	363	818	430	1 027	733	470	541	192
Sep	6 973	90	677	1 484	124	99	296	1 143	167	1 232	612	487	501	115
Oct	8 075	107	669	1 622	148	148	292	1 321	270	1 463	651	606	540	263
Nov	7 636	91	637	1 461	138	137	238	1 180	214	1 367	647	588	522	464
Dec	7 359	79	584	1 535	122	163	237	1 040	234	1 352	686	650	538	147
1999 Jan	5 450	56	491	1 310	101	93	219	812	89	833	492	426	377	111
Feb	6 402	66	593	1 385	126	125	232	1 022	255	1 054	513	493	432	135
Mar	7 876	115	729	1 688	152	156	318	1 197	227	1 410	597	598	552	159
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	11.7	12.0	9.9	3.5	11.4	5.2	19.3	22.8	16.1	9.0	9.0	-4.3	15.8	8.8
1996	16.0	33.0	8.9	12.6	-12.2	9.3	7.6	26.5	33.0	15.5	21.4	16.1	16.3	10.1
1997	7.8	23.7	-0.1	15.6	15.4	1.0	-4.9	14.8	18.7	8.9	18.8	9.6	-2.1	28.2
1998	-1.1	-4.6	4.9	11.2	6.8	-17.7	-13.2	4.8	-5.6	-1.5	1.7	-2.5	-33.9	41.0
1999 Jan-Mar	-14.1	0.9	-3.9	0.9	-10.0	-18.7	-22.4	-7.4	-46.9	-18.9	-23.5	-15.9	-17.1	-49.2
1998 Dec	-11.9	-65.9	-2.2	8.7	-3.1	-17.9	-5.8	-11.3	-43.3	-18.4	-8.2	-8.3	-23.5	-25.5
1999 Jan	-13.3	-15.0	-11.1	9.2	-14.2	-17.6	-19.4	-8.1	-70.8	-23.9	-11.0	-19.5	-19.4	-26.1
Feb	-13.3	2.2	-3.0	-0.6	-3.8	-16.5	-29.4	-0.4	-25.8	-21.3	-28.4	-15.5	-19.3	-21.6
Mar	-15.2	10.2	0.8	-3.7	-11.7	-20.9	-18.5	-12.1	-46.7	-13.5	-27.6	-13.5	-13.6	-66.5
IMPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	0.8	10.6	13.1	2.0	5.8	5.7	12.5	6.2	16.7	6.2	12.9	6.7	3.1
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	61 638	597	6 126	7 542	1 377	3 004	3 426	6 384	4 166	9 735	3 933	7 360	3 428	2 043
1996	63 831	714	6 150	8 000	1 464	3 175	3 128	6 698	3 482	10 963	3 838	8 586	3 459	2 204
1997	72 298	742	7 123	9 107	1 529	3 896	3 721	8 340	4 815	13 906	4 395	11 822	3 952	2 328
1998	73 969	606	7 812	9 719	1 458	4 325	4 230	9 215	4 582	12 324	4 619	9 522	4 968	2 280
1999 Jan-Mar	18 254	164	1 927	2 377	311	1 135	1 316	2 328	1 218	2 913	1 091	2 021	1 270	468
1998 Mar	6 899	50	763	978	128	359	423	862	394	1 129	431	816	466	206
Apr	6 609	49	684	868	125	333	395	773	457	1 111	445	916	455	177
May	6 208	55	658	832	117	342	372	751	343	1 017	407	794	429	163
Jun	6 534	51	691	845	148	364	382	833	374	1 072	469	803	469	190
Jul	6 438	42	724	893	149	367	325	883	328	1 005	410	711	465	206
Aug	4 014	34	303	553	108	259	190	433	294	715	262	692	244	111
Sep	6 598	54	711	767	116	460	369	857	388	982	467	737	436	266
Oct	6 158	46	728	752	112	383	361	822	356	1 007	353	753	412	194
Nov	6 051	53	705	816	122	323	372	803	441	987	315	684	405	150
Dec	5 370	60	568	692	87	282	344	722	349	956	314	679	385	144
1999 Jan	5 583	43	572	754	99	371	406	638	367	913	329	700	386	158
Feb	5 839	58	609	734	108	377	432	768	430	897	333	581	415	149
Mar	6 833	64	746	888	104	388	477	921	421	1 102	429	740	468	161
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	10.2	-4.5	-10.1	15.4	12.5	14.3	2.9	21.0	-15.0	-5.6	13.1	-0.5	13.3	4.8
1996	3.6	19.6	0.4	6.1	6.3	5.7	-8.7	4.9	-16.4	12.6	-2.4	16.7	0.9	7.9
1997	13.3	3.9	15.8	13.8	4.4	22.7	19.0	24.5	38.3	26.8	14.5	37.7	14.3	5.6
1998	2.3	-18.4	9.7	6.7	-4.7	11.0	13.7	10.5	-4.8	-11.4	5.1	-19.5	25.7	-2.1
1999 Jan-Mar	-8.7	1.8	-5.5	-12.0	-16.6	-6.3	17.5	-0.4	-2.7	-16.1	-7.3	-26.6	0.1	-31.0
1998 Dec	-13.0	-14.9	-9.4	-12.4	-27.6	6.0	11.8	-0.8	-21.5	-23.8	-6.9	-41.4	17.0	-28.2
1999 Jan	-14.1	-34.1	3.6	-6.2	-13.1	-17.0	6.2	-7.4	-15.0	-25.8	-7.3	-28.0	-9.1	-32.3
Feb	-11.4	23.6	-16.0	-20.2	-18.0	-7.4	37.6	-2.2	1.0	-19.3	-14.7	-39.8	10.0	-37.5
Mar	-1.0	28.3	-2.2	-9.1	-18.4	8.2	12.7	6.8	7.0	-2.4	-0.6	-9.3	0.6	-22.1

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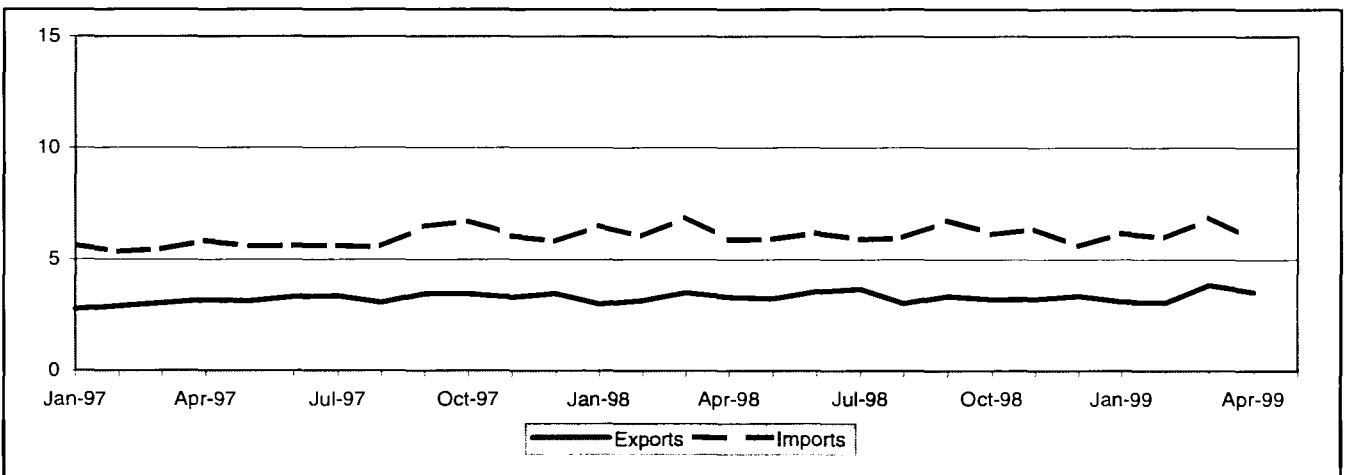
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Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	A	P	FIN	S	UK
1995	34 672	5 083	1 045	12 835	1 245	1 929	7 168	-832	3 835	1 198	371	-132	-462	1 388
1996	37 311	6 540	1 025	14 184	1 092	1 630	7 067	-481	4 356	1 236	257	82	-249	572
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1998	45 930	5 586	1 527	17 962	1 179	2 257	8 690	-803	5 353	1 739	806	409	74	2 809
1999 Jan-Apr	16 831	1 955	394	6 251	443	977	3 141	-467	2 115	622	291	240	-58	1 137
1998 Apr	3 738	433	126	1 585	91	148	650	-73	416	130	104	32	27	214
May	3 720	472	119	1 454	100	173	740	-88	428	144	150	17	11	137
Jun	3 676	370	108	1 488	84	212	827	-108	435	139	51	22	-46	205
Jul	3 557	418	108	1 366	95	220	695	-122	277	130	52	26	0	432
Aug	3 537	481	113	1 345	78	191	641	-28	283	122	51	37	25	354
Sep	3 880	445	147	1 406	102	214	768	-34	469	145	55	21	22	255
Oct	3 948	400	144	1 474	97	225	850	-34	443	187	61	34	28	181
Nov	3 769	384	132	1 436	108	244	737	-80	494	145	57	64	19	136
Dec	3 344	412	132	1 274	111	153	699	-54	409	129	62	52	-22	121
1999 Jan	4 619	555	96	1 773	108	246	784	-60	574	164	77	56	26	261
Feb	4 102	478	105	1 541	112	234	766	-138	491	145	58	68	-37	323
Mar	4 418	531	119	1 591	116	254	844	-152	566	170	92	55	-22	326
Apr	3 692	390	74	1 346	107	243	747	-117	483	144	63	60	-25	228

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Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzer-land	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterra-nean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1995	-20 957	-2 180	744	-6 689	-435	-1 274	-4 005	569	109	703	-2 428	-3 356	-3 366	-227
1996	-27 175	-3 231	535	-7 581	-420	-1 655	-4 613	585	74	633	-2 496	-4 611	-4 381	-600
1997	-31 262	-2 807	669	-9 729	-514	-2 390	-5 499	1 026	-239	888	-2 564	-3 327	-6 161	-160
1998	-34 543	-1 914	727	-9 137	-525	-3 213	-6 571	1 272	-186	1 008	-2 728	-2 252	-10 010	-76
1999 Jan-Apr	-11 392	103	616	-3 161	-114	-1 088	-2 294	371	-220	319	-741	-641	-3 754	-199
1998 Apr	-2 587	-198	33	-694	-38	-242	-565	122	28	105	-309	-128	-612	-13
May	-2 675	-282	70	-629	-69	-233	-535	136	-3	65	-242	-195	-686	9
Jun	-2 635	-108	68	-826	-45	-267	-486	93	-6	76	-258	-191	-660	45
Jul	-2 224	-153	50	-465	-24	-291	-480	112	25	94	-241	-155	-655	12
Aug	-2 931	-119	65	-735	-37	-282	-464	108	-14	68	-349	-245	-772	-7
Sep	-3 408	-131	106	-660	-27	-327	-618	81	-123	107	-324	-194	-1 155	3
Oct	-2 948	-106	66	-596	-54	-323	-651	70	-84	85	-162	-214	-972	6
Nov	-3 129	-93	63	-824	-40	-281	-612	104	-62	81	-229	-113	-1 109	6
Dec	-2 235	-32	92	-719	-31	-233	-496	90	-8	131	-80	-88	-826	-11
1999 Jan	-3 076	14	167	-671	-47	-285	-509	77	-73	59	-208	-243	-1 074	-93
Feb	-2 904	33	114	-762	-24	-278	-540	92	-62	55	-143	-142	-1 014	-46
Mar	-3 038	22	166	-960	-28	-304	-691	110	-22	107	-158	-92	-966	-16
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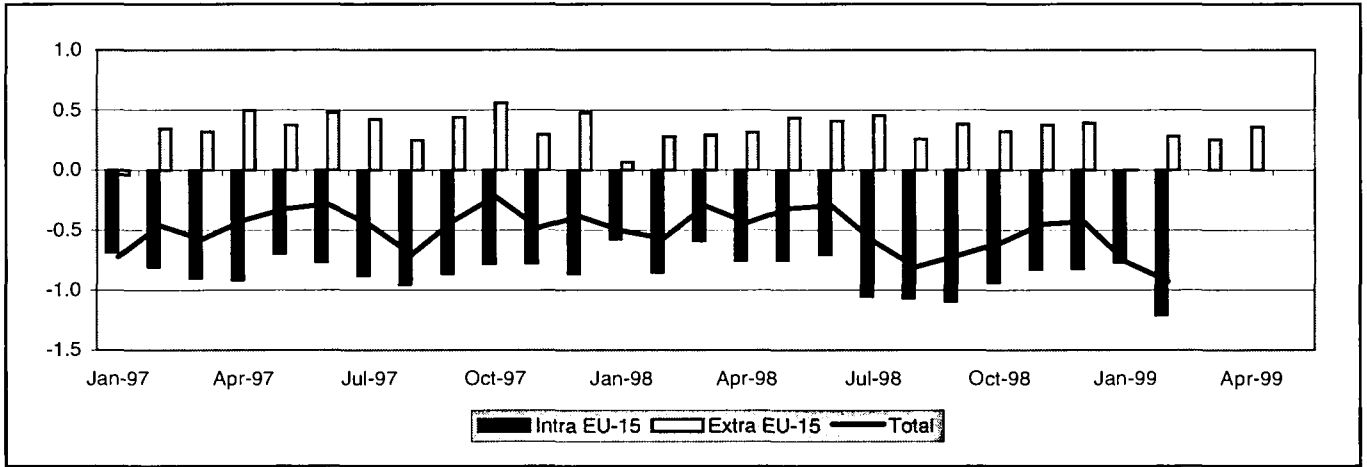
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		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	A	P	FIN	S	UK
DISPATCHES														
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Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	124 167	21 023	2 564	44 431	1 447	4 510	17 213	1 050	8 705	2 356	1 203	1 291	3 283	15 091
1996	129 287	22 603	2 591	46 049	1 322	4 615	17 660	1 123	9 436	2 448	1 187	1 365	3 702	15 187
1997	144 870	23 279	2 987	51 445	1 392	5 659	19 391	1 385	10 549	2 819	1 559	1 675	4 311	18 416
1998	147 066	23 001	3 126	50 997	1 429	6 245	19 993	1 447	10 964	2 990	1 834	1 898	4 495	18 647
1999 Jan-Apr	51 129	7 868	1 088	17 493	512	2 254	7 071	496	3 947	1 039	609	725	1 544	6 483
1998 Apr	12 373	1 961	250	4 332	111	506	1 654	126	916	253	187	164	389	1 522
May	12 072	1 863	239	4 143	119	519	1 625	125	896	241	228	146	381	1 547
Jun	12 489	1 942	255	4 291	111	546	1 767	127	946	244	144	137	352	1 626
Jul	11 913	1 778	232	4 192	123	531	1 609	118	833	240	143	138	307	1 669
Aug	10 603	1 695	242	3 791	100	397	1 383	106	616	209	127	154	321	1 462
Sep	12 375	1 923	281	4 199	126	522	1 695	114	914	258	140	166	418	1 618
Oct	12 466	1 890	280	4 273	117	555	1 815	109	911	285	147	161	412	1 512
Nov	12 514	1 950	270	4 271	125	585	1 734	113	967	253	141	177	423	1 505
Dec	11 799	1 857	272	3 965	128	525	1 690	114	875	229	144	163	365	1 471
1999 Jan	12 571	1 925	268	4 389	126	527	1 736	116	967	265	161	177	387	1 526
Feb	12 471	1 891	268	4 284	127	560	1 729	117	964	246	142	186	367	1 591
Mar	13 810	2 155	305	4 708	134	598	1 885	134	1 057	280	163	183	421	1 784
Apr	12 277	1 897	246	4 112	125	569	1 721	129	959	248	143	178	369	1 582
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	17.3	15.0	23.8	19.1	-0.0	37.3	31.0	-43.3	-13.1	50.2	13.5	62.7	58.4	16.7
1996	4.1	7.5	1.1	3.6	-8.6	2.3	2.6	7.0	8.4	3.9	-1.3	5.7	12.7	0.6
1997	12.1	3.0	15.3	11.7	5.3	22.6	9.8	23.3	11.8	15.2	31.4	22.7	16.5	21.3
1998	1.5	-1.2	4.6	-0.9	2.7	10.3	3.1	4.5	3.9	6.1	17.6	13.3	4.3	1.2
1999 Jan-Apr	0.6	-2.9	3.1	-2.1	6.4	9.2	5.9	-4.8	-1.5	0.8	-1.7	10.6	1.9	3.9
1999 Jan	3.0	-2.7	9.6	2.0	7.1	7.1	7.6	-4.1	-2.4	-1.8	15.9	18.2	7.9	6.9
Feb	0.3	-6.4	0.9	-0.5	-0.1	8.1	7.3	-4.8	-2.3	-0.2	-1.2	11.9	0.2	2.8
Mar	-0.1	0.6	3.8	-4.5	7.0	9.1	5.0	-11.2	-5.0	7.5	8.8	5.0	4.8	2.5
Apr	-0.8	-3.3	-1.7	-5.1	12.3	12.4	4.1	2.0	4.6	-2.3	-23.5	8.4	-5.1	3.9
ARRIVALS														
% 1998	100.0	17.2	1.6	32.7	0.2	3.9	11.2	2.2	5.5	1.2	1.0	1.5	4.4	15.7
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	89 495	15 940	1 519	31 596	202	2 581	10 045	1 882	4 871	1 157	832	1 423	3 745	13 703
1996	91 976	16 063	1 566	31 865	229	2 985	10 592	1 604	5 079	1 212	930	1 284	3 951	14 615
1997	98 528	16 828	1 651	32 778	238	3 696	11 275	2 052	5 648	1 133	986	1 424	4 100	15 488
1998	101 136	17 415	1 599	33 035	250	3 988	11 303	2 250	5 611	1 251	1 028	1 489	4 420	15 837
1999 Jan-Apr	34 298	5 913	695	11 242	69	1 276	3 930	963	1 832	417	318	485	1 602	5 345
1998 Apr	8 635	1 527	124	2 747	20	358	1 004	199	501	124	83	133	362	1 308
May	8 352	1 392	119	2 689	19	346	885	213	468	97	78	129	370	1 409
Jun	8 814	1 573	148	2 804	26	334	939	235	511	105	93	115	398	1 420
Jul	8 356	1 359	125	2 825	28	311	914	240	555	110	91	112	306	1 236
Aug	7 066	1 214	129	2 446	22	206	742	134	333	87	75	117	296	1 109
Sep	8 494	1 478	134	2 794	24	308	927	148	445	113	85	145	395	1 363
Oct	8 518	1 489	136	2 798	20	330	965	143	468	99	86	127	384	1 331
Nov	8 744	1 565	138	2 835	16	341	997	193	473	108	84	113	404	1 369
Dec	8 455	1 445	140	2 691	17	372	992	168	465	100	82	112	387	1 350
1999 Jan	7 952	1 370	173	2 616	18	280	952	176	393	101	83	121	361	1 266
Feb	8 369	1 413	163	2 743	15	326	963	256	472	101	83	117	404	1 268
Mar	9 393	1 624	186	3 117	18	343	1 041	287	491	111	72	128	443	1 458
Apr	8 585	1 506	173	2 766	18	327	974	245	475	104	80	118	394	1 354
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	14.9	12.0	8.4	14.0	1.7	19.8	11.5	24.5	10.5	13.6	23.5	5.6	33.8	20.0
1996	2.8	0.8	3.1	0.9	13.6	15.7	5.5	-14.8	4.3	4.7	11.8	-9.8	5.5	6.7
1997	7.1	4.8	5.4	2.9	3.9	23.8	6.4	28.0	11.2	-6.5	6.0	10.9	3.8	6.0
1998	2.6	3.5	-3.1	0.8	4.9	7.9	0.2	9.6	-0.7	10.4	4.3	4.6	7.8	2.3
1999 Jan-Apr	-0.1	0.2	30.7	0.8	-11.2	-11.3	-0.3	24.2	-3.2	-3.8	-9.8	-6.6	8.3	1.8
1999 Jan	-1.3	1.0	33.4	-1.1	21.8	-16.1	-3.4	-1.0	-9.1	9.2	-1.9	-2.4	1.1	7.9
Feb	-0.6	-1.2	22.4	-0.5	-9.8	-8.7	2.1	51.2	0.0	-1.4	-6.3	-13.4	10.6	-3.3
Mar	1.8	2.4	29.3	3.7	-29.9	-12.0	3.2	24.5	0.7	-3.4	-25.3	1.2	12.2	-0.0
Apr	-0.6	-1.4	38.6	0.7	-13.6	-8.7	-3.0	23.3	-5.0	-16.1	-3.8	-11.0	8.7	3.5

