



Preliminary data

**Foreign trade turnover of goods in total and by countries ¹
in January - August 2017**

From January to August of 2017, exports at current prices amounted to PLN 562 515.7 mln, while imports amounted to PLN 558 742.4 mln. The positive balance reached the level of PLN 3 773.3 mln, while in the previous year PLN 12 403.4 mln. In comparison to the corresponding period of the 2016, exports increased by 7.7% and imports by 9.6%.

Specification	I – VIII 2017						2016	2017
	mln PLN	mln USD	mln EUR	I – VIII 2016 = 100			I – VIII	
				PLN	USD	EUR	structure %	
Exports	562 515.7	142 803.2	131 359.8	107.7	106.8	109.5	100.0	100.0
Developed countries.....	486 004.7	123 330.2	113 478.0	107.5	106.6	109.3	86.5	86.4
of which EU ²	446 657.5	113 329.5	104 286.2	107.0	106.1	108.7	79.9	79.4
of which euro-zone ³	319 241.0	80 995.3	74 535.3	107.7	106.8	109.4	56.8	56.8
Developing countries.....	43 170.7	10 968.8	10 083.9	100.5	99.7	102.2	8.2	7.7
Countries of Central and Eastern Europe ⁴	33 340.3	8 504.2	7 797.9	121.8	121.5	124.2	5.3	5.9
Imports⁵	558 742.4	141 907.0	130 493.5	109.6	108.8	111.4	100.0	100.0
Developed countries.....	375 929.5	95 476.9	87 806.5	107.4	106.6	109.2	68.6	67.3
of which EU ²	333 863.0	84 770.9	77 975.0	106.0	105.2	107.8	61.8	59.8
of which euro-zone ³	267 163.9	67 851.6	62 401.3	105.7	104.9	107.5	49.5	47.8
Developing countries.....	137 925.3	35 036.3	32 208.8	111.4	110.8	113.4	24.3	24.7
Countries of Central and Eastern Europe ⁴	44 887.6	11 393.8	10 478.2	123.8	122.8	125.6	7.1	8.0
Balance	3 773.3	896.2	866.3	X	X	X	X	X
Developed countries.....	110 075.2	27 853.3	25 671.5	X	X	X	X	X
of which EU ²	112 794.5	28 558.6	26 311.2	X	X	X	X	X
of which euro-zone ³	52 077.1	13 143.7	12 134.0	X	X	X	X	X
Developing countries.....	-94 754.6	-24 067.5	-22 124.9	X	X	X	X	X
Countries of Central and Eastern Europe ⁴	-11 547.3	-2 889.6	-2 680.3	X	X	X	X	X

Exports expressed in USD amounted to 142 803.2 mln while imports amounted to USD 141 907.0 mln (an increase in exports of 6.8% and in imports of 8.8%). The positive balance reached the level of USD 896.2 mln (against USD 3 197,6 mln in 2016).

Exports expressed in EUR amounted to 131 359.8 mln while imports amounted to EUR 130 493.5 mln (an increase in exports of 9.5% and in imports of 11.4%). The positive balance reached the level of EUR 866.3 mln compared to EUR 2 853.9 mln in the same period in 2016.

