



Foreign trade



IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY SECTOR OF ACTIVITY

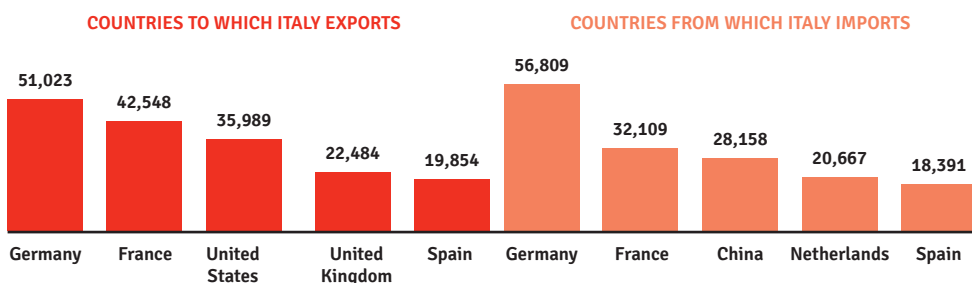
Years 2014 and 2015, absolute values in millions of euros

Sectors of activity	2014		2015*	
	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports
Products of agriculture, forestry and fishing	12,959	5,936	13,721	6,604
Mining and quarrying products	48,254	1,178	39,170	1,157
Food, beverages and tobacco	28,958	28,395	29,076	30,253
Textiles, clothing, leather and accessories	28,770	47,235	30,357	48,023
Wood and wood products; paper and printing	9,455	8,005	9,974	8,328
Coke and refined petroleum products	10,167	14,057	7,328	12,455
Chemicals and chemical products	34,295	25,977	35,109	27,028
Pharmaceutical, medicinal chemical and botanical products	19,827	20,933	22,106	21,872
Rubber and plastics products and other non-metallic mineral products	12,339	23,787	12,958	24,771
Basic metals and fabricated metal products excluding machinery and equipments	36,012	44,623	37,989	43,711
Computer, electronic and optical equipment	23,041	12,091	25,303	13,417
Electrical equipment	13,617	20,829	15,425	21,938
Machinery and equipment n.e.c.	23,893	74,142	25,969	75,767
Transport equipment	32,158	40,061	39,073	45,137
Other manufactured products	11,324	22,638	12,736	24,324
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	1,926	187	2,264	272
Other products n.e.c.	9,946	8,798	10,158	8,823
TOTAL	356,939	398,870	368,715	413,881

* provisional data

ITALY'S MAIN TRADING PARTNERS

Year 2015*, absolute values in millions of euros



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FOREIGN TRADE STATISTICS: are based on the results of the surveys on Italian trade with EU and non-EU countries. The former, in accordance with the Intrastat system (introduced in January 1993), is carried out on a monthly basis with quarterly and yearly integrations. Data are provided directly by competent Custom offices.

The survey on Italian trade with non-EU countries, based on custom declarations (single administrative document), is carried out on a monthly basis.