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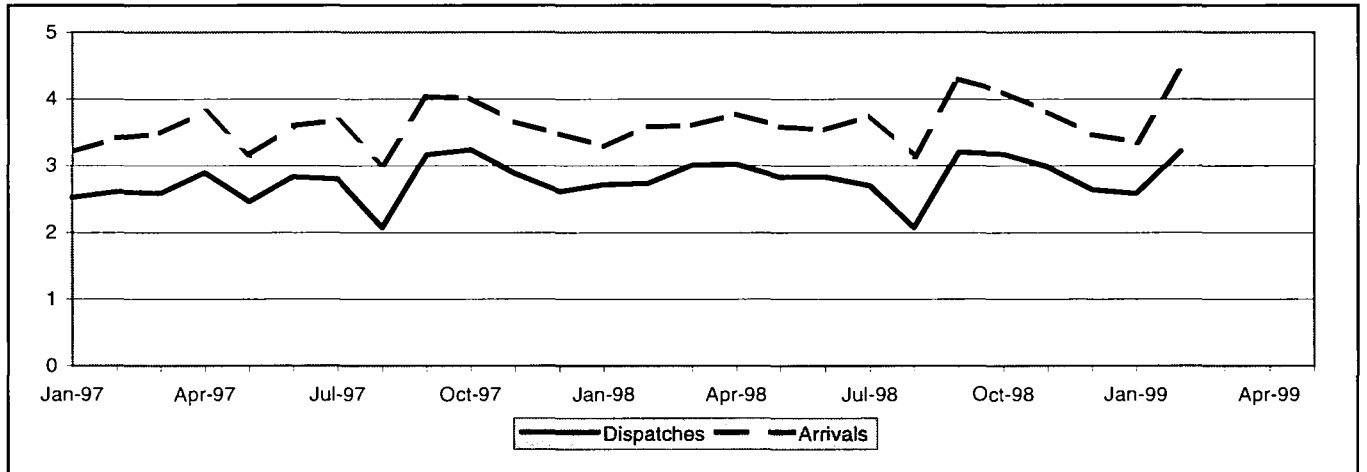
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EXPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	4.0	6.9	18.2	1.6	1.8	4.2	12.4	5.1	10.7	5.1	6.6	11.1	4.1
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	31 161	1 127	2 397	4 930	523	635	1 580	3 033	1 636	3 186	1 748	2 567	4 125	1 426
1996	31 056	1 014	2 178	5 005	488	578	1 628	3 199	1 818	3 356	1 662	2 188	4 338	1 309
1997	38 398	1 259	2 411	6 545	556	758	1 753	4 241	2 372	4 036	2 099	2 759	5 210	1 538
1998	39 560	1 577	2 735	7 192	624	717	1 656	4 908	2 035	4 227	2 013	2 605	4 395	1 605
1999 Jan-Apr	13 547	696	1 331	2 393	217	251	637	1 588	416	1 306	552	843	1 417	419
1998 Apr	3 298	120	212	572	55	60	121	408	210	358	163	229	391	142
May	3 232	119	236	572	48	67	114	416	199	339	173	199	347	130
Jun	3 555	134	233	663	58	62	149	420	200	373	184	233	415	167
Jul	3 665	129	226	720	61	63	146	438	207	368	201	232	409	144
Aug	3 017	126	203	550	49	63	134	372	153	308	154	191	337	130
Sep	3 346	149	266	662	53	68	136	435	76	361	180	249	327	129
Oct	3 196	144	236	638	53	57	137	407	93	338	163	209	322	124
Nov	3 227	140	251	588	48	52	141	419	96	329	142	201	331	137
Dec	3 363	167	240	603	51	57	158	370	113	358	160	245	406	138
1999 Jan	3 107	165	319	578	44	54	154	361	87	274	119	177	319	95
Feb	3 056	177	294	537	54	61	138	378	99	299	126	185	313	95
Mar	3 858	192	369	665	66	72	185	439	122	377	165	263	411	129
Apr	3 526	162	349	612	53	64	160	410	108	356	142	219	374	100
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	5.9	15.4	5.1	-7.9	-3.7	10.5	15.2	14.6	21.6	9.6	17.7	9.4	9.4	20.0
1996	-0.3	-10.0	-9.1	1.5	-6.7	-8.9	3.1	5.5	11.2	5.3	-4.9	-14.7	5.2	-8.2
1997	23.6	24.2	10.7	30.8	14.0	31.2	7.7	32.6	30.5	20.3	26.3	26.0	20.1	17.5
1998	3.0	25.3	13.5	9.9	12.2	-5.4	-5.5	15.7	-14.2	4.7	-4.1	-5.6	-15.6	4.4
1999 Jan-Apr	4.5	48.4	57.5	9.0	6.4	10.1	17.5	-2.6	-53.7	-10.2	-15.8	-0.4	-5.5	-17.4
1999 Jan	3.6	47.1	63.1	17.8	-3.8	15.7	2.7	-6.7	-58.1	-18.8	-21.4	-18.0	-7.1	-13.2
Feb	-3.3	50.8	51.2	0.3	17.5	-2.6	3.8	-5.5	-59.1	-17.3	-20.2	-0.7	-12.9	-23.0
Mar	10.2	60.3	52.0	11.3	15.7	22.6	33.5	0.7	-49.0	-5.1	-10.1	21.5	1.3	-1.8
Apr	6.9	35.3	64.4	7.1	-4.1	6.6	32.2	0.6	-48.5	-0.6	-12.8	-4.3	-4.3	-30.1
IMPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	4.7	2.7	22.0	1.6	5.3	11.1	4.9	3.0	4.3	6.4	6.6	19.4	2.3
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	52 118	3 306	1 653	11 619	958	1 908	5 585	2 464	1 527	2 483	4 176	5 923	7 491	1 653
1996	58 231	4 245	1 642	12 587	908	2 233	6 241	2 614	1 744	2 723	4 158	6 799	8 719	1 908
1997	69 659	4 066	1 742	16 275	1 070	3 148	7 252	3 215	2 611	3 149	4 663	6 085	11 371	1 698
1998	74 103	3 492	2 008	16 329	1 149	3 930	8 227	3 635	2 221	3 220	4 742	4 857	14 405	1 682
1999 Jan-Apr	24 939	593	714	5 554	331	1 339	2 931	1 217	636	987	1 294	1 484	5 171	618
1998 Apr	5 885	318	179	1 265	94	302	686	286	182	253	472	356	1 003	155
May	5 907	401	165	1 201	117	300	648	280	201	273	415	394	1 034	121
Jun	6 190	242	165	1 489	103	328	635	327	206	297	442	424	1 075	122
Jul	5 889	282	176	1 185	85	353	626	326	183	274	443	387	1 065	132
Aug	5 948	245	137	1 285	86	345	598	264	166	240	503	435	1 110	138
Sep	6 754	281	161	1 321	80	395	754	354	199	254	504	443	1 482	126
Oct	6 144	250	171	1 234	108	380	788	338	178	252	324	423	1 294	118
Nov	6 356	233	188	1 413	88	333	753	315	158	247	372	314	1 440	131
Dec	5 598	198	148	1 322	83	290	654	280	121	227	239	333	1 233	149
1999 Jan	6 183	151	152	1 249	91	339	662	284	160	215	327	420	1 393	189
Feb	5 960	144	180	1 299	78	339	678	286	161	244	268	327	1 327	141
Mar	6 895	170	203	1 626	94	377	876	329	144	269	323	355	1 378	145
Apr	5 900	129	180	1 381	68	285	714	319	171	258	375	383	1 073	143
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	7.4	-1.6	4.2	13.9	15.8	11.6	11.8	21.6	18.8	5.3	0.7	-16.7	15.9	-10.4
1996	11.7	28.4	-0.6	8.3	-5.2	17.0	11.7	6.1	14.3	9.7	-0.4	14.8	16.4	15.4
1997	19.6	-4.2	6.1	29.3	17.8	41.0	16.2	23.0	49.7	15.6	12.1	-10.5	30.4	-11.0
1998	6.4	-14.1	15.3	0.3	7.4	24.8	13.5	13.1	-14.9	2.3	1.7	-20.2	26.7	-1.0
1999 Jan-Apr	-1.5	-56.4	2.4	-5.5	-17.2	11.0	5.7	5.7	-21.4	-14.6	-13.8	-12.9	10.7	-4.2
1999 Jan	-4.9	-60.5	-5.7	-13.0	-22.0	2.5	-3.4	13.4	-29.8	-31.2	-4.9	-13.1	7.3	21.5
Feb	-1.4	-57.3	19.1	-12.8	-25.2	12.5	5.6	6.8	-15.3	-11.3	-21.0	-25.5	26.5	-17.5
Mar	0.1	-47.6	-2.2	-3.8	9.9	38.0	15.5	-5.5	-31.3	-14.3	-6.1	-16.6	4.2	-11.1
Apr	0.3	-59.5	0.8	9.1	-27.1	-5.5	4.1	11.7	-5.8	2.2	-20.6	7.4	7.0	-8.0

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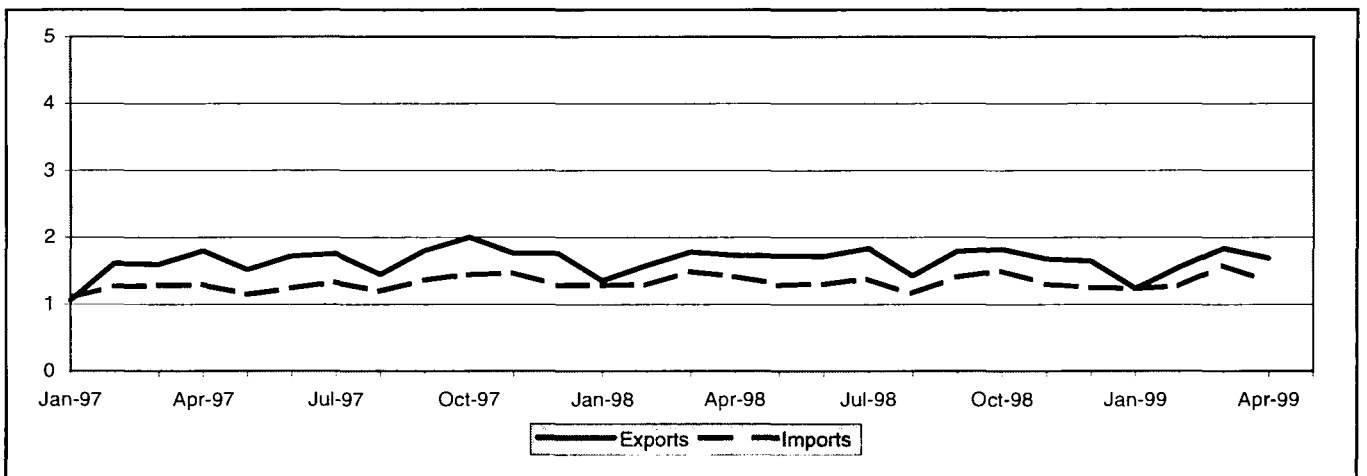
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EXTRA-EU (Bn ECU/euro)



TRADE BALANCE
INTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	P	FIN	S	UK
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
1998	-10 030	-646	48	-8 414	125	700	-499	-93	-21	-1 545	38	-7	-187	472
1999 Jan-Feb	-1 979	-114	1	-1 558	18	127	-30	-40	-10	-356	3	-59	-6	45
1998 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
Oct	-933	-48	8	-872	13	111	-37	-11	-8	-111	2	5	-13	28
Nov	-827	-40	2	-740	12	55	-15	-10	25	-126	3	-5	-26	38
Dec	-823	-48	-1	-695	11	47	-4	-6	-12	-120	1	-9	-28	42
1999 Jan	-768	-56	7	-616	11	64	-6	-14	16	-192	5	-30	15	28
Feb	-1 211	-57	-6	-942	7	63	-24	-26	-26	-163	-2	-30	-22	17

EXTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
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	3 995	176	353	179	78	-131	-320	2 309	-211	1 151	449	262	40	-2
1999 Jan-Apr	901	44	240	-34	24	-31	-149	514	-140	294	108	86	-9	-6
1998 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
Nov	377	16	14	37	15	9	-12	216	-38	107	33	26	-8	2
Dec	393	10	-18	58	2	29	-18	172	-36	112	41	56	18	8
1999 Jan	3	9	50	-60	2	-12	-29	51	-58	35	18	5	-1	-17
Feb	284	8	40	62	4	-11	-25	116	-27	57	23	28	15	5
Mar	254	13	78	-59	9	-14	-45	150	-25	92	39	35	-4	4
Apr	360	14	71	23	9	6	-50	198	-29	109	29	17	-19	1

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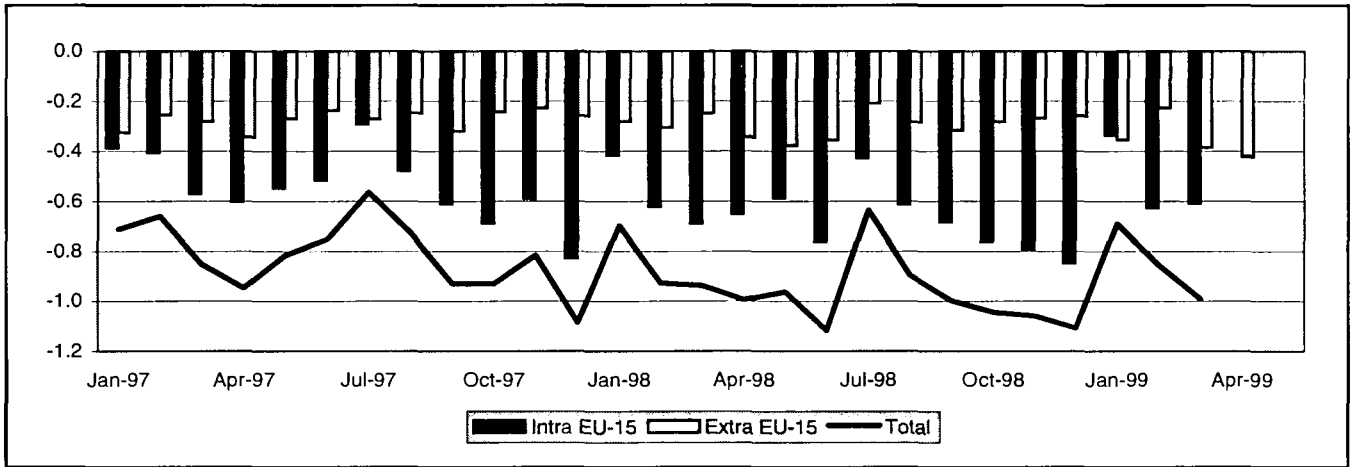
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		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	P	FIN	S	UK	
DISPATCHES															
% 1998	100.0	2.8	1.3	56.7	0.7	4.1	6.7	0.4	13.7	4.0	0.7	0.9	1.8	6.1	
Value (Bn ECU/euro)															
1995	29 036	726	354	16 564	242	879	1 838	93	3 775	1 221	168	272	590	1 376	
1996	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	33 915	958	436	19 217	226	1 377	2 273	152	4 662	1 366	221	320	622	2 085	
1999 Jan-Feb	5 804	159	82	3 233	39	269	414	20	801	218	37	57	134	342	
1998 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	
Oct	3 170	90	44	1 759	21	162	219	8	426	132	20	30	62	195	
Nov	2 981	81	36	1 711	20	121	201	9	414	103	20	26	55	184	
Dec	2 644	72	33	1 512	20	104	184	11	340	105	17	23	46	177	
1999 Jan	2 583	70	38	1 424	20	128	174	9	356	99	17	23	76	149	
Feb	3 221	89	44	1 809	19	140	239	11	445	118	20	34	58	193	
Annual Variation (%)															
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	3.7	5.0	9.7	4.4	-2.9	16.9	4.6	23.7	4.8	-6.2	1.8	3.3	-5.5	-4.2	
1999 Jan-Feb	6.5	5.0	24.8	5.3	14.9	39.3	15.7	-49.5	1.7	-4.5	10.5	13.3	44.3	-1.2	
1998 Nov	3.4	2.0	-3.4	9.0	-0.7	12.8	-1.0	-15.3	3.8	-15.0	12.9	-6.7	-12.1	-19.0	
Dec	1.1	2.8	19.1	3.6	-3.8	18.7	-2.6	24.1	-4.4	-12.3	-3.7	-6.9	-3.8	-4.7	
1999 Jan	-4.9	-0.4	16.0	-8.5	17.3	32.8	4.2	-53.6	-9.6	-16.0	2.4	-0.7	64.9	-6.2	
Feb	17.8	9.7	33.4	19.4	12.6	45.8	25.7	-45.2	13.0	7.8	18.8	25.6	24.3	3.1	
ARRIVALS															
% 1998	100.0	3.7	0.9	62.9	0.2	1.5	6.3	0.6	10.7	6.6	0.4	0.7	1.8	3.7	
Value (Bn ECU/euro)															
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	43 945	1 604	388	27 631	101	677	2 773	245	4 683	2 911	183	328	809	1 614	
1999 Jan-Feb	7 783	273	81	4 791	22	142	443	60	811	573	34	116	140	297	
1998 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	
Oct	4 103	138	35	2 631	9	51	256	19	435	243	18	25	75	167	
Nov	3 809	120	35	2 451	9	66	216	19	390	229	17	31	81	145	
Dec	3 466	119	34	2 208	9	57	188	17	352	224	16	32	75	135	
1999 Jan	3 351	127	30	2 040	9	64	180	24	340	291	12	53	60	121	
Feb	4 432	147	51	2 751	12	77	264	36	471	282	22	63	80	176	
Annual Variation (%)															
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	3.2	1.1	1.6	3.4	-3.0	-0.2	8.1	16.4	-0.3	3.0	3.2	-4.5	12.0	4.3	
1999 Jan-Feb	13.2	7.2	28.0	13.4	-1.5	23.0	-10.0	79.2	13.9	15.7	9.9	109.7	14.9	17.5	
1998 Nov	4.1	-3.4	4.2	5.9	-5.9	9.5	8.1	-0.3	-1.1	-7.5	0.4	0.2	17.1	5.2	
Dec	-0.3	-1.3	-4.8	1.1	0.7	2.6	-9.3	-9.2	-2.0	-5.4	-5.5	9.7	11.4	-2.1	
1999 Jan	1.8	0.8	0.6	0.5	-4.8	13.8	-1.4	38.5	-1.1	7.7	-21.6	83.0	-0.3	-1.1	
Feb	23.6	13.3	53.0	25.2	1.1	31.8	-15.1	121.5	27.9	25.3	39.9	138.9	29.8	35.0	

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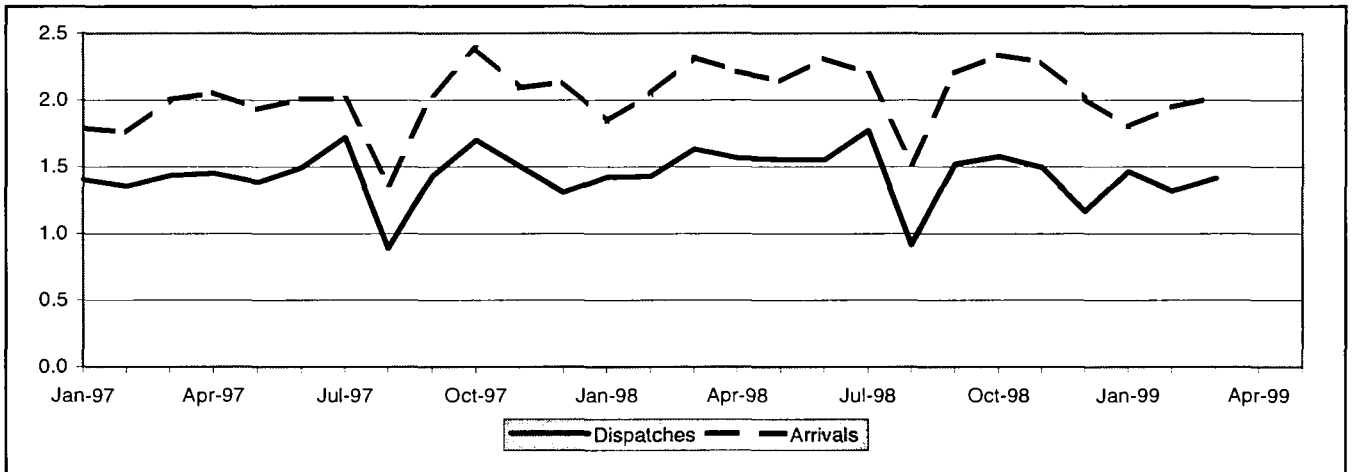
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		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
EXPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	1.3	13.8	11.3	1.7	2.1	2.6	41.9	4.1	14.3	3.3	4.3	4.1	0.7
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	15 106	206	2 394	1 312	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
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1998	20 083	265	2 761	2 270	351	427	513	8 409	819	2 878	664	872	821	148
1999 Jan-Apr	6 319	70	958	811	114	147	182	2 547	162	884	170	231	305	41
1998 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
Nov	1 677	23	235	204	29	42	47	731	37	254	47	70	57	13
Dec	1 647	17	209	186	29	67	49	650	48	243	52	93	83	13
1999 Jan	1 237	15	208	161	27	28	40	487	24	157	33	45	63	7
Feb	1 553	15	235	219	31	34	45	604	42	200	37	58	92	10
Mar	1 837	19	281	221	29	37	57	743	52	264	54	74	85	12
Apr	1 692	20	234	210	27	49	40	712	45	263	45	54	65	11
Annual Variation (%)														
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	1.3	-9.2	9.1	18.1	-2.5	41.1	-22.2	2.5	-22.2	-3.4	-1.2	-8.1	-21.7	10.6
1999 Jan-Apr	-1.9	-19.6	11.5	10.0	4.3	51.1	27.2	-4.7	-48.2	-2.3	-24.3	-22.9	8.7	-21.3
1999 Jan	-8.5	-22.1	10.1	-1.5	19.1	84.5	12.7	-12.6	-56.3	-12.7	-26.2	-26.7	12.1	-9.6
Feb	-1.6	-14.3	12.7	24.0	4.1	64.6	25.5	-8.1	-45.3	-11.6	-38.0	-18.6	38.4	6.7
Mar	3.0	-16.4	20.9	5.4	-1.4	-9.2	51.8	1.3	-44.1	1.1	2.4	-23.9	24.6	-10.4
Apr	-2.2	-24.0	2.1	11.9	-1.7	129.2	17.2	-1.6	-50.0	10.7	-31.8	-22.6	-27.8	-46.2
IMPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	0.6	15.0	13.0	1.7	3.5	5.2	37.9	6.4	10.7	1.3	3.8	4.9	0.9
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
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	16 089	89	2 409	2 090	273	558	834	6 100	1 030	1 727	216	610	780	150
1999 Jan-Apr	5 418	26	718	845	90	178	330	2 033	302	590	62	145	314	46
1998 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
Nov	1 300	7	220	167	14	32	59	514	75	147	15	44	65	11
Dec	1 255	7	227	128	26	37	66	477	83	131	11	37	65	5
1999 Jan	1 234	5	158	221	25	39	69	436	81	121	15	39	64	24
Feb	1 270	8	195	158	27	45	70	489	69	143	15	30	77	5
Mar	1 582	7	202	279	21	51	102	593	77	172	15	39	89	8
Apr	1 332	7	163	187	18	43	90	515	74	154	16	37	84	10
Annual Variation (%)														
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	4.4	13.1	10.3	0.3	-13.0	-2.1	4.4	13.8	1.3	1.2	11.4	-35.9	4.4	-42.1
1999 Jan-Apr	-1.2	-14.4	-15.9	22.8	-10.2	-9.3	2.7	1.6	-15.7	5.6	-16.4	-34.7	19.4	-38.9
1999 Jan	-3.8	-33.1	-21.6	28.7	64.8	-32.3	-3.7	4.6	-29.8	2.5	-17.0	-11.8	-8.1	-23.9
Feb	-2.2	18.3	-3.7	-1.0	-4.9	-11.9	-0.2	2.0	-3.9	12.4	7.7	-49.1	19.4	-79.8
Mar	6.2	-18.6	-14.1	49.5	22.7	18.8	5.9	4.1	-13.0	8.8	-17.2	-31.4	31.1	-4.1
Apr	-5.9	-17.8	-24.2	9.8	-55.5	-3.2	7.2	-3.8	-9.2	-0.8	-29.6	-40.2	38.2	-7.9

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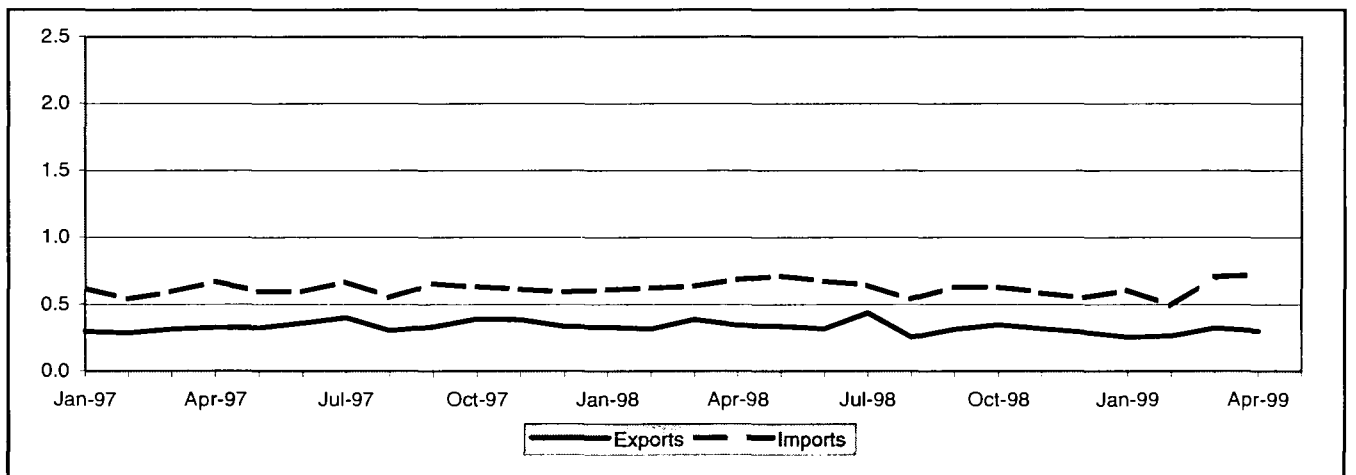
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TRADE BALANCE

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Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	FIN	S	UK
1995	-4 484	-304	183	175	31	-2 614	-541	-74	-1 516	-210	34	9	72	263
1996	-5 529	-120	123	-211	46	-3 471	-317	-62	-1 617	-285	54	4	80	234
1997	-6 512	-48	177	-407	51	-4 206	-340	-109	-1 681	-413	58	-21	99	318
1998	-7 847	-79	112	-637	47	-4 584	-570	-123	-1 741	-561	25	-94	-66	420
1999 Jan-Mar	-1 569	-7	35	-23	15	-961	-114	-28	-397	-106	8	-4	-22	33
1998 Mar	-689	-1	9	-30	6	-395	-52	-14	-160	-59	-2	-5	5	8
Apr	-650	-13	13	-89	2	-372	-21	-10	-139	-61	0	-8	-6	52
May	-586	2	9	-51	4	-366	1	-9	-163	-38	1	-11	-9	43
Jun	-762	-13	7	-55	2	-414	-94	-16	-172	-46	4	-6	-9	48
Jul	-427	-19	16	-22	4	-344	21	-12	-162	-23	2	-4	7	108
Aug	-612	-27	4	-47	4	-304	-64	-8	-89	-59	1	-9	-8	-7
Sep	-682	5	9	-18	6	-430	-48	-12	-152	-54	5	-15	-12	33
Oct	-762	-7	6	-34	4	-465	-59	-4	-167	-58	4	-10	-6	34
Nov	-791	6	11	-49	5	-455	-123	-8	-147	-46	3	-16	-24	52
Dec	-848	-3	2	-161	2	-373	-88	-12	-139	-47	-1	-5	-29	5
1999 Jan	-335	-3	14	45	4	-289	19	-11	-100	-41	2	1	-1	24
Feb	-627	-4	9	-25	4	-337	-76	-9	-149	-36	1	2	-4	-5
Mar	-607	0	12	-43	7	-335	-56	-9	-148	-29	5	-7	-17	14

