

Quarterly National Accounts

II quarter 2018

In the second quarter of 2018 the seasonally and calendar adjusted, chained volume measure of Gross Domestic Product (GDP) was estimated to have increased by 0.2 per cent with respect to the first quarter of 2018 and by 1.2 per cent in comparison with the second quarter of 2017.

Compared to the first quarter of 2018, final consumption expenditure increased by 0.1 per cent, gross fixed capital formation by 2.9 per cent and imports by 1.8 per cent, while exports decreased by 0.2 per cent.

With respect to the second quarter of 2017, final consumption expenditure increased by 0.7 per cent, gross fixed capital formation by 6.2 per cent, imports by 2.1 per cent and exports by 0.9 per cent.

GDP and expenditure components

(seasonally adjusted, chain-linked volumes 2010=100). II quarter 2018

AGGREGATE	CHAINED VOLUMES IN MILLION OF EURO	Percentage changes	
		II quarter 2018 to I quarter 2018	II quarter 2018 to II quarter 2017
Gross Domestic Product	402,976	+0.2	+1.2
Imports	120,412	+1.8	+2.1
Final Consumption Expenditure	321,330	+0.1	+0.7
- Households final consumption expenditure and NPISH	242,525	+0.1	+0.9
- Government final consumption expenditure	78,679	+0.1	+0.1
Gross Fixed Capital Formation	74,445	+2.9	+6.2
- Dwellings	18,024	+0.3	+2.2
- Other buildings and structures	14,928	+0.3	+2.0
- Machinery and equipment and weapon systems	29,831	+7.5	+15.6
- Transport equipment	8,070	+9.2	+25.2
- Cultivated biological resources	151	0.0	-1.9
- Intellectual resources	11,594	-1.1	-3.3
Changes in inventories, including valuables	-	-	-
Exports	126,871	-0.2	+0.9

For more details please refer to the Italian version at <http://www.istat.it/it/archivio/conti+trimestrali>
 Quarterly national accounts are available at <http://dati.istat.it/?lang=en>

Previous quarterly GDP publication dates

GDP preliminary estimate: 31 July 2018 (II quarter 2018)
 Quarterly National Accounts: 1 June 2018 (I quarter 2018)

Next quarterly GDP publication dates

Quarterly National Accounts: 3 October 2018 (II quarter 2018)
 GDP preliminary estimate: 30 October 2018 (III quarter 2018)

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