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Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1995	-3 029	-136	-37	-27	21	-125	-425	-48	-179	-224	-513	-1 171	-426	-335
1996	-2 806	-33	-61	-16	-1	-157	-458	0	-185	-232	-423	-1 116	-357	-358
1997	-3 276	-48	-122	12	39	-178	-607	18	-237	-176	-547	-1 252	-399	-275
1998	-3 527	-188	-94	123	1	-250	-825	-59	-159	-170	-565	-792	-496	-183
1999 Jan-Apr	-1 388	-127	-37	2	8	-71	-308	-37	-104	-54	-203	-240	-212	-76
1998 Apr	-344	-29	-10	-16	0	-19	-65	-4	-9	-18	-68	-60	-42	-17
May	-377	-41	-11	10	-4	-21	-71	-9	-13	-34	-65	-83	-43	-11
Jun	-355	-24	-12	24	3	-20	-50	-7	-17	-34	-72	-79	-39	-39
Jul	-208	1	1	44	13	-24	-79	-4	-15	2	-39	-55	-37	-9
Aug	-283	-14	-7	12	0	-19	-82	-0	-7	-5	-50	-77	-39	-17
Sep	-316	-14	-6	20	-6	-27	-67	-3	-9	-2	-55	-64	-39	-40
Oct	-282	-6	-2	30	-2	-23	-93	-7	-29	-11	-27	-66	-42	-32
Nov	-268	-11	-9	6	-3	-18	-76	-6	-10	-17	-19	-63	-51	14
Dec	-260	-18	-13	6	-4	-26	-83	-4	-11	-16	-34	-11	-47	2
1999 Jan	-354	-36	-2	-7	0	-16	-84	-5	-32	-11	-45	-47	-67	-14
Feb	-227	-12	-9	6	1	-18	-54	-12	-10	-3	-31	-39	-40	-5
Mar	-385	-30	-16	-10	5	-19	-86	-15	-18	-20	-49	-72	-53	-23
Apr	-421	-49	-10	14	2	-17	-83	-6	-44	-20	-78	-83	-51	-35

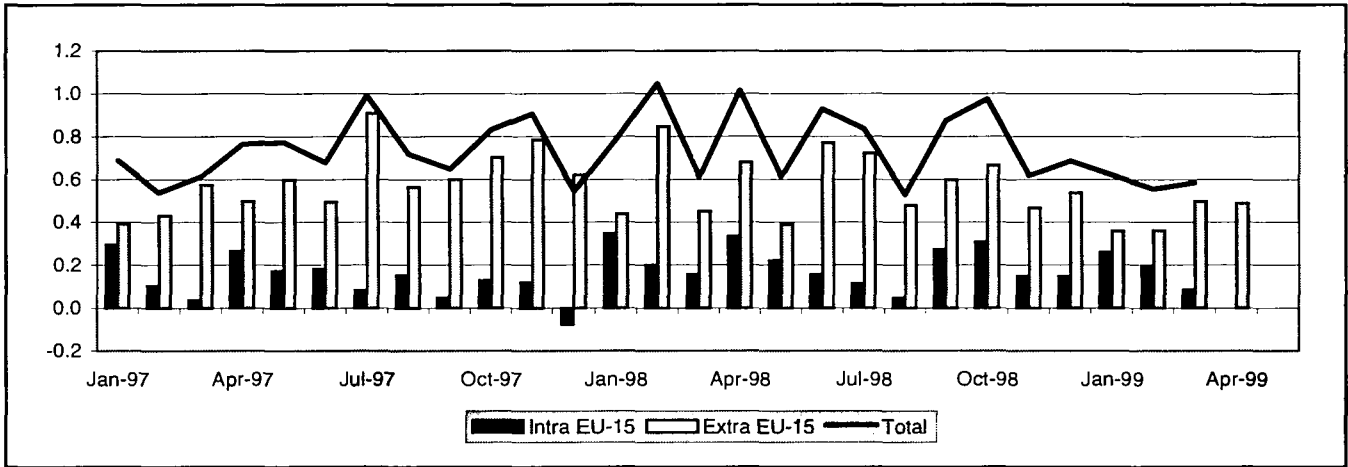
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Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	FIN	S	UK
DISPATCHES														
% 1998	100.0	5.9	1.9	24.3	0.5	19.0	17.6	0.6	5.0	5.9	1.2	0.8	2.4	14.8
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	13 952	535	387	3 764	70	2 565	2 434	70	577	915	177	155	377	1 914
1996	15 623	803	355	4 086	95	2 830	2 783	92	724	952	233	155	403	2 098
1997	17 071	938	384	4 190	87	3 080	2 987	94	826	1 050	242	165	448	2 568
1998	17 597	1 043	332	4 268	90	3 343	3 106	102	874	1 045	213	143	424	2 608
1999 Jan-Mar	4 199	263	77	1 096	23	827	741	26	193	222	50	34	97	551
1998 Mar	1 634	98	30	401	10	308	294	9	99	91	19	14	37	224
Apr	1 566	90	28	364	8	293	285	9	87	85	20	12	37	248
May	1 555	95	25	374	8	305	283	9	73	92	18	11	33	229
Jun	1 552	91	24	374	7	304	285	7	70	89	19	11	34	238
Jul	1 771	87	38	424	7	336	326	11	83	107	20	16	47	270
Aug	913	43	17	239	6	184	142	7	35	59	12	8	28	133
Sep	1 520	103	29	393	9	280	257	8	66	85	22	14	37	216
Oct	1 576	98	30	425	8	283	266	10	72	85	19	12	38	230
Nov	1 493	100	25	373	8	272	248	11	80	80	20	10	31	235
Dec	1 165	77	22	241	5	241	203	8	53	84	12	9	24	186
1999 Jan	1 465	91	29	385	6	272	281	8	64	83	15	9	30	192
Feb	1 319	81	20	363	7	267	219	8	61	68	15	14	30	165
Mar	1 415	91	28	349	10	288	241	9	67	71	20	11	36	194
Annual Variation (%)														
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	9.2
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	9.6
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	22.4
1998	3.1	11.3	-13.5	1.9	3.1	8.5	4.0	7.9	5.8	-0.5	-11.8	-13.5	-5.5	1.5
1999 Jan-Mar	-6.4	1.3	-17.4	3.2	-6.8	-2.3	-8.7	5.6	-24.3	-20.2	-2.7	-18.7	-15.0	-11.7
1998 Dec	-10.8	4.1	-9.9	-19.8	-28.0	-10.5	-10.2	7.7	-14.6	-6.3	-32.7	-19.6	-30.3	2.1
1999 Jan	2.8	10.4	-9.2	18.3	-8.2	3.0	7.0	15.0	-12.3	-15.2	0.4	-29.0	-25.4	-6.5
Feb	-7.6	2.6	-35.3	7.8	-16.4	-2.5	-14.0	3.9	-25.7	-24.0	-13.5	-6.2	-16.9	-15.5
Mar	-13.4	-7.3	-7.5	-12.9	2.5	-6.6	-18.1	-0.1	-31.9	-21.8	4.8	-21.9	-1.5	-13.2
ARRIVALS														
% 1998	100.0	4.4	0.9	19.3	0.2	31.2	14.4	0.9	10.3	6.3	0.7	0.9	1.9	8.6
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	18 436	839	203	3 589	39	5 179	2 975	144	2 092	1 125	143	146	304	1 652
1996	21 152	924	232	4 297	49	6 301	3 099	154	2 341	1 237	179	151	323	1 864
1997	23 583	986	207	4 596	36	7 287	3 327	204	2 507	1 463	183	187	349	2 251
1998	25 444	1 122	221	4 905	43	7 927	3 676	225	2 615	1 606	188	237	490	2 188
1999 Jan-Mar	5 769	270	42	1 119	7	1 788	854	54	589	329	42	38	119	517
1998 Mar	2 323	99	21	430	3	703	346	23	259	151	20	19	32	216
Apr	2 216	104	15	452	5	664	306	19	226	146	19	20	43	196
May	2 141	93	17	424	4	671	282	17	236	129	17	22	43	185
Jun	2 314	104	17	429	5	717	379	22	242	135	15	17	43	190
Jul	2 198	106	23	445	3	679	305	23	246	129	18	20	40	162
Aug	1 525	70	13	286	2	488	206	14	125	118	11	17	36	140
Sep	2 201	98	20	410	3	710	305	20	218	139	16	29	50	184
Oct	2 338	105	24	459	4	748	325	14	239	144	15	22	44	195
Nov	2 284	94	15	422	3	727	371	19	228	126	17	26	55	183
Dec	2 013	80	20	402	3	614	291	20	192	131	14	14	53	181
1999 Jan	1 801	94	14	339	2	561	262	19	164	124	14	9	32	167
Feb	1 946	85	11	388	3	604	295	17	209	104	14	12	34	170
Mar	2 022	91	16	392	3	623	297	18	216	100	14	17	53	180
Annual Variation (%)														
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	10.7
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	12.9
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	20.7
1998	7.9	13.8	6.5	6.7	18.0	8.8	10.5	10.4	4.3	9.8	2.7	27.1	40.4	-2.8
1999 Jan-Mar	-7.2	-0.1	-27.5	-4.8	-30.5	-6.3	-5.7	-5.8	-11.3	-19.6	-10.7	-27.7	43.2	-9.6
1998 Dec	-5.7	-9.8	5.6	9.9	26.0	-6.7	-16.0	-16.4	-12.6	-1.6	-8.4	-15.7	59.4	-15.3
1999 Jan	-2.2	17.1	-14.9	-5.1	-29.4	-0.5	-1.0	-2.2	-11.1	-1.0	2.6	-36.7	45.7	-6.0
Feb	-5.0	-6.3	-40.9	0.1	-46.2	-5.9	0.0	13.6	-5.3	-21.6	5.8	-38.9	16.3	-4.9
Mar	-13.0	-8.3	-25.4	-8.8	-8.7	-11.4	-14.1	-21.6	-16.7	-33.3	-30.4	-10.1	66.0	-16.4

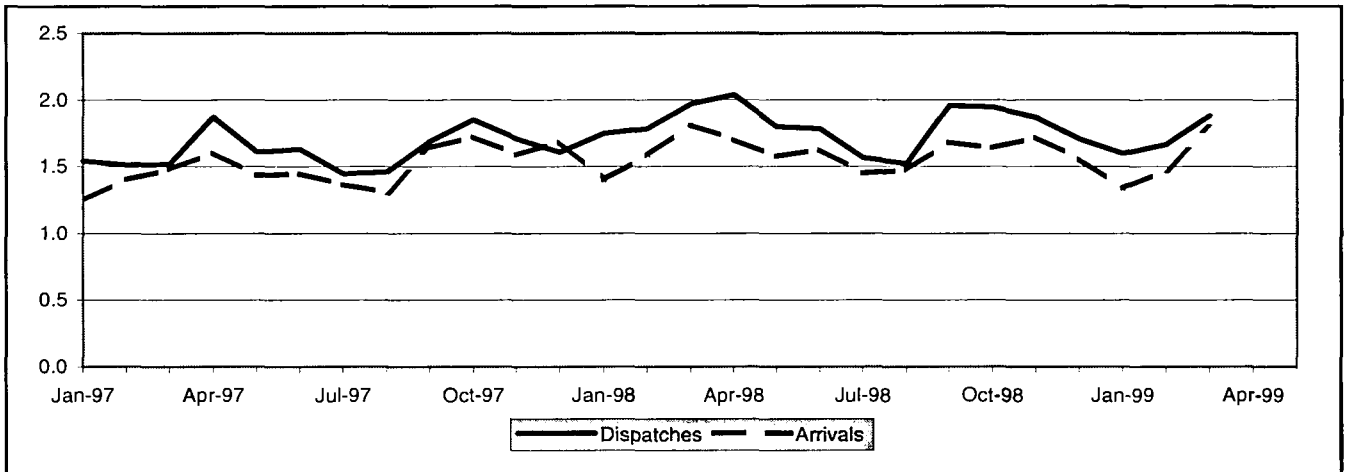
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Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
EXPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	4.2	6.7	26.6	2.9	0.4	2.8	4.8	1.2	8.8	10.0	2.9	4.3	17.1
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
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	3 987	167	268	1 062	116	18	114	192	48	351	399	115	171	680
1999 Jan-Apr	1 142	57	89	322	34	9	30	66	5	93	90	31	54	160
1998 Apr	341	15	24	93	11	2	10	15	4	25	33	7	14	57
May	336	11	22	93	7	2	10	14	3	30	37	12	14	51
Jun	318	10	20	97	9	2	8	15	2	28	38	9	13	45
Jul	437	22	31	129	19	1	11	20	10	35	45	9	16	57
Aug	254	11	12	68	4	1	6	14	8	23	20	7	11	49
Sep	312	14	22	96	8	1	9	17	3	26	27	7	15	44
Oct	346	16	23	98	8	1	8	20	2	28	39	8	14	58
Nov	318	11	22	74	10	1	7	17	1	29	35	10	11	68
Dec	291	9	18	76	7	1	8	16	2	28	28	13	20	47
1999 Jan	254	13	21	61	6	1	7	14	1	19	31	4	18	38
Feb	264	14	21	76	6	1	7	15	1	26	19	9	10	32
Mar	323	17	24	93	14	5	9	20	2	24	18	10	14	49
Apr	301	13	22	92	8	2	7	17	1	25	22	8	12	42
Annual Variation (%)														
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	-1.6	-6.4	-0.3	7.6	-13.3	-58.1	-14.7	19.1	-37.0	-7.2	3.6	-0.8	-20.5	-2.5
1999 Jan-Apr	-17.0	-9.8	-9.1	-2.4	-21.6	40.7	-37.3	14.0	-73.3	-24.9	-30.6	-23.7	-6.0	-38.8
1999 Jan	-22.9	-24.7	-14.4	-13.0	-51.3	-49.6	-36.6	3.7	-81.1	-40.3	17.0	-59.0	24.6	-47.6
Feb	-16.5	-3.0	-11.6	-2.8	-50.9	-35.1	-35.4	13.5	-65.5	-9.6	-39.9	2.7	-14.1	-42.3
Mar	-16.6	0.2	-2.0	4.4	66.1	330.3	-43.9	22.5	-75.1	-38.1	-52.7	-32.0	-19.7	-37.0
Apr	-12.0	-10.7	-8.2	-0.7	-21.9	5.9	-29.7	14.5	-70.1	-2.5	-34.5	17.4	-13.8	-26.5
IMPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	4.7	4.8	12.5	1.5	3.6	12.5	3.3	2.8	6.9	12.8	12.1	8.9	11.5
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
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	7 514	355	362	939	115	267	939	251	207	521	964	907	667	863
1999 Jan-Apr	2 529	184	126	320	27	80	337	103	109	148	293	271	265	237
1998 Apr	685	44	34	110	10	21	75	19	13	43	101	67	56	75
May	712	52	33	84	11	23	81	22	16	64	102	95	56	62
Jun	673	34	32	73	6	22	58	22	19	62	110	88	53	84
Jul	645	20	30	85	6	26	90	24	25	33	84	64	53	65
Aug	537	25	19	56	4	20	88	15	15	28	70	83	51	65
Sep	628	29	28	76	14	29	75	20	12	28	82	71	54	84
Oct	628	22	24	68	10	25	101	27	31	38	67	73	56	90
Nov	586	22	31	68	13	19	83	23	11	46	54	74	62	54
Dec	551	27	31	70	12	27	91	19	13	44	62	25	68	45
1999 Jan	609	49	23	68	6	17	91	19	33	30	76	51	85	51
Feb	491	27	31	70	6	19	62	27	11	28	50	48	50	36
Mar	708	47	40	103	9	24	95	35	20	44	67	82	67	71
Apr	722	62	32	79	6	19	90	23	45	45	100	91	64	77
Annual Variation (%)														
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	2.5	57.2	-7.3	-3.7	20.8	21.7	26.9	75.3	-33.8	-5.9	3.4	-33.7	8.6	-11.3
1999 Jan-Apr	-1.0	48.9	-5.8	-11.0	-34.3	2.3	24.0	33.3	63.4	-17.1	-12.3	-18.9	23.7	-24.5
1999 Jan	-0.4	92.2	-24.3	-10.6	-58.0	-9.3	34.3	5.2	94.1	-33.8	-8.6	-39.5	63.0	-35.0
Feb	-21.1	9.8	-0.8	-15.8	-43.6	-1.8	16.9	45.3	-54.1	-41.6	-31.0	-57.0	-3.2	-60.5
Mar	11.4	54.0	6.5	13.7	38.7	29.5	23.8	57.6	68.6	7.3	-13.7	12.9	21.5	6.1
Apr	5.4	41.8	-7.5	-28.0	-41.5	-8.3	20.0	19.6	237.7	5.0	-0.9	36.3	14.0	3.8

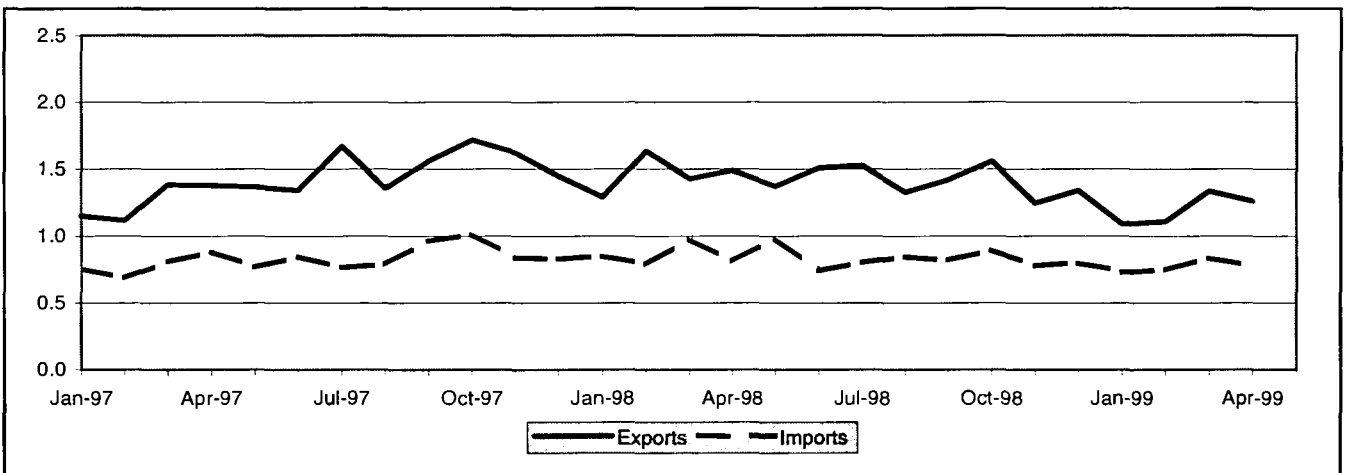
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EXTRA-EU (Bn ECU/euro)



TRADE BALANCE
INTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	S	UK
1995	3 140	179	-176	374	102	459	501	-33	-1	5	-8	-34	-300	1 204
1996	1 500	22	-263	157	111	393	374	8	-75	-49	16	-4	-157	1 176
1997	1 517	31	-284	-13	152	448	418	54	75	-160	56	19	-560	1 551
1998	2 461	68	-524	9	349	539	744	-20	370	-140	209	97	-687	1 667
1999 Jan-Mar	539	29	-152	-64	72	122	195	-9	110	-103	78	31	-133	408
1998 Mar	158	3	-49	-8	18	44	80	1	14	-31	10	7	-71	163
Apr	335	10	-62	21	99	48	68	-2	37	6	12	11	-67	180
May	221	10	-19	-42	14	51	82	-1	49	-10	13	5	-73	166
Jun	157	-12	-29	-13	14	58	30	-1	40	-17	23	8	-57	140
Jul	113	4	-33	-5	11	43	64	1	15	9	11	0	-98	117
Aug	47	-2	-61	-35	11	41	51	-3	16	-42	9	-4	-56	135
Sep	274	3	-21	7	16	60	72	-6	30	5	29	16	-48	120
Oct	310	8	-33	-1	13	54	59	-5	45	32	30	11	-37	148
Nov	150	11	-60	-21	24	30	69	-13	27	-26	26	15	-32	115
Dec	149	19	-71	1	20	42	46	-6	36	-19	14	26	-32	86
1999 Jan	260	3	-56	47	20	45	70	-5	34	-29	24	12	-28	138
Feb	193	12	-37	-32	22	41	74	-3	45	-33	24	9	-44	130
Mar	87	13	-59	-79	30	37	51	-1	31	-41	30	10	-61	140

EXTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzer-land	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterra-nean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1995	5 285	-28	40	872	103	190	-335	948	266	500	220	639	1 050	196
1996	6 140	-82	-24	1 166	55	171	-164	1 399	235	524	106	830	1 380	8
1997	7 175	88	-61	825	187	252	-454	1 824	565	677	76	834	1 731	-3
1998	7 057	303	65	992	158	728	-677	1 985	575	821	335	536	668	12
1999 Jan-Apr	1 710	59	62	250	63	181	-224	522	-125	288	80	116	210	35
1998 Apr	680	23	3	92	14	121	-61	186	74	54	27	34	61	-5
May	391	-13	-3	-34	10	75	-54	164	39	69	12	54	35	4
Jun	772	38	-2	64	23	79	-33	207	138	74	23	63	57	8
Jul	723	77	3	94	20	63	-41	163	105	81	6	56	62	-9
Aug	481	30	8	-13	14	68	-68	153	86	67	18	33	34	5
Sep	599	44	28	53	21	99	-52	179	-30	93	28	47	36	3
Oct	665	20	9	292	10	55	-66	181	-61	71	22	23	27	10
Nov	468	36	15	24	9	33	-71	147	2	74	59	56	30	1
Dec	538	13	4	61	5	32	-69	120	-4	71	90	39	120	3
1999 Jan	360	-6	21	108	12	10	-63	127	-63	58	32	38	30	5
Feb	362	27	22	37	15	29	-53	119	-18	65	20	27	46	-14
Mar	498	10	11	54	22	80	-53	144	-24	77	35	19	71	3
Apr	489	28	8	52	14	62	-55	132	-20	89	-7	32	62	42

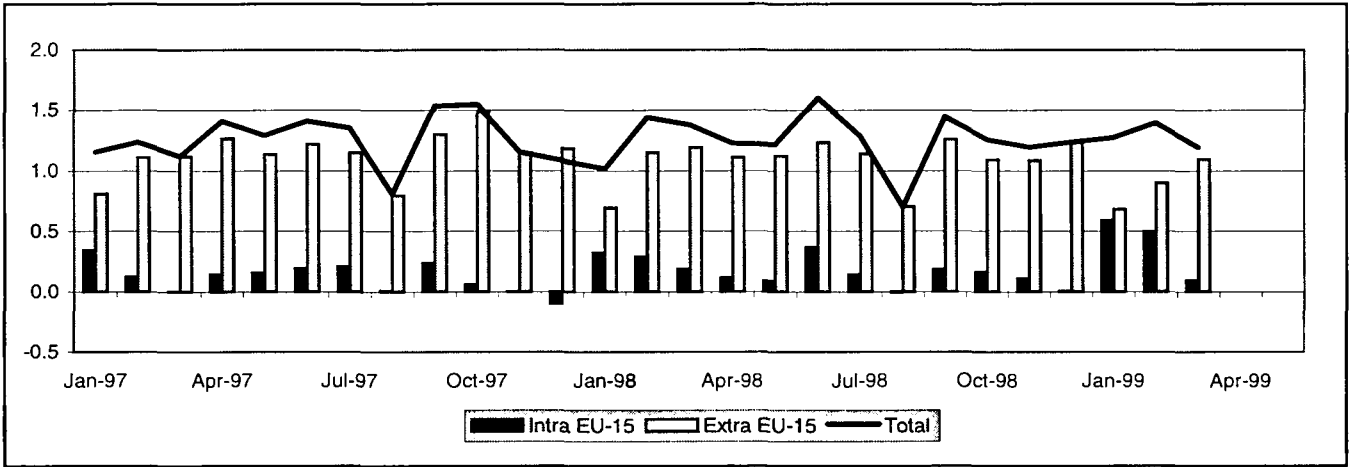
FINLAND
INTRA EU-15

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	S	UK
DISPATCHES														
% 1998	100.0	4.5	5.0	21.0	1.8	4.5	9.1	1.1	6.8	8.1	2.4	1.1	16.9	16.8
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	17 787	844	880	3 938	155	723	1 337	147	814	1 227	256	136	2 913	3 076
1996	17 651	808	975	3 914	165	684	1 420	192	824	1 278	281	157	3 469	3 294
1997	19 451	840	1 119	4 032	211	788	1 570	299	1 083	1 505	344	205	3 610	3 659
1998	21 688	965	1 082	4 548	390	969	1 981	235	1 476	1 753	516	247	3 667	3 641
1999 Jan-Mar	5 142	237	257	1 188	80	238	464	47	340	383	140	66	849	797
1998 Mar	1 971	96	103	425	25	80	190	22	141	142	40	20	330	342
Apr	2 037	87	83	397	100	84	180	21	132	165	37	23	354	358
May	1 799	80	90	340	19	84	187	17	135	144	37	17	305	332
Jun	1 784	72	89	365	15	91	173	17	143	128	44	15	313	303
Jul	1 565	77	73	343	18	72	162	17	115	137	36	19	192	292
Aug	1 523	70	78	322	13	65	132	14	83	111	34	10	303	267
Sep	1 957	81	111	418	20	85	174	19	115	168	56	27	339	307
Oct	1 946	81	105	400	15	85	165	22	134	194	57	23	339	307
Nov	1 869	82	85	407	29	95	171	15	127	149	54	26	323	288
Dec	1 708	83	78	384	22	75	144	14	116	153	44	35	294	248
1999 Jan	1 597	69	80	390	25	70	150	12	96	115	41	24	266	240
Feb	1 666	75	81	380	24	77	160	15	121	129	46	19	270	252
Mar	1 879	93	95	418	32	90	154	20	123	140	54	23	313	305
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	22.0	50.5	3.1	17.6	8.9	25.5	6.2	28.3	9.3	-3.8	-1.5	3.5	6.6	19.3
1996	-0.8	-4.3	10.9	-0.6	6.9	-5.4	6.2	31.2	1.2	4.1	9.7	16.0	19.1	7.1
1997	10.2	4.0	14.7	3.0	27.8	15.3	10.6	55.3	31.5	17.8	22.4	30.1	4.1	11.1
1998	11.5	14.9	-3.3	12.8	84.7	23.0	26.1	-21.3	36.4	16.4	50.3	20.4	1.6	-0.5
1999 Jan-Mar	-6.5	-5.9	-11.6	1.2	-41.9	1.6	-5.9	-40.7	-9.8	-5.1	19.3	26.9	-6.1	-15.3
1998 Dec	6.2	4.1	2.1	9.5	-22.5	11.7	6.8	-55.2	40.0	24.6	48.2	115.4	-0.9	-9.7
1999 Jan	-8.6	-12.8	-13.3	4.5	20.0	-6.2	-5.6	-59.3	-19.7	-15.3	-3.4	92.0	-10.8	-19.0
Feb	-6.6	-3.2	-13.9	1.4	-74.5	-1.8	11.3	-44.5	3.5	2.1	27.1	-1.7	-2.3	-16.7
Mar	-4.7	-2.4	-8.1	-1.8	29.7	12.4	-19.0	-11.3	-12.2	-1.6	36.3	14.0	-5.1	-10.8
ARRIVALS														
% 1998	100.0	4.7	8.4	23.6	0.2	2.2	6.4	1.3	5.8	9.8	1.6	0.8	22.6	10.3
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	14 647	665	1 055	3 564	53	264	837	180	815	1 222	264	170	3 213	1 872
1996	16 150	785	1 239	3 757	55	290	1 046	184	898	1 326	265	162	3 626	2 118
1997	17 934	809	1 404	4 045	60	340	1 152	245	1 008	1 665	288	186	4 170	2 107
1998	19 228	897	1 606	4 539	42	430	1 237	255	1 106	1 892	308	149	4 354	1 974
1999 Jan-Mar	4 603	209	409	1 251	8	116	268	56	230	486	62	35	983	389
1998 Mar	1 813	92	152	434	7	36	110	21	127	173	30	13	401	179
Apr	1 702	77	145	376	1	35	113	23	95	159	25	12	421	178
May	1 577	70	109	382	5	32	105	18	86	153	24	12	378	166
Jun	1 627	84	118	378	2	33	142	18	102	145	22	7	371	163
Jul	1 452	73	106	348	7	29	98	16	100	128	26	19	290	174
Aug	1 476	72	139	357	3	24	81	16	67	153	25	13	359	132
Sep	1 683	77	131	411	5	25	101	25	85	164	28	10	388	187
Oct	1 637	73	138	401	2	32	106	27	89	162	27	12	376	159
Nov	1 720	72	145	428	5	65	102	28	99	175	28	11	356	172
Dec	1 559	64	150	383	2	33	98	20	80	172	30	8	325	162
1999 Jan	1 337	66	137	343	4	26	80	17	62	143	16	12	295	102
Feb	1 473	62	119	412	2	36	85	18	76	162	22	10	314	122
Mar	1 793	80	154	496	2	54	103	21	92	181	24	13	374	165
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	36.1	24.8	78.3	23.6	0.1	4.1	5.4	25.0	7.7	73.2	20.2	-3.2	58.6	15.0
1996	10.3	18.0	17.4	5.4	3.4	9.8	25.1	2.4	10.3	8.6	0.5	-4.8	12.9	13.1
1997	11.0	3.1	13.3	7.6	9.0	17.0	10.1	33.0	12.2	25.5	8.7	14.7	15.0	-0.5
1998	7.2	10.8	14.4	12.2	-30.1	26.7	7.4	4.2	9.8	13.6	6.8	-19.6	4.4	-6.3
1999 Jan-Mar	-4.0	-11.4	-3.7	16.4	-23.8	-5.3	-7.7	-13.0	-23.5	1.0	-16.7	-21.3	-10.0	-19.2
1998 Dec	-7.5	-9.6	3.1	-3.9	-38.8	-8.1	-7.4	-40.7	-12.2	2.8	17.4	-13.7	-7.9	-12.9
1999 Jan	-4.4	0.8	-1.6	15.2	145.0	-11.1	-8.0	-7.8	-23.4	-1.4	-9.8	-8.9	-11.5	-28.6
Feb	-6.9	-19.5	-11.1	19.9	-7.7	-36.8	-8.5	-28.7	-18.5	-0.8	-17.9	-45.3	-12.2	-23.5
Mar	-1.1	-13.2	1.0	14.4	-74.1	49.2	-6.7	1.0	-27.2	4.8	-19.9	1.4	-6.8	-7.8

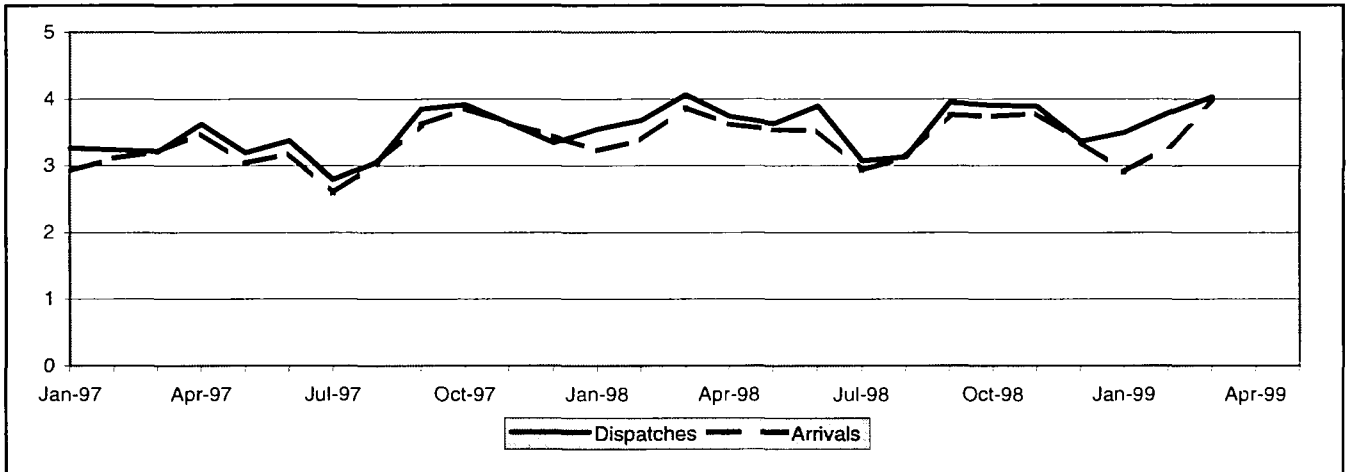
EXTRA EU-15

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
EXPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	7.5	2.8	16.8	1.6	6.6	3.4	18.3	15.0	5.7	4.6	3.9	7.6	0.9
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	13 168	870	393	2 045	210	440	781	1 725	1 604	602	564	685	1 669	269
1996	14 737	929	379	2 599	184	465	838	2 178	2 154	641	478	941	1 927	151
1997	17 112	1 083	368	2 571	352	647	690	2 792	2 885	853	580	980	2 226	139
1998	17 137	1 286	488	2 883	272	1 133	575	3 142	2 565	974	793	668	1 307	162
1999 Jan-Apr	4 790	333	191	796	94	314	209	875	483	341	217	156	417	77
1998 Apr	1 491	98	37	231	24	151	56	270	249	68	66	39	114	10
May	1 372	105	36	196	22	103	50	258	229	85	60	67	83	11
Jun	1 511	118	39	207	29	110	49	298	264	87	59	76	103	14
Jul	1 525	168	36	203	29	100	47	250	260	92	51	76	123	19
Aug	1 325	105	41	162	23	111	35	257	234	77	58	39	95	20
Sep	1 417	109	57	209	29	141	49	296	127	106	59	52	91	18
Oct	1 559	105	44	444	20	92	46	291	134	83	60	48	80	19
Nov	1 245	91	51	163	18	66	36	258	149	84	94	64	87	10
Dec	1 339	75	44	191	15	56	50	231	164	84	113	43	175	15
1999 Jan	1 088	74	47	218	18	41	45	209	96	70	60	42	82	9
Feb	1 108	85	54	179	23	67	46	204	120	79	52	36	95	8
Mar	1 335	88	47	203	31	116	62	242	141	89	65	36	129	9
Apr	1 259	86	43	196	21	90	56	220	126	103	39	41	110	51
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	27.2	10.7	4.5	14.1	25.5	20.0	49.9	6.4	15.3	22.6	49.5	76.4	41.3	107.9
1996	11.9	6.7	-3.8	27.1	-12.6	5.8	7.2	26.2	34.3	6.5	-15.3	37.3	15.4	-43.7
1997	16.1	16.6	-2.8	-1.1	91.5	39.1	-17.7	28.2	33.9	33.0	21.5	4.2	15.5	-8.3
1998	0.1	18.8	32.6	12.2	-22.5	75.1	-16.6	12.5	-11.1	14.2	36.6	-31.9	-41.3	16.6
1999 Jan-Apr	-18.0	-18.7	36.9	-28.2	8.1	-11.1	-1.5	-12.7	-51.9	22.9	-9.1	-23.5	-11.6	116.1
1999 Jan	-15.7	-21.8	43.4	22.1	-24.0	-3.1	-8.6	-14.4	-59.1	12.5	29.7	-33.7	-33.0	5.3
Feb	-32.3	-13.5	57.3	-64.3	18.4	0.2	13.2	-9.6	-52.7	12.4	-19.8	-46.8	-23.4	-5.6
Mar	-6.4	-26.1	32.1	2.3	58.6	24.9	-6.7	-7.9	-47.0	15.2	6.1	8.5	17.0	6.0
Apr	-15.5	-11.7	16.9	-14.9	-10.9	-40.5	0.3	-18.4	-49.3	52.2	-40.1	6.3	-3.1	392.9
IMPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	9.7	4.2	18.8	1.1	4.0	12.4	11.5	19.7	1.5	4.5	1.3	6.3	1.5
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	7 883	899	354	1 174	107	250	1 117	777	1 338	102	344	46	619	73
1996	8 596	1 011	402	1 433	129	294	1 001	779	1 919	117	371	111	547	143
1997	9 937	995	429	1 745	164	395	1 144	968	2 319	176	504	147	495	142
1998	10 080	983	423	1 891	114	406	1 252	1 156	1 990	153	458	132	640	150
1999 Jan-Apr	3 080	274	128	546	31	132	433	354	608	52	136	40	207	41
1998 Apr	810	75	34	139	10	30	118	84	174	13	38	4	52	15
May	980	119	39	230	12	29	104	94	190	15	48	13	49	7
Jun	739	80	42	143	6	32	82	91	126	12	36	13	46	6
Jul	802	91	34	109	10	38	88	87	155	11	45	20	61	27
Aug	844	76	33	175	9	44	103	103	148	10	40	5	61	15
Sep	818	65	29	156	9	42	100	117	157	13	31	6	55	16
Oct	895	85	35	152	10	37	112	110	195	12	37	25	53	9
Nov	777	55	36	139	9	32	108	111	148	9	35	7	57	9
Dec	801	62	40	130	10	25	119	111	169	14	24	5	55	12
1999 Jan	728	80	26	110	6	31	108	83	160	12	28	4	52	5
Feb	746	57	31	142	8	37	99	84	138	14	32	10	49	22
Mar	837	78	36	149	9	37	115	98	164	12	30	18	58	5
Apr	770	59	35	144	7	27	111	89	146	14	46	9	49	9
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	-9.9	-3.4	4.2	-21.0	-21.7	-16.0	-12.0	14.6	-25.0	-24.2	-28.0	-43.1	0.8	-16.4
1996	9.0	12.4	13.7	22.1	20.6	17.7	-10.3	0.2	43.4	14.7	7.9	139.9	-11.7	96.3
1997	15.6	-1.5	6.6	21.8	27.7	34.4	14.3	24.3	20.9	50.5	35.7	31.4	-9.5	-1.4
1998	1.4	-1.3	-1.3	8.4	-30.3	2.6	9.5	19.5	-14.2	-12.9	-9.1	-9.9	29.2	5.9
1999 Jan-Apr	-10.0	-21.8	-6.0	-16.8	-21.4	3.8	-0.4	6.1	-13.5	-9.1	-16.1	2.1	1.5	-14.4
1999 Jan	-14.5	-39.9	-2.8	-26.1	-27.8	-7.2	4.0	8.9	-6.1	14.6	-32.6	-0.4	0.4	-55.6
Feb	-5.5	-1.3	-9.2	1.9	-16.0	-0.3	10.1	-2.5	-20.7	-35.9	-1.5	-36.1	4.7	82.6
Mar	-14.1	-7.4	-13.0	-34.7	-12.9	37.4	-7.2	12.6	-11.0	3.9	-40.3	10.6	8.2	-49.1
Apr	-5.0	-21.7	3.1	4.0	-29.6	-8.5	-5.4	5.8	-16.0	4.7	21.6	103.2	-7.0	-38.8

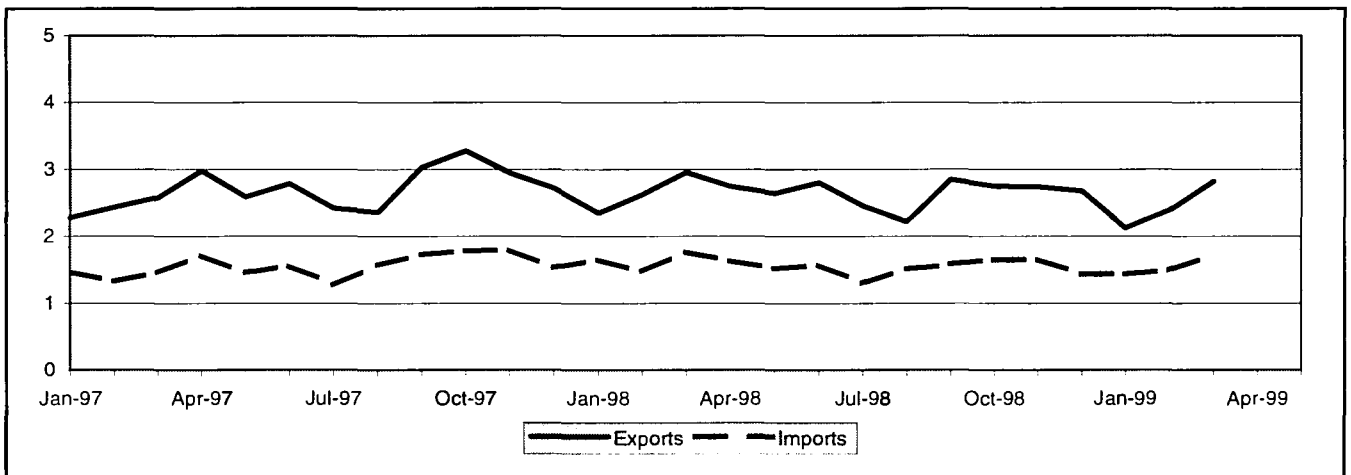
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TRADE BALANCE
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Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	UK
1995	2 503	733	252	-2 137	192	623	349	-315	508	-32	110	-96	-159	747
1996	2 078	1 105	290	-1 856	213	811	178	-184	493	80	151	-32	506	1 109
1997	1 377	851	338	-2 269	286	828	70	-208	564	-18	22	-40	894	1 136
1998	1 975	1 166	753	-2 404	376	1 015	252	-287	819	-17	-38	95	956	989
1999 Jan-Mar	1 186	302	182	-365	112	396	133	-59	282	205	69	8	196	308
1998 Mar	187	111	84	-218	34	63	35	-9	61	-2	-4	3	96	87
Apr	117	85	57	-176	18	70	-20	-28	69	43	-5	7	82	72
May	90	113	88	-278	32	56	24	-46	55	-8	-11	10	77	9
Jun	368	74	76	-137	33	83	33	-5	52	11	2	4	93	152
Jul	144	42	26	-104	29	54	-49	-19	46	-8	-3	-7	106	135
Aug	-5	108	55	-250	22	55	-22	-16	28	15	3	1	77	91
Sep	184	95	49	-164	35	85	58	2	127	-24	-8	15	80	44
Oct	162	126	72	-221	38	130	56	-67	83	-11	6	30	67	56
Nov	109	131	57	-275	44	142	30	-19	136	-23	-13	20	62	74
Dec	5	73	56	-272	37	138	30	-41	46	-30	-11	17	53	35
1999 Jan	593	88	73	-59	26	85	68	-9	82	73	18	1	71	95
Feb	497	119	58	-114	27	135	30	-26	101	106	20	-9	31	82
Mar	96	95	51	-192	58	177	34	-23	99	26	31	16	94	131

EXTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzer-land	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterra- nean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1995	9 274	1 164	129	1 515	417	25	87	446	-13	915	318	221	1 225	45
1996	12 087	1 663	275	2 094	449	248	598	877	-39	1 304	674	458	1 754	153
1997	13 738	1 836	301	2 362	469	26	301	1 225	148	1 535	1 158	706	2 019	91
1998	13 030	2 260	380	2 669	537	204	-158	1 094	252	1 689	1 290	723	903	161
1999 Jan-Mar	2 680	547	69	597	111	13	-120	172	-23	384	294	129	202	50
1998 Mar	1 193	225	27	202	76	24	-44	95	63	149	111	30	98	6
Apr	1 110	188	35	214	42	30	-22	100	36	117	114	46	116	7
May	1 125	199	37	212	51	35	-10	80	27	129	108	76	99	13
Jun	1 234	259	34	219	46	35	-15	97	47	139	120	40	94	15
Jul	1 144	139	19	230	23	53	47	108	21	170	112	87	68	19
Aug	705	162	38	143	39	-28	-66	66	16	148	63	41	22	15
Sep	1 261	218	49	296	54	12	-17	85	2	159	133	100	49	10
Oct	1 095	186	35	243	38	-2	-21	82	-6	178	118	55	62	14
Nov	1 086	176	20	295	46	38	-17	102	-38	160	113	60	46	13
Dec	1 233	240	-4	243	38	62	-2	92	35	147	144	86	65	21
1999 Jan	683	140	20	133	32	-27	-50	44	12	116	78	39	59	16
Feb	901	200	32	199	26	-18	-20	62	-6	123	91	37	83	18
Mar	1 096	208	17	265	54	58	-50	66	-29	145	125	52	61	16

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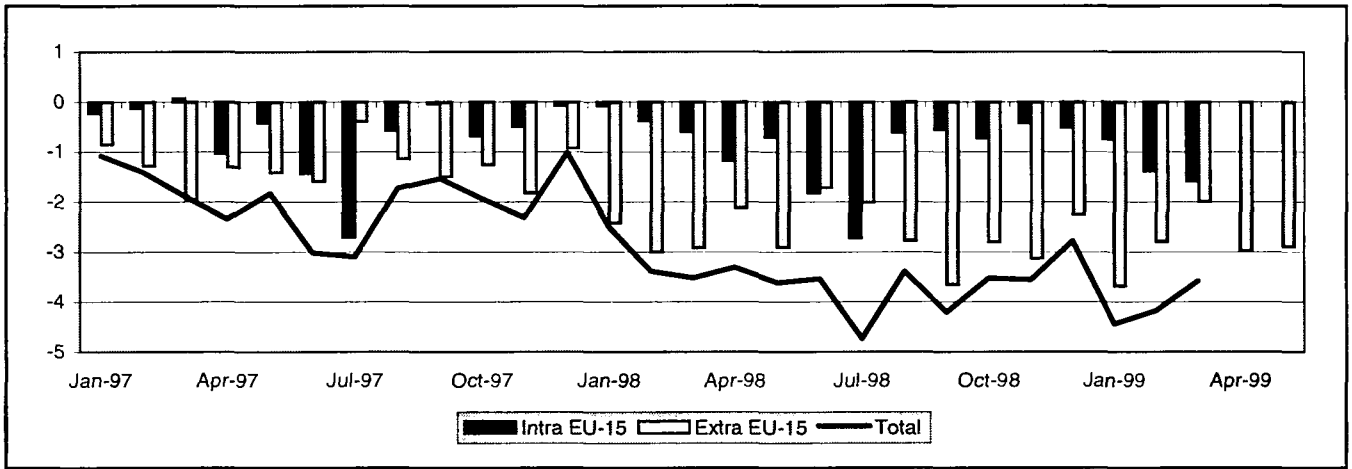
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DISPATCHES														
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Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	36 629	2 462	3 632	7 246	271	1 154	2 915	336	2 053	3 097	666	281	2 708	5 335
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1999 Jan-Mar	11 314	868	1 069	2 093	142	695	955	127	759	1 230	190	122	939	1 677
1998 Mar	4 060	322	445	777	41	162	333	64	239	398	72	39	368	644
Apr	3 739	289	363	734	29	150	337	51	230	383	65	36	360	564
May	3 628	284	369	682	39	151	312	43	216	378	67	39	333	526
Jun	3 893	290	393	752	40	169	344	64	219	389	69	33	353	623
Jul	3 073	165	266	641	36	149	248	43	202	269	56	28	273	530
Aug	3 130	269	349	583	30	112	240	30	152	300	57	36	311	498
Sep	3 945	301	394	762	42	158	365	52	282	368	66	47	364	546
Oct	3 903	335	379	694	46	208	324	42	253	378	78	59	334	575
Nov	3 891	341	360	669	52	229	309	45	311	354	66	49	311	564
Dec	3 363	252	332	590	44	213	270	35	204	343	59	42	275	478
1999 Jan	3 497	255	334	666	33	177	301	38	222	376	55	27	291	505
Feb	3 786	296	344	682	43	238	309	38	255	413	63	44	294	537
Mar	4 032	317	392	744	67	280	344	52	282	442	73	51	354	636
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	20.2	-2.5	2.2	5.9	-8.7	16.9	10.9	-2.2	5.6	14.0	-7.0	18.9	10.3	2.2
1996	4.3	19.8	15.6	7.7	7.2	26.7	6.7	29.0	6.5	19.4	9.2	22.4	27.3	19.4
1997	6.0	-0.3	6.9	3.5	32.4	7.8	8.0	5.2	5.9	9.8	1.5	2.1	13.1	5.0
1998	8.3	15.9	-1.6	2.2	20.9	25.5	11.8	19.8	17.8	5.8	5.9	33.2	0.8	0.5
1999 Jan-Mar	0.2	-1.2	-11.6	-2.6	31.8	58.7	-4.8	-11.3	16.0	8.2	-4.6	23.8	-7.5	-7.6
1998 Dec	0.6	-1.7	-3.7	-7.4	36.7	58.9	-0.2	-12.0	8.8	0.1	4.9	70.7	-12.2	-15.7
1999 Jan	-1.5	-4.8	-9.1	0.4	24.7	25.6	-6.3	4.9	6.1	2.0	-9.0	-5.7	-6.3	-15.4
Feb	2.9	2.6	-13.3	-3.7	4.6	76.0	-11.0	-12.4	23.8	11.2	-5.9	39.0	-12.6	-6.4
Mar	-0.7	-1.6	-12.0	-4.3	63.8	72.9	3.2	-19.7	17.9	11.0	0.5	33.1	-3.8	-1.3
ARRIVALS														
% 1998	100.0	5.3	8.7	25.5	0.2	2.3	8.4	2.0	4.6	10.3	2.0	0.9	7.1	13.7
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	34 125	1 728	3 380	9 383	79	531	2 565	652	1 545	3 128	556	377	2 867	4 589
1996	36 118	1 843	3 907	9 658	77	651	2 931	617	1 692	3 617	577	376	2 941	5 260
1997	39 117	2 088	4 148	10 346	99	748	3 287	665	1 749	4 078	717	391	3 004	5 548
1998	41 878	2 240	3 661	10 662	89	962	3 500	834	1 906	4 314	821	373	2 973	5 730
1999 Jan-Mar	10 128	566	887	2 457	31	299	822	186	477	1 025	122	114	743	1 369
1998 Mar	3 873	210	361	995	7	99	299	73	179	400	76	35	272	557
Apr	3 622	204	305	910	11	80	357	79	161	340	70	30	277	491
May	3 538	171	281	960	6	94	288	89	160	386	78	29	256	517
Jun	3 526	216	317	890	7	87	312	69	167	378	67	28	260	471
Jul	2 929	123	240	745	7	95	297	62	156	277	59	35	167	395
Aug	3 135	161	294	833	8	57	262	46	124	285	54	36	234	408
Sep	3 761	206	345	927	7	73	307	50	155	391	74	32	284	502
Oct	3 740	209	307	915	8	78	268	109	170	389	72	29	266	518
Nov	3 782	211	303	943	8	87	279	64	175	377	79	28	249	490
Dec	3 357	179	277	862	7	75	240	76	159	374	71	25	222	443
1999 Jan	2 904	168	261	725	6	92	233	47	141	302	36	25	220	409
Feb	3 289	177	286	796	16	104	279	64	154	307	43	53	263	455
Mar	3 935	221	341	936	8	104	310	75	183	416	42	36	260	505
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	25.6	14.3	15.0	17.5	-13.4	-11.3	6.1	82.4	-7.3	77.1	4.2	-11.7	5.2	10.5
1996	5.8	6.6	15.6	2.9	-1.6	22.6	14.3	-5.3	9.6	15.6	3.7	-0.4	2.6	14.6
1997	8.3	13.3	6.2	7.1	27.6	14.8	12.1	7.7	3.4	12.8	24.4	4.1	2.2	5.5
1998	7.1	7.3	-11.7	3.0	-9.8	28.7	6.5	25.5	8.9	5.8	14.5	-4.8	-1.0	3.3
1999 Jan-Mar	-3.4	1.1	-10.6	-8.2	54.8	26.8	-7.8	-2.8	-0.3	-8.4	-38.6	11.8	-1.9	-8.3
1998 Dec	-2.5	-8.2	-16.3	-6.3	-15.2	5.7	-14.9	17.5	7.4	10.8	-9.1	-0.3	-9.0	-4.9
1999 Jan	-10.0	0.6	-18.0	-11.9	6.7	56.5	-19.9	-22.1	7.0	-16.1	-23.4	-23.5	-11.1	-9.5
Feb	-2.9	-3.3	-8.7	-7.3	137.5	32.6	-7.4	10.8	-9.0	-14.3	-42.3	59.3	10.4	-6.1
Mar	1.6	5.2	-5.6	-5.9	16.6	4.6	3.7	2.3	2.4	3.9	-44.5	0.4	-4.4	-9.4

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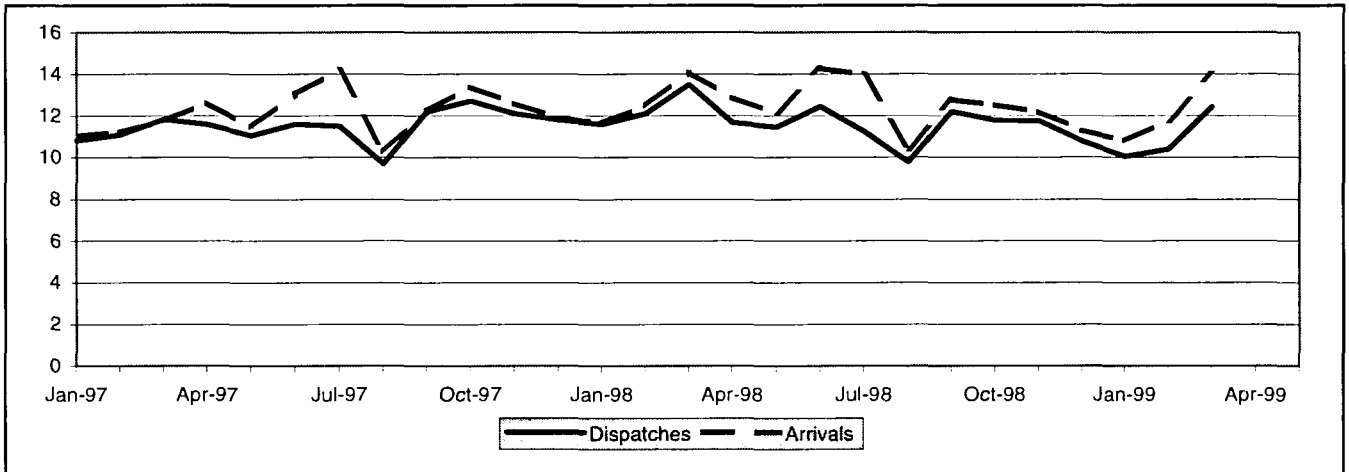
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EXPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	20.3	4.1	20.4	2.4	4.3	5.0	10.0	2.7	6.8	6.3	4.3	7.7	1.0
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	24 870	4 350	1 076	4 574	638	852	1 806	1 780	549	1 232	1 011	856	2 503	198
1996	28 680	5 631	1 181	5 520	661	1 097	2 137	2 225	677	1 627	1 358	1 249	3 055	319
1997	32 391	6 082	1 189	6 052	736	1 079	2 127	2 936	968	1 928	1 904	1 519	3 635	272
1998	31 789	6 467	1 299	6 472	775	1 372	1 589	3 194	874	2 168	2 015	1 363	2 456	323
1999 Jan-Mar	7 330	1 521	298	1 556	172	337	374	702	124	495	459	254	588	73
1998 Mar	2 957	612	117	561	97	108	136	283	108	200	178	120	241	30
Apr	2 744	550	112	528	64	115	136	282	89	158	188	133	248	33
May	2 640	567	107	503	70	120	125	265	83	160	181	130	213	23
Jun	2 801	592	120	558	69	114	122	277	99	180	188	108	213	37
Jul	2 451	399	83	472	44	152	147	249	80	207	174	138	194	30
Aug	2 214	484	107	445	55	93	87	234	54	183	118	83	161	22
Sep	2 846	575	123	630	71	134	132	274	45	202	188	117	186	18
Oct	2 747	556	116	610	62	94	136	273	45	215	180	99	186	30
Nov	2 741	519	112	636	64	139	154	289	42	198	181	100	179	24
Dec	2 676	537	74	550	55	150	137	270	78	189	181	134	187	27
1999 Jan	2 121	451	84	413	45	85	105	204	47	150	132	80	189	27
Feb	2 390	513	102	524	53	85	129	226	38	156	150	74	196	23
Mar	2 820	557	112	618	74	167	141	272	38	190	176	100	203	23
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	18.9	3.6	8.4	10.9	11.8	1.0	31.4	21.1	25.7	12.2	-2.5	-7.9	31.3	-7.0
1996	15.3	29.5	9.8	20.7	3.6	28.8	18.3	25.0	23.3	32.0	34.2	46.0	22.0	60.7
1997	12.9	8.0	0.6	9.6	11.3	-1.7	-0.5	32.0	43.1	18.5	40.2	21.6	19.0	-14.6
1998	-1.9	6.3	9.3	6.9	5.4	27.1	-25.3	8.8	-9.7	12.4	5.8	-10.3	-32.4	18.6
1999 Jan-Mar	-7.5	-10.0	-14.0	1.0	-22.5	29.6	-9.3	-10.3	-52.4	4.6	5.1	-20.7	-14.7	-7.8
1998 Dec	-1.5	7.3	-29.7	14.7	6.4	27.1	-3.0	6.4	-31.1	-1.0	-3.8	-3.5	-29.7	2.5
1999 Jan	-9.6	-17.7	-28.6	2.5	-11.7	0.1	-23.6	-15.2	-28.8	22.6	11.5	-15.8	-10.9	-16.6
Feb	-9.0	-3.0	-8.7	-8.9	-27.6	26.9	-7.5	-12.7	-55.0	3.0	7.6	-29.6	-17.1	32.8
Mar	-4.6	-9.0	-4.3	10.1	-24.2	54.5	3.3	-3.9	-64.7	-5.3	-1.1	-16.8	-15.7	-21.4
IMPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	22.4	4.9	20.3	1.3	6.2	9.3	11.2	3.3	2.6	3.9	3.4	8.3	0.9
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	15 596	3 186	947	3 059	222	827	1 719	1 334	561	317	693	635	1 278	153
1996	16 593	3 968	907	3 426	212	849	1 538	1 348	716	323	684	792	1 300	165
1997	18 653	4 246	887	3 690	267	1 053	1 826	1 712	820	393	746	814	1 615	181
1998	18 759	4 208	919	3 803	238	1 168	1 746	2 101	622	479	724	640	1 553	162
1999 Jan-Mar	4 651	973	228	959	61	324	494	530	147	111	165	125	386	23
1998 Mar	1 763	387	90	359	21	84	180	188	45	51	67	90	143	23
Apr	1 634	362	77	315	22	85	158	182	52	41	74	88	132	26
May	1 515	368	70	291	19	85	135	184	56	31	73	54	114	10
Jun	1 567	333	86	339	24	79	137	180	52	41	68	69	118	22
Jul	1 308	260	64	242	21	99	100	141	59	37	62	52	127	11
Aug	1 510	322	69	302	16	121	153	168	38	36	55	42	139	7
Sep	1 585	356	75	334	18	122	149	189	43	43	54	17	137	9
Oct	1 652	370	80	367	23	97	156	191	51	37	62	44	125	15
Nov	1 655	343	92	342	18	101	171	188	80	38	68	40	133	11
Dec	1 443	297	78	307	17	88	139	179	44	43	36	48	122	6
1999 Jan	1 438	311	63	281	14	112	155	160	35	34	55	40	130	11
Feb	1 489	314	71	326	27	103	149	164	44	33	59	36	113	5
Mar	1 723	349	94	352	20	109	190	206	68	44	51	48	142	7
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	-3.4	20.5	14.2	-17.8	-17.9	-9.5	-16.2	1.5	-10.4	-12.0	-2.0	-12.0	15.3	-29.8
1996	6.4	24.5	-4.2	12.0	-4.4	2.7	-10.5	1.0	27.6	1.7	-1.4	24.7	1.8	7.9
1997	12.4	7.0	-2.1	7.7	25.9	24.0	18.7	27.0	14.6	21.9	9.1	2.8	24.2	9.2
1998	0.6	-0.9	3.6	3.1	-10.7	10.9	-4.3	22.7	-24.2	21.8	-2.9	-21.3	-3.8	-10.6
1999 Jan-Mar	-4.9	-18.7	-0.1	-0.6	-0.2	11.7	10.3	6.1	0.0	-16.3	-4.4	-33.3	-5.2	-49.1
1998 Dec	-5.7	-16.1	-0.5	5.7	-47.1	16.2	-4.9	11.3	-41.8	4.3	-24.7	25.6	-12.6	-56.6
1999 Jan	-13.0	-31.9	3.1	-10.4	-22.2	12.3	8.9	5.2	-20.6	-15.2	-6.8	-48.3	-8.1	24.5
Feb	1.0	-11.1	-8.6	11.3	22.7	-3.8	19.0	3.1	-23.4	-21.5	25.8	96.9	-7.6	-63.1
Mar	-2.3	-9.8	5.1	-1.8	-6.1	30.6	5.5	9.4	50.4	-12.9	-23.6	-47.0	-0.4	-69.1

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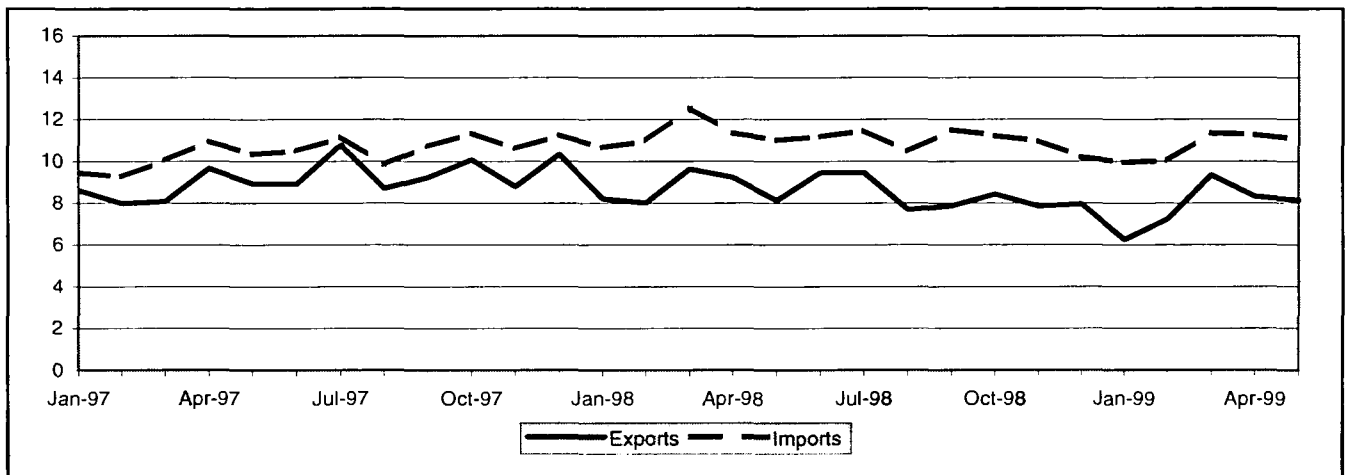
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TRADE BALANCE
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Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S
1995	-6 644	233	-147	-7 679	744	2 030	-1 628	773	-593	815	247	-20	-963	-456
1996	-5 454	-85	-170	-7 187	951	2 105	-721	2 359	-2 040	1 337	83	32	-956	-444
1997	-7 744	-1 176	-376	-7 489	950	2 125	-1 895	3 247	-2 595	2 042	-407	-32	-1 370	-425
1998	-10 342	-1 727	-232	-7 127	988	1 797	-1 884	3 054	-2 204	-844	-399	-120	-1 303	-82
1999 Jan-Mar	-3 715	-29	-35	-2 393	247	206	-623	675	-281	-270	-113	-5	-304	-170
1998 Mar	-599	-55	-28	-544	100	211	-301	299	-140	-6	-31	30	-137	15
Apr	-1 186	-151	-32	-640	90	66	-235	189	-168	-33	-32	-44	-108	-41
May	-712	-158	14	-633	75	128	-88	229	-141	43	-32	-35	-103	21
Jun	-1 820	-180	-35	-753	70	7	-486	222	-316	-143	-31	-31	-100	-36
Jul	-2 722	-294	-37	-1 091	82	24	-547	199	-562	-111	-46	-73	-131	-95
Aug	-615	-146	-8	-528	69	180	-2	271	-194	-115	-12	-25	-93	-5
Sep	-557	-178	4	-358	79	336	-137	280	-240	-257	-13	42	-91	0
Oct	-722	-138	-29	-560	84	245	-91	290	-133	-147	-48	12	-128	-60
Nov	-429	-93	-21	-608	98	156	27	313	-43	-45	-72	-6	-98	-45
Dec	-524	-146	-4	-557	77	152	99	231	-97	-144	-23	12	-92	8
1999 Jan	-751	27	-5	-650	56	143	-254	247	-10	-63	-20	11	-92	-14
Feb	-1 379	5	-17	-808	89	-79	-171	214	-61	-102	-33	1	-92	-51
Mar	-1 584	-61	-13	-935	102	141	-198	214	-209	-106	-61	-17	-120	-105

EXTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
1995	-16 886	-2 785	-2 760	-3 760	-890	-3 572	-7 100	497	-362	2 066	-1 217	2 795	-1 467	-3
1996	-17 232	-3 448	-2 027	-4 989	-662	-4 687	-5 853	1 127	-279	2 307	-1 348	4 408	-2 433	-388
1997	-15 428	-3 060	-2 154	-6 799	-310	-6 018	-7 118	1 293	-179	3 198	43	7 786	-3 106	165
1998	-31 709	-1 124	-2 605	-8 414	-325	-7 231	-9 392	940	-584	2 499	-175	5 130	-7 872	-7
1999 Jan-May	-14 352	-560	-1 319	-2 986	-1	-2 677	-3 406	147	-224	567	-583	1 253	-2 963	91
1998 May	-2 905	-130	-344	-1 158	15	-549	-829	83	-52	181	33	473	-429	-3
Jun	-1 718	-167	1	-601	27	-580	-793	88	-78	210	-37	438	-311	-19
Jul	-2 014	-140	-368	50	-91	-613	-739	74	-128	279	47	458	-696	-13
Aug	-2 776	39	-246	-677	-54	-580	-966	56	-93	176	-40	353	-616	-3
Sep	-3 651	-79	-233	-971	-37	-785	-723	79	-132	193	-42	320	-833	-52
Oct	-2 805	-77	-407	-377	-20	-768	-771	58	-81	261	-39	540	-721	28
Nov	-3 125	-52	-157	-518	-32	-701	-776	35	-53	197	-76	285	-844	53
Dec	-2 256	-10	-33	-379	-60	-579	-706	121	-102	214	-103	451	-636	78
1999 Jan	-3 688	-89	-242	-899	-53	-610	-663	-37	-26	39	-103	125	-774	9
Feb	-2 790	-53	-214	-934	-33	-501	-603	32	12	112	-90	286	-438	-18
Mar	-1 997	-113	-318	-338	90	-485	-665	84	-113	131	-107	507	-458	63
Apr	-2 983	-131	-376	-442	-21	-478	-766	54	-71	152	-186	155	-705	52
May	-2 893	-173	-168	-373	16	-603	-708	13	-27	133	-97	180	-589	-16

INTRA EU-15

Period	Intra EU-15	Partner												
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S
DISPATCHES														
% 1998	100.0	8.5	2.1	20.9	1.1	7.3	16.8	10.2	8.8	13.2	1.2	1.8	1.5	4.5
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
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	140 312	11 929	2 983	29 392	1 515	10 175	23 539	14 381	12 283	18 485	1 702	2 469	2 080	6 294
1999 Jan-Mar	32 859	2 978	661	6 258	370	2 323	5 213	3 256	2 526	3 985	355	540	429	1 288
1998 Mar	13 503	1 140	302	2 892	141	992	2 174	1 320	1 240	1 869	156	260	201	616
Apr	11 680	1 020	226	2 514	136	805	1 971	1 153	1 059	1 556	142	193	197	543
May	11 457	909	221	2 373	117	872	1 955	1 154	1 063	1 575	148	194	170	522
Jun	12 456	1 154	270	2 555	120	875	2 123	1 261	1 128	1 675	154	208	193	513
Jul	11 245	987	225	2 375	123	829	1 875	1 207	967	1 551	139	185	169	435
Aug	9 775	903	235	2 151	109	633	1 557	1 071	655	1 374	137	159	157	439
Sep	12 203	1 051	291	2 596	133	931	2 056	1 244	1 059	1 489	163	227	176	541
Oct	11 780	964	240	2 405	135	903	2 024	1 235	1 029	1 451	144	224	166	529
Nov	11 757	911	248	2 406	139	898	1 906	1 233	1 075	1 464	128	221	167	493
Dec	10 780	826	226	2 120	110	786	1 830	1 137	891	1 375	114	189	135	431
1999 Jan	10 049	874	198	1 898	100	746	1 611	1 036	803	1 188	106	175	142	386
Feb	10 387	962	209	1 970	124	727	1 597	1 021	810	1 254	117	172	129	414
Mar	12 424	1 142	254	2 390	146	850	2 005	1 199	913	1 543	131	193	158	488
Annual Variation (%)														
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	1.7	1.7	-1.4	0.8	-1.6	7.1	0.5	2.6	7.0	-6.0	4.7	-1.4	-4.1	0.9
1999 Jan-Mar	-11.6	-7.0	-17.4	-20.7	-6.1	-12.1	-16.5	-11.7	-24.8	-19.9	-17.9	-19.2	-22.2	-30.2
1998 Dec	-8.7	-6.4	-11.9	-11.3	-12.8	-6.3	-13.9	-8.4	-10.3	-21.2	-19.0	-19.3	-17.0	-15.1
1999 Jan	-13.2	-11.8	-18.2	-21.9	-9.8	-8.4	-19.4	-11.1	-22.0	-19.5	-24.5	-17.2	-18.6	-40.1
Feb	-14.1	-10.3	-18.7	-23.5	-12.6	-13.2	-22.8	-14.9	-25.6	-23.0	-13.6	-12.6	-26.5	-29.2
Mar	-8.0	0.2	-15.8	-17.4	3.5	-14.3	-7.8	-9.2	-26.4	-17.5	-15.7	-25.8	-21.5	-20.9
ARRIVALS														
% 1998	100.0	9.1	2.1	24.2	0.3	5.6	16.9	7.5	9.6	12.8	1.4	1.7	2.2	4.2
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
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	150 654	13 656	3 215	36 519	527	8 378	25 423	11 327	14 487	19 329	2 101	2 589	3 383	6 376
1999 Jan-Mar	36 574	3 006	697	8 651	123	2 117	5 835	2 582	2 806	4 256	469	545	732	1 458
1998 Mar	14 102	1 195	330	3 436	41	782	2 475	1 022	1 380	1 875	187	230	338	602
Apr	12 866	1 171	259	3 154	46	738	2 206	964	1 227	1 589	174	237	305	585
May	12 169	1 068	207	3 006	42	744	2 043	925	1 203	1 533	180	230	272	501
Jun	14 275	1 335	305	3 307	50	869	2 609	1 039	1 444	1 818	185	238	293	549
Jul	13 967	1 281	262	3 466	42	804	2 422	1 008	1 529	1 662	185	258	300	530
Aug	10 389	1 049	244	2 679	40	453	1 559	800	849	1 489	149	184	250	445
Sep	12 760	1 229	287	2 953	54	594	2 192	964	1 299	1 746	176	186	267	541
Oct	12 501	1 102	269	2 965	51	658	2 115	945	1 162	1 598	192	212	294	589
Nov	12 186	1 004	269	3 015	41	742	1 879	920	1 117	1 510	199	228	265	539
Dec	11 304	972	231	2 677	34	633	1 731	906	988	1 519	137	177	227	422
1999 Jan	10 800	847	203	2 548	44	603	1 865	789	813	1 251	126	165	234	400
Feb	11 766	957	227	2 777	35	805	1 767	807	871	1 356	150	171	221	466
Mar	14 008	1 203	267	3 325	44	709	2 203	985	1 122	1 649	192	210	277	593
Annual Variation (%)														
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	3.4	5.8	-5.5	-0.4	-10.6	13.5	0.5	5.2	3.0	9.7	3.3	2.0	-4.4	-4.3
1999 Jan-Mar	-4.3	-12.7	-21.1	-7.0	-4.1	-1.1	-12.5	-9.6	-23.5	-12.5	-10.2	-14.7	-19.4	-12.9
1998 Dec	-4.9	-5.5	-12.8	-2.7	-32.9	-9.2	-16.2	-3.6	-12.7	0.5	-28.0	-12.5	-24.1	-26.0
1999 Jan	-7.3	-24.4	-25.0	-9.9	-1.0	-7.0	-8.5	-6.8	-25.9	-13.1	-21.9	-18.1	-16.1	-22.2
Feb	-5.7	-15.4	-20.0	-8.5	-17.2	13.2	-17.9	-18.3	-26.8	-12.6	-13.2	-17.9	-24.3	-16.7
Mar	-0.7	0.7	-18.9	-3.2	6.0	-9.3	-11.0	-3.6	-18.7	-12.0	2.6	-8.7	-18.0	-1.5

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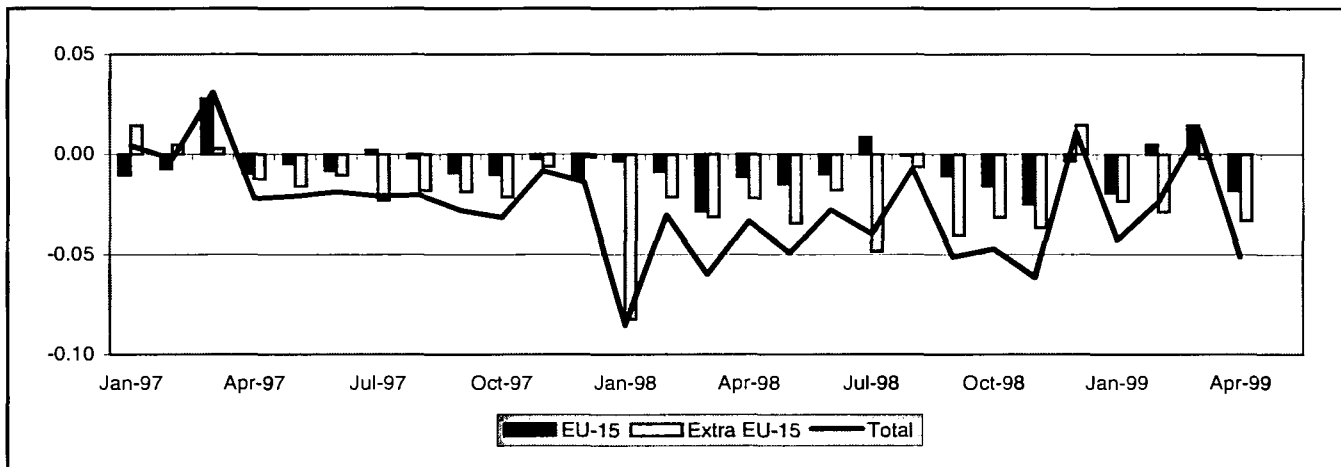
Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
EXPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	3.9	4.0	31.1	3.1	1.2	4.7	4.9	1.9	7.5	4.3	9.6	10.5	3.2
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
1995	75 975	2 282	3 149	21 744	2 160	979	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	101 818	4 021	4 089	31 672	3 206	1 271	4 767	5 006	1 977	7 660	4 380	9 807	10 714	3 289
1999 Jan-May	39 275	1 314	1 501	13 587	1 414	670	1 950	1 847	497	2 703	1 371	3 059	4 201	1 476
1998 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
Nov	7 843	284	299	2 659	269	126	342	416	89	612	325	640	809	288
Dec	7 945	319	386	2 512	238	105	404	453	117	606	276	741	818	323
1999 Jan	6 248	211	258	2 136	217	89	324	272	67	443	243	479	649	268
Feb	7 238	243	307	2 446	245	158	406	352	92	502	269	553	847	243
Mar	9 345	301	334	3 091	393	163	472	452	133	639	311	843	1 017	343
Apr	8 303	291	348	2 926	275	136	409	395	102	542	248	578	850	333
May	8 141	268	253	2 989	283	123	340	376	102	577	299	607	838	289
Annual Variation (%)														
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	-7.5	5.1	-2.5	4.6	3.2	-3.9	-21.2	1.1	-13.8	-4.1	-1.6	-21.7	-22.7	-4.1
1999 Jan-May	-9.0	-27.9	-4.6	3.5	9.9	31.4	-7.7	-10.0	-51.6	-14.0	-28.4	-30.0	-6.4	10.0
1999 Feb	-9.6	-14.1	1.6	-5.4	2.5	68.7	-5.0	-14.1	-54.0	-13.2	-18.4	-15.8	4.6	0.9
Mar	-2.9	-7.8	-3.1	9.7	53.2	54.9	-8.2	-9.1	-36.1	-6.9	-22.5	-28.1	5.8	23.8
Apr	-10.0	-56.1	14.2	4.4	-2.4	20.3	1.2	-5.4	-53.4	-15.6	-37.0	-36.0	-2.6	17.6
May	0.3	-8.7	-5.8	18.7	4.6	40.1	-4.9	-3.5	-45.8	-1.8	-22.4	-27.4	-4.0	12.8
IMPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	3.9	5.0	30.0	2.6	6.4	10.6	3.0	1.9	3.9	3.4	3.5	13.9	2.5
Value (Bn ECU/euro)														
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	133 526	5 145	6 695	40 086	3 532	8 502	14 159	4 066	2 561	5 161	4 555	4 676	18 586	3 296
1999 Jan-May	53 627	1 874	2 820	16 573	1 415	3 347	5 356	1 700	721	2 136	1 954	1 806	7 164	1 385
1998 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
Nov	10 968	336	456	3 177	301	826	1 118	382	143	415	402	355	1 654	234
Dec	10 201	330	418	2 892	299	684	1 110	332	219	392	380	291	1 454	245
1999 Jan	9 936	300	500	3 035	271	700	986	309	93	404	345	353	1 423	259
Feb	10 028	296	521	3 379	278	659	1 009	320	80	390	360	267	1 284	261
Mar	11 342	414	653	3 429	303	647	1 137	367	246	507	418	336	1 475	280
Apr	11 286	423	724	3 368	296	614	1 175	341	173	390	434	423	1 555	280
May	11 034	441	422	3 362	267	726	1 048	363	129	444	396	427	1 427	305
Annual Variation (%)														
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	6.4	-25.3	5.4	8.1	3.3	15.8	7.5	11.1	3.6	7.8	3.3	-1.2	9.5	1.0
1999 Jan-May	-5.2	-23.9	3.1	-8.3	5.3	6.8	-11.2	4.8	-23.6	-1.7	8.6	-13.5	-7.0	-2.5
1999 Feb	-8.9	-41.1	8.8	-7.8	1.5	5.8	-6.6	-0.5	-48.8	-15.9	8.5	-36.8	-12.7	-6.3
Mar	-9.6	-23.9	6.2	-19.5	2.5	14.1	-14.4	5.1	42.9	-0.1	11.2	-21.9	-13.7	-10.3
Apr	-0.5	-19.4	26.4	0.2	4.9	-3.3	-10.6	3.8	-10.7	-2.2	9.6	-15.1	6.3	-3.4
May	0.1	4.3	-31.2	-8.5	4.3	14.0	-11.7	18.2	-46.5	9.1	12.6	17.4	9.6	17.5



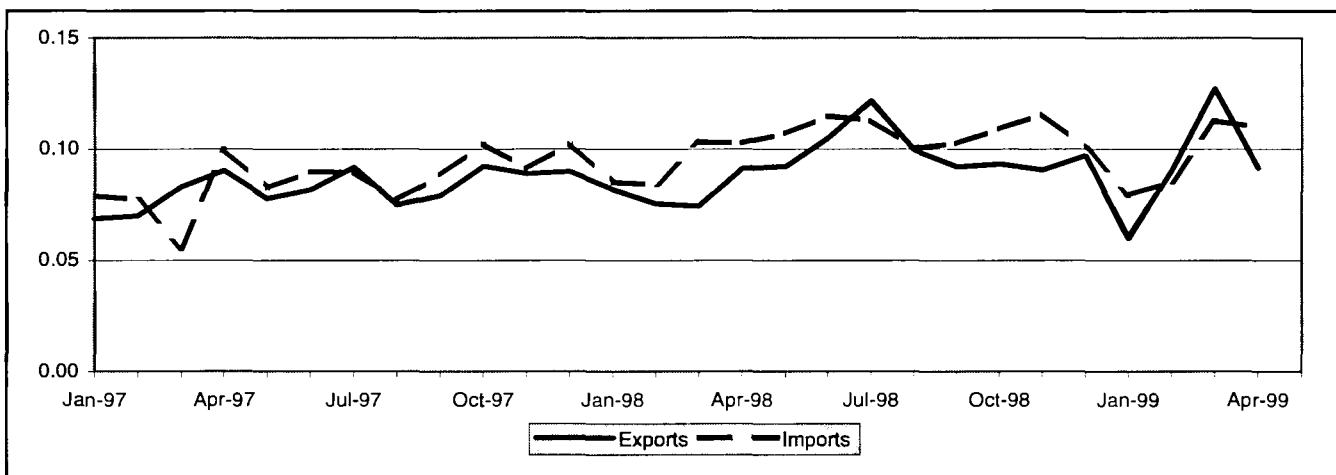
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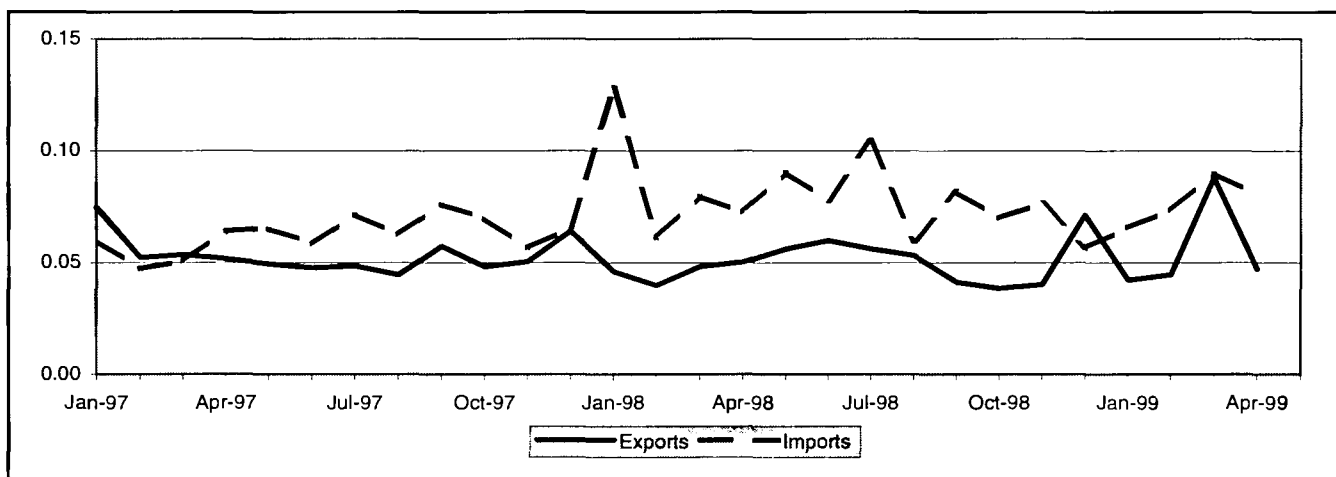
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EU MEMBER STATES (Bn ECU/euro)



EXTRA-EU (Bn ECU/euro)



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

Period	EU-15	Partner													
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
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	-129	-16	-76	4	7	42	36	-26	-41	-62	-11	51	-23	-124	111
1999 Jan-Apr	-18	-4	-20	-13	5	22	4	-9	-17	-10	-4	23	-8	-36	50
1998 Apr	-11	-0	-5	-1	0	1	6	-1	-6	-7	-1	6	-4	-9	10
May	-15	-1	-7	-3	0	3	5	-2	-4	-7	-1	5	-3	-9	9
Jun	-10	-1	-9	-3	0	5	3	-3	-5	-4	-1	11	-1	-11	7
Jul	9	-2	-4	5	1	5	10	-1	-4	-5	-1	5	-1	-13	14
Aug	-1	-3	1	6	1	3	-0	-2	-4	-5	-1	2	-2	-9	13
Sep	-11	-2	-9	1	1	-1	1	-1	-1	-5	-1	3	-2	-13	16
Oct	-16	-1	-10	-6	1	3	5	-1	-2	-5	-1	4	-2	-11	10
Nov	-25	-2	-8	-4	1	4	0	-9	-4	-6	-1	3	-2	-11	14
Dec	-3	-1	-6	2	1	4	1	-2	-2	1	-1	2	-2	-10	9
1999 Jan	-19	-1	-5	-2	1	3	1	-3	-3	-6	-1	2	-2	-9	5
Feb	5	-1	-5	-2	2	6	4	-2	-4	1	-1	3	-1	-7	13
Mar	15	-2	-3	-4	1	6	2	-2	-5	1	-1	9	-3	-9	24
Apr	-18	-1	-7	-5	1	7	-2	-2	-5	-6	-1	9	-2	-12	9

EXTRA EU-15
Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
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	-367	-121	46	-19	8	-24	-30	-50	-29	-8	-5	-1	-52	12
1999 Jan-Apr	-87	-40	10	46	3	-10	-25	-13	-11	-3	-1	2	-16	-2
1998 Apr	-22	-9	3	0	-1	-1	-5	-3	2	-0	-2	-1	-4	0
May	-34	-18	5	-1	-1	-1	5	-4	-5	-1	-1	0	-3	1
Jun	-18	-11	7	2	2	-1	4	-13	-0	-0	-1	0	-5	1
Jul	-48	-10	4	-4	4	-2	-7	-2	-6	-0	-1	1	-4	2
Aug	-6	-5	8	-2	4	-2	-3	-1	-1	-1	-0	1	-4	1
Sep	-40	-8	-0	5	1	-3	-5	-4	-3	-1	0	1	-7	1
Oct	-31	-9	-0	3	0	-4	-5	-2	-6	-1	-2	-2	-5	1
Nov	-37	-13	2	3	-0	-4	-4	-6	-6	-1	-0	1	-4	1
Dec	15	-4	7	27	0	-2	-4	-4	-1	-1	1	0	-4	1
1999 Jan	-23	-3	6	2	1	-1	-12	-1	-2	-0	-1	0	-3	0
Feb	-29	-12	1	6	0	-2	-4	-3	-0	-1	-0	1	-4	-1
Mar	-2	-15	2	37	1	-3	-5	-1	-2	-1	-0	1	-4	-2
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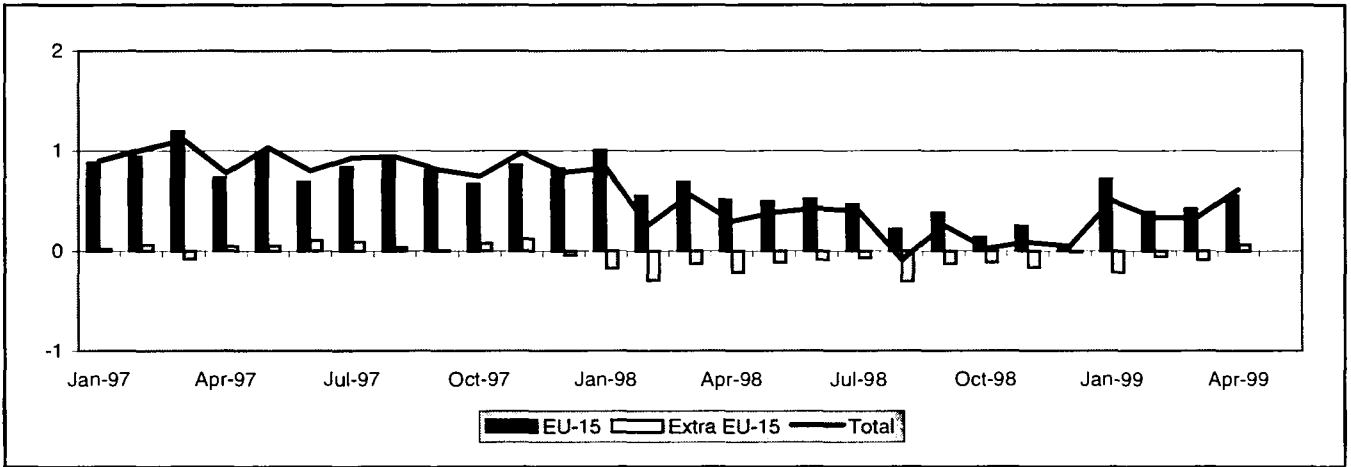
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EXPORTS																
% 1998	100.0	2.3	8.4	23.1	0.7	7.7	10.4	0.6	2.7	6.2	0.2	5.9	1.1	1.4	29.2	
Value (Bn ECU/euro)																
1995	863	24	108	188	11	50	93	2	28	41	2	25	7	18	265	
1996	926	20	107	192	10	58	100	2	28	53	1	38	14	19	283	
1997	988	22	92	213	10	71	103	3	29	55	2	43	19	18	308	
1998	1 114	26	93	257	8	86	116	7	30	70	2	66	13	16	325	
1999 Jan-Apr	369	8	32	67	5	37	33	2	7	27	1	29	3	7	111	
1998 Apr	91	3	7	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	28	
Jun	105	3	6	24	1	10	11	0	3	6	0	13	2	1	26	
Jul	122	3	12	28	1	8	17	1	2	8	0	6	2	1	33	
Aug	100	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	93	2	6	19	1	7	11	1	5	6	0	6	1	1	28	
Nov	91	2	7	16	1	8	9	0	4	5	0	4	1	1	31	
Dec	97	4	8	22	1	8	6	1	4	10	0	3	1	1	28	
1999 Jan	60	2	5	15	1	6	6	0	1	3	0	2	0	1	18	
Feb	90	2	7	15	2	9	9	1	1	9	0	5	1	2	27	
Mar	127	2	14	19	1	11	9	1	2	12	0	11	1	3	41	
Apr	92	2	7	17	1	10	9	0	2	4	0	11	1	1	26	
Annual Variation (%)																
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	12.7	20.3	1.2	20.5	-19.3	21.4	11.9	137.3	3.4	27.5	16.3	52.6	-32.3	-14.1	5.4	
1999 Jan-Apr	14.3	13.4	21.4	-16.1	140.4	33.2	-4.4	-11.7	23.2	46.4	76.7	46.9	-46.6	6.3	28.0	
1999 Jan	-26.6	5.3	-42.8	-33.1	34.0	-23.8	-25.8	-61.2	-35.1	-3.8	216.1	-43.1	-89.4	-61.3	-10.1	
Feb	19.8	74.9	1.6	-23.8	138.8	22.1	23.1	793.4	-0.3	59.4	-29.2	59.4	46.6	86.4	38.6	
Mar	70.9	35.0	199.5	3.8	522.7	46.4	21.1	118.2	68.5	171.8	221.0	111.9	-28.8	119.3	97.1	
Apr	0.2	-18.2	-4.3	-6.3	289.8	115.8	-25.8	-91.2	119.9	-33.4	37.6	48.5	-51.1	-53.4	-4.2	
IMPORTS																
% 1998	100.0	3.4	13.6	20.4	0.1	3.6	6.4	2.6	5.7	10.6	1.1	1.2	2.9	11.3	17.2	
Value (Bn ECU/euro)																
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	1 243	42	170	253	1	44	80	33	71	131	13	15	35	140	214	
1999 Jan-Apr	387	13	52	80	0	15	29	11	24	37	4	6	11	43	62	
1998 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	
Nov	116	4	15	20	0	4	9	9	8	11	1	1	3	12	18	
Dec	100	5	14	20	0	4	5	3	6	9	1	1	3	12	19	
1999 Jan	79	3	9	18	0	2	5	4	4	9	1	1	2	9	13	
Feb	85	3	12	17	0	3	6	3	5	8	1	2	2	9	14	
Mar	113	4	17	23	0	5	7	3	7	11	1	2	4	12	17	
Apr	110	3	13	22	0	4	11	2	7	10	1	2	3	13	17	
Annual Variation (%)																
1995	11.7	9.3	13.9	10.8	-7.2	25.6	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	29.7	-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	20.2	15.0	10.3	20.9	22.3	51.1	35.2	56.4	23.4	14.2	24.4	20.9	22.2	17.5	18.7	
1999 Jan-Apr	3.3	10.4	0.2	10.2	-21.1	15.0	24.4	54.3	7.7	-15.7	10.8	41.7	-14.8	1.0	-5.2	
1999 Jan	-6.6	9.8	-36.6	9.9	1.3	-10.3	1.2	102.1	11.4	-15.7	11.8	-8.7	-19.3	-5.1	-10.4	
Feb	1.7	3.3	0.9	6.3	-42.0	19.6	5.5	50.5	-2.1	-12.8	52.0	40.5	16.4	-7.8	-4.2	
Mar	9.3	7.3	28.9	11.4	-11.0	38.2	2.8	30.6	16.2	-6.6	-5.1	42.9	14.9	7.6	-6.2	
Apr	6.9	20.8	13.9	12.2	-6.1	10.1	87.7	38.1	5.3	-25.8	-2.7	69.2	-43.2	6.9	-0.9	

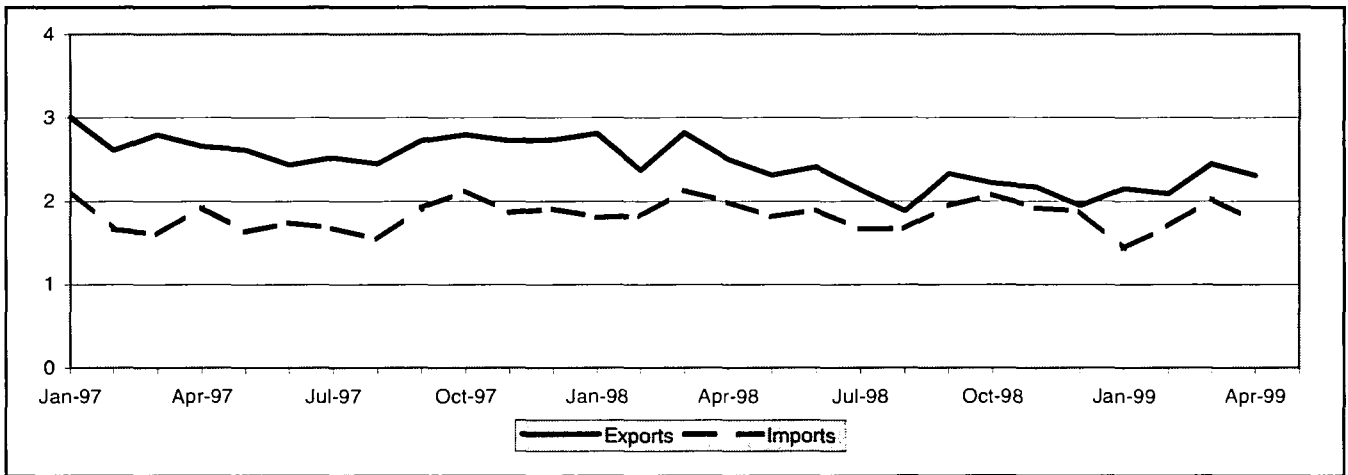
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Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Norway	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
EXPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	13.7	13.2	37.7	4.4	1.1	13.7	2.9	3.2	0.5	1.9	2.1	2.9	2.4
Value (Mio ECU/euro)														
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	600	82	79	226	26	6	82	17	19	3	11	13	18	14
1999 Jan-Apr	222	31	19	114	9	1	24	5	3	0	2	4	6	4
1998 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	60	7	10	18	3	1	14	1	1	0	1	1	1	1
Jul	56	12	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	38	3	2	20	1	0	4	2	0	0	2	1	2	1
Nov	40	3	5	20	1	0	4	1	0	0	1	1	3	1
Dec	71	6	9	44	1	0	3	0	1	0	1	1	1	1
1999 Jan	42	10	7	16	2	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	1	0
Feb	45	6	4	21	2	0	6	0	1	0	0	1	1	1
Mar	88	8	4	57	2	0	7	3	1	0	1	1	2	1
Apr	47	8	2	20	3	0	8	0	0	0	0	1	2	1
Annual Variation (%)														
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	-6.7	-9.0	59.0	-2.7	34.4	-1.0	-24.0	-11.3	-34.1	-47.0	-27.3	11.4	-42.1	6.0
1999 Jan-Apr	20.3	22.6	-26.6	87.3	82.4	-59.7	-6.1	-32.9	-80.8	-54.3	-60.0	7.9	24.0	1.7
1999 Jan	-8.2	37.0	2.8	-18.4	21.9	66.0	29.8	-59.4	-25.7	-61.6	-81.7	-60.3	-19.8	-54.4
Feb	12.2	159.3	17.9	40.9	65.6	-84.6	11.2	-80.5	-75.4	-49.5	-77.1	29.5	-23.8	16.8
Mar	82.1	-7.1	-45.1	491.6	104.7	-68.9	-29.6	32.9	-85.9	130.6	221.0	72.8	163.3	44.2
Apr	-6.6	-1.6	-61.4	21.6	162.4	-56.8	0.4	-56.1	-94.7	-86.8	25.0	3.2	30.5	2.5
IMPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	21.0	3.4	25.4	1.9	3.1	11.6	7.0	5.0	1.2	1.7	1.4	7.2	0.3
Value (Mio ECU/euro)														
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	967	203	33	245	19	30	112	67	48	11	17	14	70	3
1999 Jan-Apr	309	72	9	68	6	11	48	18	13	3	3	2	22	6
1998 Apr	72	17	4	17	2	2	13	4	2	1	2	1	6	0
May	91	24	4	17	2	2	10	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
Nov	77	16	3	17	1	4	8	7	6	1	1	0	7	0
Dec	57	11	2	17	1	3	7	4	1	1	1	1	6	0
1999 Jan	66	12	2	15	1	1	15	2	3	0	1	0	4	0
Feb	73	19	3	15	2	3	9	3	1	1	1	0	6	2
Mar	90	22	2	20	2	3	11	4	3	1	1	1	6	3
Apr	80	18	2	19	1	3	12	9	6	1	1	0	6	0
Annual Variation (%)														
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	29.5	-1.0	-17.0	46.1	1.2	24.6	28.1	118.7	9.1	48.3	85.0	333.6	25.0	11.6
1999 Jan-Apr	-9.6	8.6	-27.0	-40.2	-21.7	25.0	35.2	6.3	12.7	-8.2	-41.6	-70.6	6.7	446.5
1999 Jan	-48.9	-38.5	-53.5	-75.7	-66.0	-13.0	115.5	1.0	-54.5	-20.0	-7.0	107.4	-9.3	-7.5
Feb	20.0	36.8	17.6	14.4	125.6	1.2	41.5	-53.1	107.1	2.1	-26.0	-88.4	11.8	↗
Mar	12.8	45.3	-5.8	-16.8	12.3	38.2	24.5	-0.8	54.9	-7.0	-47.5	-38.7	24.6	868.2
Apr	10.7	8.0	-47.8	11.4	-46.5	67.5	-5.2	114.7	153.7	-13.1	-59.9	-70.6	-1.2	-81.4

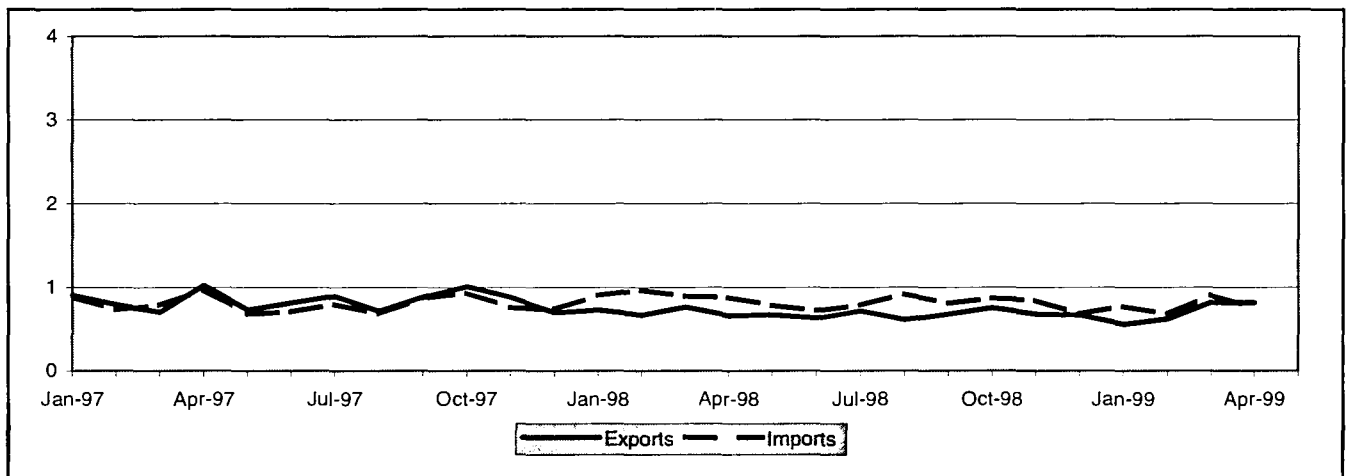
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TRADE BALANCE

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Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	EU-15	Partner													
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
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	5 203	286	-171	-117	146	151	1 841	52	-504	2 098	-166	132	-153	-1 400	3 010
1999 Jan-Apr	2 084	17	-97	246	13	116	703	36	-114	496	-45	85	-77	-379	1 083
1998 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	-133	296
Jun	516	9	-46	7	96	55	119	10	-37	126	-19	24	-9	-170	353
Jul	466	42	-23	-37	1	33	118	-1	-48	188	-12	1	-14	-117	335
Aug	214	3	-31	-62	3	18	88	7	-51	127	-12	-0	-2	-40	166
Sep	383	19	-60	-9	4	27	160	28	-24	162	-20	2	-31	-113	238
Oct	138	4	-12	11	3	26	143	1	-46	133	-19	2	-19	-111	20
Nov	250	15	-47	-24	6	28	157	2	-2	124	-17	22	-39	-91	118
Dec	63	3	-52	-123	5	-5	150	-4	-18	130	-12	27	-7	-137	108
1999 Jan	720	33	-9	115	2	40	163	-0	-19	151	-9	13	-6	-46	293
Feb	391	-8	-6	59	4	19	158	12	-18	93	-11	18	-19	-125	215
Mar	421	8	-53	25	7	22	185	8	-21	126	-13	41	-25	-123	234
Apr	552	-15	-29	47	-0	35	197	16	-55	126	-12	14	-27	-84	340

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Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Iceland	Switzer-land	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterra-nean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
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	-1 815	96	-262	-173	649	-531	-668	38	-315	6	-116	63	-183	-205
1999 Jan-Apr	-303	52	-61	143	228	-237	-90	-9	-114	-1	-27	4	-90	-68
1998 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	2	-24
Jul	-69	6	-18	14	71	-61	-26	3	-42	11	-24	0	5	-28
Aug	-307	8	-23	-13	42	-60	-130	-9	-22	-43	-8	27	1	-57
Sep	-130	8	-20	-53	62	-63	-7	-1	-46	5	-9	1	16	-12
Oct	-115	9	-27	-11	55	-60	-25	9	-54	12	6	4	-7	-19
Nov	-165	10	-30	-88	88	-41	-30	6	-34	4	-10	7	-26	4
Dec	-16	9	-19	-6	37	-36	-21	11	-35	24	-2	7	4	9
1999 Jan	-214	16	-11	-8	42	-51	-31	-5	-42	-0	-3	-4	-86	-22
Feb	-59	6	-17	12	49	-62	-13	-3	-16	2	13	-1	-14	-8
Mar	-90	13	-17	1	43	-66	-9	-6	-23	-1	-3	5	12	-29
Apr	61	17	-16	138	94	-58	-36	4	-32	-1	-34	5	-2	-9

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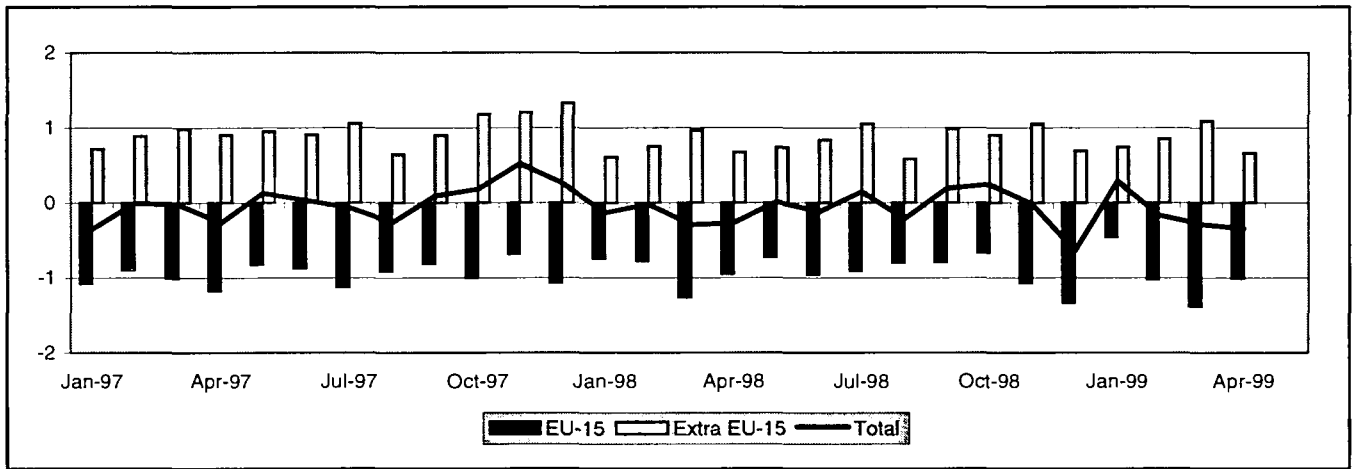
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		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK	
EXPORTS																
% 1998	100.0	3.7	7.4	15.8	0.7	2.9	11.3	1.6	3.1	13.0	0.5	1.3	3.5	12.7	22.6	
Value (Bn ECU/euro)																
1995	24 636	994	1 604	3 807	163	538	2 481	295	875	3 040	139	285	876	3 148	6 391	
1996	29 607	1 222	1 760	4 293	76	737	3 392	343	1 037	4 277	136	273	847	3 572	7 642	
1997	32 036	1 305	2 175	4 234	83	668	3 716	504	1 135	4 817	143	306	893	3 779	8 277	
1998	27 793	1 025	2 049	4 380	185	801	3 148	452	873	3 603	131	364	974	3 524	6 283	
1999 Jan-Apr	8 989	303	616	1 503	29	268	1 147	160	285	1 057	41	165	257	1 158	2 001	
1998 Apr	2 501	89	170	412	7	51	293	62	74	328	12	38	81	314	570	
May	2 310	65	228	351	6	58	246	29	61	281	9	39	103	286	548	
Jun	2 409	75	151	379	99	94	228	39	66	254	10	36	92	273	612	
Jul	2 134	95	134	327	4	70	229	29	58	292	11	23	64	219	581	
Aug	1 880	48	149	300	6	45	185	34	74	242	9	27	87	303	372	
Sep	2 328	87	154	381	7	61	268	58	77	299	10	21	68	332	507	
Oct	2 215	68	203	387	6	61	254	31	69	266	11	23	86	327	421	
Nov	2 166	79	157	358	9	67	278	31	104	256	11	40	56	337	384	
Dec	1 944	76	122	310	8	106	247	29	74	270	9	42	70	232	349	
1999 Jan	2 149	90	145	368	5	70	259	29	61	265	9	26	66	272	484	
Feb	2 087	60	162	357	8	56	268	43	76	236	10	39	67	259	446	
Mar	2 446	90	165	412	11	71	320	43	88	281	13	65	65	325	499	
Apr	2 307	63	145	367	4	71	301	45	60	276	10	34	59	302	572	
Annual Variation (%)																
1995	8.5	20.9	16.5	4.9	120.4	33.0	4.5	-16.8	4.4	9.6	18.6	11.0	0.8	15.0	5.2	
1996	20.2	23.0	9.7	12.8	-53.2	36.9	36.7	16.0	18.5	40.7	-2.5	-4.2	-3.3	13.5	19.6	
1997	8.2	6.7	23.6	-1.4	9.3	-9.4	9.6	47.2	9.4	12.6	5.4	12.2	5.4	5.8	8.3	
1998	-13.2	-21.4	-5.8	3.4	122.8	19.9	-15.3	-10.3	-23.0	-25.2	-8.1	18.9	9.0	-6.7	-24.1	
1999 Jan-Apr	-14.4	-31.0	-18.6	-5.7	-33.1	13.6	-6.0	-8.4	-2.1	-27.6	-20.6	45.1	-27.0	-4.8	-21.5	
1999 Jan	-23.6	-23.9	-25.4	-9.5	-5.7	38.4	-14.8	-10.7	-35.2	-38.7	-21.0	-12.4	-51.6	-17.9	-27.3	
Feb	-11.9	-49.1	-12.6	-4.2	-36.6	0.9	-14.0	-2.4	15.3	-27.3	-35.4	104.1	8.6	-5.2	-12.3	
Mar	-13.1	-20.8	-20.4	2.0	-35.0	-9.7	2.5	21.6	54.1	-25.0	-5.4	146.7	-11.9	8.8	-38.0	
Apr	-7.8	-29.5	-15.0	-11.0	-45.1	38.5	2.7	-28.4	-18.3	-16.0	-18.3	-9.9	-27.1	-3.7	0.3	
IMPORTS																
% 1998	100.0	3.3	9.8	19.9	0.2	2.9	5.8	1.8	6.1	6.7	1.3	1.0	5.0	21.8	14.5	
Value (Bn ECU/euro)																
1995	17 842	723	1 889	3 480	32	469	1 104	380	882	1 113	251	231	985	3 855	2 447	
1996	19 120	691	2 089	3 614	31	382	1 137	366	1 033	1 203	256	229	969	4 608	2 512	
1997	21 703	653	2 210	4 260	36	927	1 280	374	1 175	1 333	320	251	1 017	4 941	2 926	
1998	22 590	739	2 220	4 497	40	650	1 307	401	1 377	1 505	297	232	1 127	4 925	3 273	
1999 Jan-Apr	6 905	285	713	1 257	16	152	444	124	399	561	85	79	334	1 537	918	
1998 Apr	1 988	60	169	380	4	127	114	27	146	116	27	19	97	427	275	
May	1 812	66	141	376	3	38	118	54	97	110	21	15	101	419	252	
Jun	1 893	66	198	372	3	39	110	29	103	128	29	13	101	443	260	
Jul	1 669	52	158	364	3	37	112	30	106	104	23	21	78	335	246	
Aug	1 666	46	180	361	3	27	97	26	124	115	21	27	90	343	206	
Sep	1 945	68	214	391	3	34	108	29	101	137	29	19	99	445	269	
Oct	2 077	65	215	376	3	35	111	31	115	133	30	21	105	438	401	
Nov	1 916	64	204	383	3	39	121	30	106	132	28	18	95	428	266	
Dec	1 880	73	174	434	2	111	97	33	92	141	22	15	77	370	241	
1999 Jan	1 429	57	154	253	4	30	96	29	80	114	17	14	72	319	191	
Feb	1 696	68	167	297	4	37	110	31	94	142	21	21	86	384	232	
Mar	2 025	82	218	386	4	49	135	35	109	155	26	24	90	448	265	
Apr	1 755	78	174	320	4	36	103	29	116	150	21	20	86	386	231	
Annual Variation (%)																
1995	12.8	23.6	11.4	8.9	-4.5	97.2	18.8	40.9	10.7	14.3	10.6	10.3	17.6	12.0	2.8	
1996	7.2	-4.4	10.6	3.8	-1.7	-18.5	2.9	-3.7	17.1	8.1	2.0	-1.0	-1.6	19.5	2.7	
1997	13.5	-5.5	5.8	17.9	15.5	142.7	12.6	2.2	13.8	10.8	24.8	9.6	4.9	7.2	16.5	
1998	4.1	13.2	0.5	5.6	9.6	-30.0	2.1	7.3	17.3	13.0	-7.2	-7.6	10.8	-0.3	11.8	
1999 Jan-Apr	-10.8	19.2	-3.1	-12.5	4.7	-47.6	1.8	-12.1	-26.0	11.0	-9.2	-5.5	-12.8	-10.0	-18.8	
1999 Jan	-20.9	13.1	-11.3	-19.7	58.7	-27.5	0.4	-16.9	-57.9	7.1	-7.4	-20.7	-23.9	-24.4	-21.9	
Feb	-6.7	29.2	-7.8	-11.2	3.8	-13.5	5.6	-28.8	-5.4	14.2	-15.9	-11.3	-2.4	-3.3	-21.6	
Mar	-4.8	8.0	3.0	-5.0	-16.9	-37.9	10.1	-1.9	5.3	-2.1	8.7	1.8	-13.4	-3.2	-16.4	
Apr	-11.7	29.6	2.9	-15.8	0.5	-71.7	-9.5	7.9	-20.6	29.2	-20.1	6.5	-10.9	-9.6	-15.9	

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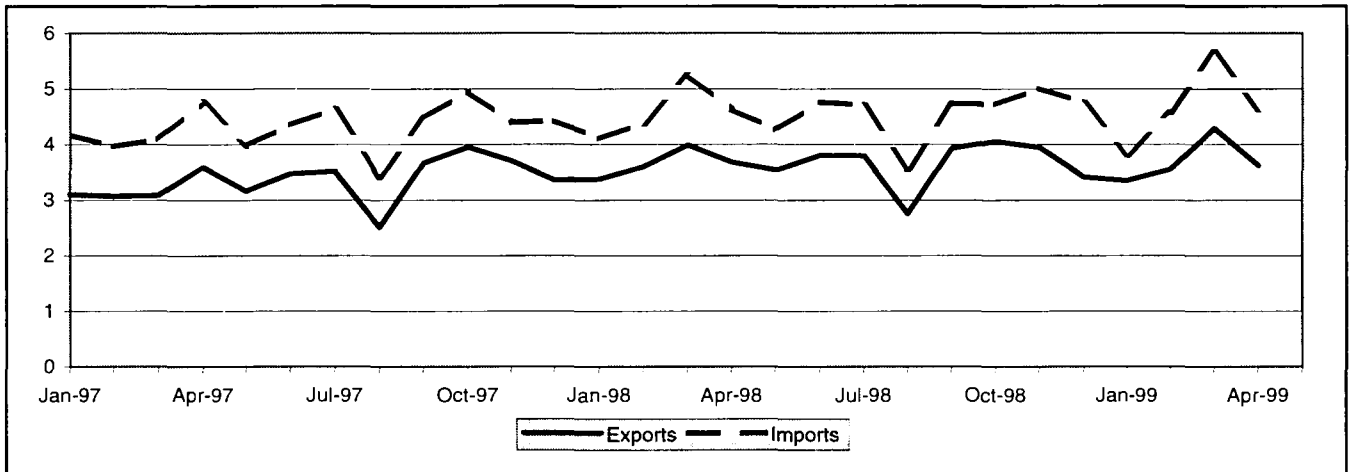
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		Iceland	Switzerland	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
EXPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	2.2	2.2	27.1	14.7	2.7	10.1	8.8	3.3	4.4	4.9	2.5	11.2	2.8
Value (Mio ECU/euro)														
1995	7 267	127	172	1 963	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	8 203	183	183	2 225	1 209	224	826	721	268	363	401	207	917	230
1999 Jan-Apr	2 804	81	58	888	381	41	347	228	53	103	156	52	284	58
1998 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	609	15	11	191	82	15	44	50	18	20	29	35	74	8
Sep	677	15	15	143	120	13	85	66	8	31	39	10	94	17
Oct	753	15	15	203	92	11	112	74	10	34	45	17	87	15
Nov	677	13	15	176	98	20	84	67	14	26	24	17	71	31
Dec	665	13	13	145	88	29	85	66	19	42	36	21	70	25
1999 Jan	555	23	13	142	72	8	70	52	12	24	39	8	56	18
Feb	619	13	13	172	87	7	85	54	12	23	45	13	64	16
Mar	817	21	18	240	100	12	115	61	17	31	58	18	93	14
Apr	813	24	15	334	122	15	77	62	12	24	15	13	71	11
Annual Variation (%)														
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	-18.1	-4.7	-6.5	-15.6	-39.3	-18.3	-2.6	12.1	-19.8	-14.2	-15.8	7.7	-20.0	-5.6
1999 Jan-Apr	-0.4	21.6	-14.8	21.1	-20.7	-53.4	43.5	-2.5	-61.4	-7.2	2.7	-23.4	8.5	-38.4
1999 Jan	-23.6	31.4	-26.1	-31.9	-38.1	-48.9	53.2	14.4	-66.5	-19.2	-23.8	-46.4	-24.6	-50.1
Feb	-7.2	30.4	-27.9	6.5	-28.4	-43.1	58.5	-3.9	-72.5	-1.5	-14.2	-33.4	26.9	15.0
Mar	7.0	-4.8	1.7	18.0	-19.4	-35.7	23.3	-14.9	-49.2	14.3	128.3	-12.1	68.2	-60.1
Apr	23.3	40.5	-5.3	109.2	2.9	-65.3	56.3	0.8	-51.2	-19.0	-37.6	0.3	-13.1	2.7
IMPORTS														
% 1998	100.0	0.9	4.4	23.9	5.6	7.5	14.9	6.8	5.8	3.6	5.2	1.4	11.0	4.3
Value (Mio ECU/euro)														
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	10 017	87	445	2 398	560	756	1 495	683	583	356	517	144	1 099	435
1999 Jan-Apr	3 107	29	119	744	153	278	437	237	166	104	183	48	374	126
1998 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	915	7	34	204	40	75	174	60	40	63	37	8	73	65
Sep	807	7	36	196	58	77	92	67	54	25	48	9	77	29
Oct	867	6	42	215	36	71	137	65	63	21	39	14	94	34
Nov	842	3	45	264	10	61	114	62	47	22	34	9	97	27
Dec	680	5	32	151	50	65	106	55	54	17	38	13	65	16
1999 Jan	769	7	24	149	30	59	102	57	53	25	42	12	142	40
Feb	678	7	30	160	38	69	98	56	28	22	32	14	78	24
Mar	907	8	34	239	56	78	124	66	41	33	61	13	81	42
Apr	752	7	30	196	29	73	113	57	44	25	49	8	73	19
Annual Variation (%)														
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	5.2	-7.6	21.8	14.2	4.1	7.4	10.3	22.2	-11.0	18.3	-1.2	-13.8	-0.3	-32.7
1999 Jan-Apr	-14.5	-9.1	-20.2	-7.1	-32.0	16.7	-26.9	11.0	-8.7	-11.0	4.2	1.8	-18.7	-21.0
1999 Jan	-14.9	41.5	-26.8	-11.2	-51.4	-3.1	-54.9	32.0	51.4	-36.8	-18.7	1.5	81.8	53.1
Feb	-29.5	-6.4	-14.4	-9.3	-18.1	3.8	-19.9	-9.9	-50.8	-12.8	-35.0	19.7	-57.0	-44.9
Mar	1.7	19.3	-20.3	11.0	-9.3	36.1	-1.8	20.7	8.7	21.6	59.9	-4.2	-17.6	-6.2
Apr	-14.3	-44.0	-19.8	-18.9	-47.8	34.1	-8.3	8.7	-16.3	-4.5	31.0	-12.3	-28.6	-56.5

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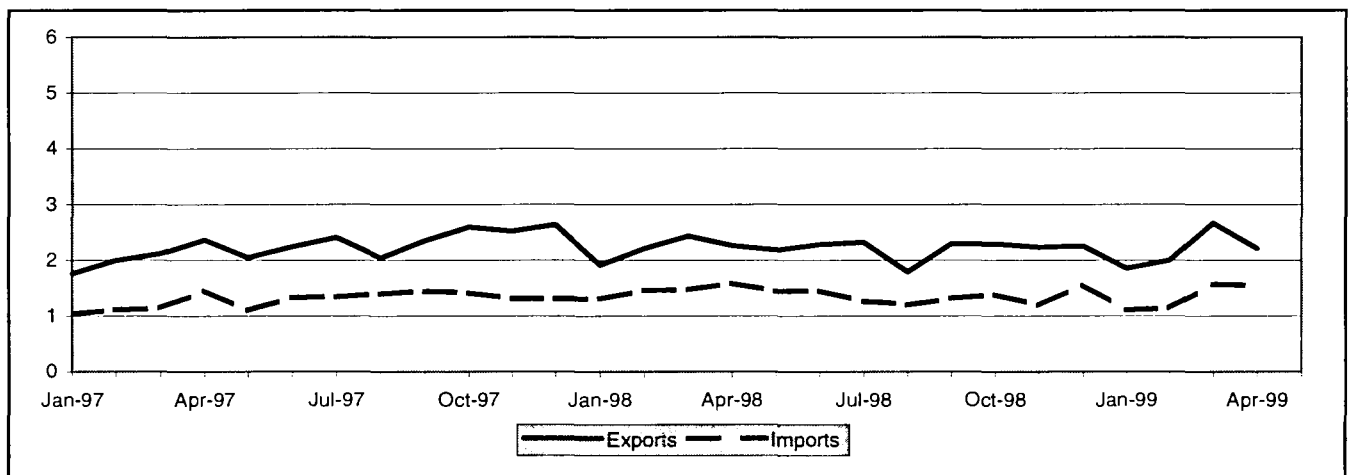
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EU MEMBER STATES (Bn ECU/euro)



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EU-15 MEMBER STATES

Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	EU-15	Partner													
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
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	-10 955	-814	-67	-5 567	498	785	-1 018	-962	-1 482	-1 519	-620	181	-10	-64	-297
1999 Jan-Apr	-3 870	-208	-28	-2 082	140	275	-483	-277	-415	-532	-194	72	-39	-82	-17
1998 Apr	-947	-83	1	-502	51	63	-123	-75	-107	-138	-37	19	7	-14	-8
May	-725	-79	13	-447	45	66	-53	-82	-115	-139	-43	19	8	3	78
Jun	-955	-98	-3	-451	53	64	-40	-108	-145	-145	-77	18	3	-20	-8
Jul	-909	-62	-4	-501	52	73	-52	-69	-212	-102	-34	8	-1	-2	-5
Aug	-798	-55	-5	-508	20	48	-43	-44	-116	-107	-47	6	-7	1	58
Sep	-794	-51	-1	-352	51	82	-128	-108	-118	-151	-75	17	8	-16	50
Oct	-664	-37	-4	-410	36	81	-52	-84	-109	-115	-42	17	-5	7	52
Nov	-1 063	-66	-9	-607	42	64	-151	-100	-126	-109	-60	17	-25	-14	81
Dec	-1 333	-75	-7	-534	26	65	-181	-72	-133	-164	-48	13	-6	11	-228
1999 Jan	-456	-38	-10	-330	27	58	102	-55	-56	-143	-25	11	-8	-11	23
Feb	-1 022	-43	-3	-568	33	74	-204	-51	-102	-149	-60	22	-16	-27	73
Mar	-1 383	-66	-15	-697	45	88	-290	-88	-136	-110	-56	20	-12	-17	-49
Apr	-1 009	-61	1	-487	36	56	-91	-83	-122	-129	-52	20	-4	-27	-64

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Value (Mio ECU/euro)

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Iceland	Norway	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
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	9 851	-12	246	2 636	127	-538	805	1 066	-397	1 650	1 498	804	1 215	-102
1999 Jan-Apr	3 357	-10	49	1 039	14	-136	203	361	-370	472	404	342	753	-28
1998 Apr	678	-1	17	179	36	-33	29	104	45	157	114	-25	62	-14
May	736	16	27	137	3	-25	51	86	35	117	124	101	-18	7
Jun	836	-3	18	291	11	-57	65	99	-57	154	134	95	45	-25
Jul	1 057	-1	19	341	21	-58	87	99	8	161	141	-7	181	-8
Aug	582	-2	24	121	3	-61	52	74	-52	137	112	37	102	-6
Sep	986	-1	26	305	-17	-58	56	76	-72	153	142	69	201	5
Oct	907	-0	16	177	-13	-23	89	79	-54	128	163	91	187	-9
Nov	1 050	-2	27	322	8	-25	72	96	-10	117	126	96	178	-15
Dec	693	-2	13	242	-3	-25	84	66	-331	134	144	90	206	-4
1999 Jan	743	-3	10	251	9	-60	26	80	0	79	76	53	181	-13
Feb	857	-3	14	235	3	-44	86	81	-24	124	94	74	156	1
Mar	1 094	-2	15	323	-11	-26	78	109	-115	168	143	137	215	-5
Apr	663	-2	11	229	14	-6	13	91	-232	100	91	78	201	-11

Period	EU-15	Partner													
		B/L	DK	D	EL	E	F	IRL	I	NL	A	P	FIN	S	UK
EXPORTS															
% 1998	100.0	3.7	1.4	37.0	1.3	4.5	15.4	0.8	12.3	4.7	5.0	1.1	1.1	2.2	9.5
Value (Bn ECU/euro)															
1995	37 851	1 360	705	14 550	357	1 276	5 644	163	4 625	1 633	2 190	431	367	851	3 700
1996	37 286	1 450	621	13 992	357	1 367	5 587	183	4 631	1 611	1 902	440	382	889	3 874
1997	40 150	1 590	623	15 022	419	1 653	6 099	234	5 014	1 759	2 058	466	440	878	3 894
1998	43 859	1 604	628	16 206	572	1 990	6 740	330	5 415	2 058	2 203	496	489	964	4 162
1999 Jan-Apr	14 799	515	198	5 426	166	710	2 361	116	1 901	722	717	178	148	307	1 334
1998 Apr	3 677	136	49	1 322	57	168	564	48	472	161	177	45	38	77	363
May	3 535	139	53	1 237	51	165	527	25	436	157	188	47	39	82	389
Jun	3 804	141	54	1 396	60	173	599	25	479	168	179	46	43	89	353
Jul	3 796	133	46	1 398	58	177	568	34	490	181	199	39	38	65	371
Aug	2 751	107	52	1 111	23	108	402	17	241	139	147	29	33	72	270
Sep	3 932	144	60	1 465	58	173	624	27	467	168	192	42	69	82	361
Oct	4 054	152	58	1 521	43	181	627	29	511	184	212	44	40	88	365
Nov	3 946	131	55	1 482	47	188	607	20	479	202	188	43	39	83	382
Dec	3 414	119	47	1 247	32	174	544	30	417	155	177	36	41	88	308
1999 Jan	3 349	115	44	1 231	33	146	618	19	396	154	169	34	31	66	292
Feb	3 549	131	50	1 285	38	174	547	45	457	168	157	46	35	74	340
Mar	4 285	139	53	1 572	52	212	645	27	565	230	219	52	43	88	386
Apr	3 617	129	51	1 338	43	177	550	24	483	169	172	46	39	80	315
Annual Variation (%)															
1995	5.6	-5.6	16.9	7.2	5.2	11.9	8.5	-29.0	7.4	5.7	5.0	11.4	13.4	4.2	-3.6
1996	-1.5	6.7	-11.9	-3.8	-0.0	7.2	-1.0	12.2	0.1	-1.3	-13.2	1.9	4.0	4.5	4.7
1997	7.7	9.6	0.4	7.4	17.6	20.9	9.2	28.4	8.3	9.2	8.2	6.0	15.4	-1.2	0.5
1998	9.2	0.9	0.7	7.9	36.5	20.4	10.5	40.9	8.0	17.0	7.1	6.5	11.2	9.8	6.9
1999 Jan-Apr	1.1	-4.1	-2.7	1.4	-17.4	9.2	5.2	-6.0	0.2	2.2	-0.5	3.8	0.0	-2.4	-2.1
1999 Jan	-0.7	-7.3	-7.9	-4.3	-10.8	-0.1	18.9	-27.1	-5.5	-0.5	12.2	-10.4	-5.6	-7.5	-8.1
Feb	-1.4	0.9	-9.5	-0.5	-23.6	10.7	-1.6	90.1	-6.8	-3.3	-16.6	7.2	-2.8	-6.8	5.3
Mar	7.5	-5.3	4.3	8.2	-8.4	18.5	6.7	5.3	9.5	6.3	7.3	14.8	3.7	0.4	7.8
Apr	-1.6	-4.6	2.7	1.2	-25.1	5.8	-2.6	-49.0	2.3	5.1	-2.9	1.5	3.7	3.6	-13.2
IMPORTS															
% 1998	100.0	4.4	1.3	39.7	0.1	2.2	14.2	2.4	12.6	6.5	5.2	0.6	0.9	1.9	8.1
Value (Bn ECU/euro)															
1995	48 644	2 162	686	20 569	81	872	6 958	554	6 158	2 784	2 579	337	420	1 098	3 386
1996	48 619	2 166	648	19 337	72	1 038	7 118	696	6 588	2 901	2 443	327	370	994	3 952
1997	51 596	2 466	647	20 246	71	1 087	7 355	1 125	6 577	3 484	2 526	301	377	992	4 342
1998	54 814	2 417	695	21 773	74	1 205	7 759	1 292	6 897	3 578	2 823	315	499	1 028	4 459
1999 Jan-Apr	18 669	723	226	7 508	26	436	2 844	393	2 316	1 253	911	105	187	390	1 351
1998 Apr	4 624	218	49	1 823	7	105	687	123	579	299	214	26	31	91	371
May	4 261	218	40	1 683	5	99	580	107	551	295	231	28	32	79	311
Jun	4 759	239	56	1 847	6	109	639	133	624	312	256	28	40	109	360
Jul	4 706	195	50	1 899	6	103	619	103	702	283	233	31	39	67	376
Aug	3 550	162	57	1 618	4	60	445	61	357	245	195	23	40	71	212
Sep	4 725	195	61	1 817	7	91	752	136	585	319	267	25	61	98	311
Oct	4 719	189	62	1 930	6	100	679	113	621	299	254	27	45	81	313
Nov	5 009	198	64	2 089	5	123	758	120	605	311	248	25	64	97	302
Dec	4 748	195	54	1 781	6	109	725	102	550	319	225	23	47	76	536
1999 Jan	3 804	153	54	1 561	5	89	516	74	452	297	194	23	39	77	269
Feb	4 571	174	53	1 853	6	101	751	97	559	317	218	24	51	101	267
Mar	5 668	206	68	2 268	7	125	935	115	701	340	275	33	55	105	435
Apr	4 626	190	50	1 825	7	122	641	107	605	299	224	26	43	107	379
Annual Variation (%)															
1995	7.5	0.3	8.0	9.9	9.0	8.2	10.9	1.2	9.3	4.4	10.2	17.3	12.2	13.2	-10.5
1996	-0.1	0.2	-5.5	-6.0	-11.3	15.6	2.3	25.8	7.0	4.2	-5.3	-3.0	-11.9	-9.5	16.7
1997	6.1	13.8	-0.3	4.7	-1.4	7.8	3.3	61.6	-0.2	20.1	3.4	-7.9	2.0	-0.1	9.9
1998	6.2	-2.0	7.4	7.5	4.3	10.9	5.5	14.8	4.9	2.7	11.8	4.8	32.3	3.6	2.7
1999 Jan-Apr	1.7	-12.4	-9.9	5.6	-10.4	6.4	10.8	-6.1	0.6	4.8	-0.3	-0.6	41.4	11.5	-22.5
1999 Jan	-7.5	-14.0	-2.2	-1.7	-17.7	-2.6	-10.9	-15.4	-8.2	2.1	-1.1	-5.0	33.2	-1.9	-35.2
Feb	4.6	-11.4	5.6	6.1	-31.6	-0.4	20.1	-10.3	-4.6	17.9	-4.1	-14.3	43.5	19.0	-11.8
Mar	8.0	-11.7	-28.6	16.3	-0.5	10.7	38.7	14.6	8.6	1.3	-0.7	16.6	47.7	10.5	-33.5
Apr	0.0	-12.8	2.3	0.1	12.5	16.1	-6.7	-12.8	4.4	-0.1	4.9	-0.3	39.2	17.2	2.2

EXTRA EU-15

Period	Extra EU-15	Partner												
		Iceland	Norway	USA	Canada	China	Japan	CEEC	CIS	Mediterranean Basin	Latin America	OPEC	DAE	ACP
EXPORTS														
<i>% 1998</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>0.1</i>	<i>1.5</i>	<i>29.2</i>	<i>2.0</i>	<i>1.9</i>	<i>10.2</i>	<i>7.7</i>	<i>1.7</i>	<i>9.7</i>	<i>8.2</i>	<i>6.5</i>	<i>14.8</i>	<i>1.5</i>
Value (Mio ECU/euro)														
1995	24 408	11	316	5 222	480	537	2 427	1 428	344	2 078	1 453	1 861	4 763	308
1996	25 550	18	352	5 714	506	554	2 564	1 555	376	2 446	1 580	1 687	4 788	293
1997	27 014	16	328	7 023	493	570	2 706	1 884	494	2 805	1 908	1 892	5 174	310
1998	26 457	39	408	7 714	538	499	2 705	2 026	451	2 554	2 168	1 712	3 912	389
1999 Jan-Apr	8 723	4	100	2 751	155	193	930	697	79	782	628	533	1 316	103
1998 Apr	2 260	4	32	634	54	47	206	186	59	243	187	133	332	29
May	2 178	21	39	638	43	41	205	158	43	202	179	153	319	29
Jun	2 285	1	34	683	41	38	220	182	45	215	188	165	321	34
Jul	2 320	2	31	678	51	46	237	177	39	231	196	120	371	30
Aug	1 787	1	33	476	30	38	189	141	34	202	165	111	263	29
Sep	2 292	1	39	665	36	36	220	177	27	216	193	132	353	64
Oct	2 295	2	30	723	42	52	237	175	21	198	214	150	312	27
Nov	2 236	1	41	699	49	50	233	178	23	197	178	142	310	36
Dec	2 250	2	28	679	40	56	218	150	35	210	203	148	332	34
1999 Jan	1 852	1	22	585	32	32	198	155	15	169	122	95	314	21
Feb	1 999	1	26	630	38	39	235	161	17	190	146	115	274	24
Mar	2 663	1	29	834	43	60	289	204	25	250	210	190	378	35
Apr	2 210	1	24	702	42	62	209	177	22	173	150	133	351	24
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	4.9	-5.3	7.7	-0.5	22.1	1.9	8.7	16.8	-7.8	9.9	-7.4	9.4	2.7	-7.4
1996	4.7	61.9	11.4	9.4	5.3	3.0	5.6	8.9	9.2	17.7	8.7	-9.4	0.5	-4.9
1997	5.7	-13.5	-6.8	22.9	-2.6	3.0	5.5	21.1	31.6	14.7	20.8	12.2	8.1	5.9
1998	-2.1	147.4	24.4	9.8	9.2	-12.6	-0.0	7.5	-8.7	-9.0	13.6	-9.5	-24.4	25.5
1999 Jan-Apr	-1.1	-48.3	-24.4	11.1	-24.3	36.7	-1.8	1.2	-56.7	-11.3	-3.8	-9.8	-1.0	-3.1
1999 Jan	-3.2	-17.3	-28.2	3.4	-12.8	4.7	-7.5	6.4	-45.7	-10.5	-1.0	-19.4	11.7	-17.3
Feb	-9.5	-33.6	-16.8	4.7	-22.9	31.5	-17.4	-7.8	-57.2	-6.5	-9.7	-25.6	-18.9	-4.7
Mar	9.4	-30.6	-26.5	23.7	-33.2	79.7	18.7	11.9	-55.9	1.4	16.1	2.5	-0.2	25.7
Apr	-2.2	-71.4	-25.8	10.8	-23.0	30.6	1.5	-4.7	-62.3	-28.9	-19.8	-0.1	5.7	-17.8
IMPORTS														
<i>% 1998</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>0.3</i>	<i>1.0</i>	<i>30.6</i>	<i>2.5</i>	<i>6.2</i>	<i>11.4</i>	<i>5.8</i>	<i>5.1</i>	<i>5.4</i>	<i>4.0</i>	<i>5.5</i>	<i>16.2</i>	<i>3.0</i>
Value (Mio ECU/euro)														
1995	12 481	38	179	3 912	248	696	1 931	641	349	901	647	723	1 596	308
1996	13 029	34	159	4 423	263	768	1 663	656	265	1 036	606	904	1 629	413
1997	15 366	50	147	5 598	261	950	1 872	750	693	975	587	1 079	1 699	446
1998	16 606	51	161	5 078	411	1 037	1 900	960	848	904	670	908	2 697	491
1999 Jan-Apr	5 366	14	51	1 712	141	329	728	336	449	310	223	191	563	131
1998 Apr	1 582	4	15	454	18	81	177	82	14	87	74	158	270	43
May	1 442	5	12	501	40	66	154	72	8	84	55	52	336	21
Jun	1 449	4	16	392	30	95	155	82	102	61	54	70	276	59
Jul	1 264	3	11	337	31	105	150	78	31	70	55	126	190	38
Aug	1 204	3	10	355	27	99	137	67	86	65	53	74	161	34
Sep	1 306	2	13	361	53	95	164	101	98	63	51	63	152	59
Oct	1 387	2	14	545	56	75	149	96	75	71	51	60	126	37
Nov	1 186	3	14	377	42	75	161	82	33	80	51	46	132	51
Dec	1 556	4	15	438	44	80	134	83	366	77	58	58	126	39
1999 Jan	1 109	3	12	334	23	93	172	75	15	90	45	42	133	34
Feb	1 141	4	11	394	35	83	148	80	42	66	52	41	118	22
Mar	1 569	4	14	511	54	85	211	95	139	82	67	54	163	40
Apr	1 547	3	13	473	28	68	196	87	254	73	59	54	149	35
Annual Variation (%)														
1995	4.3	33.4	10.3	3.5	33.4	-1.4	0.0	31.6	4.5	-0.3	11.5	4.9	3.4	6.4
1996	4.4	-11.2	-11.0	13.1	6.2	10.4	-13.9	2.4	-24.1	15.0	-6.3	25.0	2.1	33.9
1997	17.9	47.7	-7.6	26.6	-0.8	23.7	12.6	14.3	161.5	-5.9	-3.2	19.3	4.3	8.1
1998	8.1	2.8	9.8	-9.3	57.4	9.2	1.5	27.9	22.4	-7.3	14.3	-15.8	58.7	9.9
1999 Jan-Apr	-7.7	-43.1	-10.1	-3.6	54.9	-5.0	4.7	12.7	749.1	-7.1	-7.4	-46.2	-52.9	-14.5
1999 Jan	-15.0	-59.1	-1.7	-29.5	64.5	-10.9	2.8	20.3	29.6	-4.6	-18.2	-34.3	-25.6	33.7
Feb	-21.8	-34.2	-12.3	6.9	10.8	-6.9	4.8	13.2	234.4	-17.8	17.2	-42.6	-74.4	-56.3
Mar	6.8	-48.2	-10.7	6.8	105.1	17.5	0.8	13.5	815.3	11.5	-1.6	-13.4	-43.0	17.4
Apr	-2.3	-15.7	-14.1	4.0	52.8	-15.7	10.8	5.8	↗	-15.8	-19.4	-65.6	-44.7	-18.2



Annexes



ECU/EURO EXCHANGE RATE

Periods	Belg.-Lux.	Denmark	Germany	Greece	Spain	France	Ireland	Italy	Netherlands
	1 ECU/euro =	1 ECU/euro =	1 ECU/euro =	1 ECU/euro =	1 ECU/euro =	1 ECU/euro =	1 ECU/euro =	1 ECU/euro =	1 ECU/euro =
	... BEF	... DKK	... DEM	... GRD	... ESP	... FRF	... IEP	... ITL	... NLG
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
1998	40.621	7.499	1.969	330.731	167.184	6.601	0.786	1 943.650	2.220
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
Dec	40.373	7.447	1.957	328.824	166.539	6.564	0.788	1 938.150	2.206
1999 Jan	40.340	7.441	1.956	323.560	166.386	6.560	0.788	1 936.270	2.204
Feb	40.340	7.435	1.956	321.982	166.386	6.560	0.788	1 936.270	2.204
Mar	40.340	7.432	1.956	322.496	166.386	6.560	0.788	1 936.270	2.204
Apr	40.340	7.433	1.956	325.528	166.386	6.560	0.788	1 936.270	2.204
May	40.340	7.433	1.956	325.209	166.386	6.560	0.788	1 936.270	2.204

Periods	Austria	Portugal	Finland	Sweden	United Kingdom	Iceland	Norway	Switzerland	USA	Japan
	1 ECU/euro =	1 ECU/euro =	1 ECU/euro =	1 ECU/euro =	1 ECU/euro =	1 ECU/euro =	1 ECU/euro =	1 ECU/euro =	1 ECU/euro =	1 ECU/euro =
	... ATS	... PTE	... FIM	... SEK	... GBP	... ISK	... NOK	... CHF	... USD	... JPY
1994	:	196.898	:	:	0.776	83.106	8.374	:	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
1998	13.855	201.695	5.983	8.916	0.676	79.698	8.466	1.622	1.121	146.415
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
Dec	13.771	200.694	5.951	9.450	0.702	81.677	8.913	1.594	1.172	137.358
1999 Jan	13.760	200.482	5.946	9.083	0.703	80.626	8.651	1.606	1.161	131.349
Feb	13.760	200.482	5.946	8.908	0.689	79.594	8.650	1.598	1.121	130.778
Mar	13.760	200.482	5.946	8.940	0.671	78.572	8.506	1.595	1.088	130.199
Apr	13.760	200.482	5.946	8.914	0.665	78.242	8.319	1.602	1.070	128.160
May	13.760	200.482	5.946	8.972	0.658	78.418	8.235	1.603	1.063	129.714

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

<p>1110: Intra EU-15 Member States of the European Union 001 + 002 + 003 + 004 + 005 + 006 + 007 + 008 + 009 + 010 + 011 + 030 + 032 + 038 + 5910</p>	<p>1031: ACP ³ 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>1811: Extra EU-15 Grand total less European Union 5190 + 5200 + 5300 + 5400 + 5500 + 5920</p>	
<p>1021: EFTA Countries of the European Free Trade Association 024 + 028 + 037 + 039</p>	
<p>1820: OECD , excluding EU ¹ 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>1051: Mediterranean Basin 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>1120: CEEC ² Countries of Central and Eastern Europe 053 + 054 + 055 + 060 + 061 + 063 + 064 + 066 + 068 + 070 + 091 + 092 + 093 + 094 + 096</p>	<p>1310: NAFTA Countries of the North American Free Trade Agreement 400 + 404 + 412</p>
<p>1815: CIS Commonwealth of Independent States 072 + 073 + 074 + 075 + 076 + 077 + 078 + 079 + 080 + 081 + 082 + 083</p>	<p>1058: Latin America 412 + 416 + 424 + 428 + 432 + 436 + 442 + 448 + 452 + 456 + 480 + 484 + 500 + 504 + 508 + 512 + 516 + 520 + 524 + 528</p>
<p>1053: OPEC Member States of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries 208 + 216 + 288 + 314 + 484 + 612 + 616 + 632 + 636 + 644 + 647 + 700</p>	<p>1330: MERCOSUR Countries of the South Cone common market (in South America) 508 + 520 + 524 + 528</p>
	<p>1415: Dynamic Asian Economies (DAE) 680 + 701 + 706 + 728 + 736 + 740</p>

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

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