Foreign trade turnover by major countries

Specification	I – VIII 2017						2016	2017
	mIn PLN	mIn USD	mIn EUR	I – VIII 2016 = 100			I – VIII	
				PLN	USD	EUR	structure %	
EXPORTS								
1. Germany	154 089.9	39 109.0	35 977.1	107.6	106.7	109.3	27.4	27.4
2. Czech Republic	35 865.4	9 104.9	8 375.4	103.2	102.4	104.9	6.7	6.4
3. United Kingdom	35 856.0	9 089.2	8 368.0	104.3	103.2	105.9	6.6	6.4
4. France	31 190.2	7 899.6	7 278.8	104.9	103.8	106.5	5.7	5.5
5. Italy	27 739.6	7 028.7	6 475.3	110.6	109.4	112.3	4.8	4.9
6. Netherlands	25 030.2	6 344.5	5 841.5	110.3	109.3	112.0	4.3	4.4
7. Russia	17 198.8	4 393.6	4 024.4	118.2	118.1	120.6	2.8	3.1
8. United States	15 576.9	3 965.2	3 641.1	125.9	125.4	128.3	2.4	2.8
9. Sweden	15 497.0	3 933.3	3 618.9	103.8	103.0	105.5	2.9	2.8
10. Hungary	15 070.2	3 826.2	3 519.5	109.6	108.7	111.4	2.6	2.7
IMPORTS⁵								
1. Germany	128 447.5	32 642.6	30 005.1	106.7	106.0	108.5	23.6	23.0
2. China	66 022.3	16 772.5	15 415.1	109.8	109.2	111.7	11.8	11.8
3. Russia	36 058.1	9 144.4	8 414.0	124.3	123.2	126.1	5.7	6.5
4. Italy	28 856.6	7 325.4	6 740.2	99.7	98.8	101.3	5.7	5.2
5. France	21 779.0	5 524.2	5 085.0	105.3	104.4	107.0	4.1	3.9
6. Netherlands	21 270.7	5 396.7	4 967.5	110.5	109.6	112.3	3.8	3.8
7. Czech Republic	19 839.7	5 026.5	4 630.7	109.2	108.1	110.9	3.6	3.6
8. United States	16 724.4	4 263.8	3 911.1	116.3	116.0	118.4	2.8	3.0
9. Belgium	14 659.7	3 719.1	3 422.4	109.2	108.2	111.0	2.6	2.6
10. United Kingdom	13 030.0	3 306.2	3 042.0	98.7	97.9	100.3	2.6	2.3

Imports by country of consignment⁶ in total and by groups of countries¹

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	mIn PLN	mIn USD	mIn EUR	I – VIII 2016 = 100			I – VIII	
				PLN	USD	EUR	structure %	
Imports⁶	558 742.4	141 907.0	130 493.5	109.6	108.8	111.4	100.0	100.0
Developed countries.....	424 172.2	107 724.9	99 070.4	107.5	106.6	109.2	77.4	75.9
of which EU ²	396 530.5	100 679.8	92 607.5	106.7	105.9	108.5	72.9	71.0
of which euro-zone ³	322 524.2	81 906.9	75 328.1	107.1	106.2	108.8	59.1	57.7
Developing countries.....	88 811.2	22 569.0	20 743.3	114.1	113.5	116.1	15.3	15.9
Countries of Central and Easter Europe ⁴	45 759.0	11 613.1	10 679.8	122.5	121.5	124.3	7.3	8.2
Balance	3 773.3	896.2	866.3	X	X	X	X	X
Developed countries.....	61 832.5	15 605.3	14 407.6	X	X	X	X	X
of which EU ²	50 127.0	12 649.7	11 678.7	X	X	X	X	X
of which euro-zone ³	-3 283.2	-911.6	-792.8	X	X	X	X	X
Developing countries.....	-45 640.5	-11 600.2	-10 659.4	X	X	X	X	X
Countries of Central and Easter Europe ⁴	-12 418.7	-3 108.9	-2 881.9	X	X	X	X	X

Imports by major countries by country of consignment⁶

Specification	I – VIII 2017						2016	2017
	mln PLN	mln USD	mln EUR	I – VIII 2016 = 100			I – VIII	
				PLN	USD	EUR	structure %	
1. Germany	154 902.5	39 350.2	36 180.3	107.1	106.3	108.9	28.4	27.7
2. China	40 690.9	10 335.8	9 500.5	113.4	112.8	115.4	7.0	7.3
3. Russia	36 206.2	9 183.7	8 448.3	121.6	120.4	123.3	5.8	6.5
4. Netherlands.....	33 298.8	8 452.5	7 776.9	111.1	110.2	112.9	5.9	6.0
5. Italy.....	29 134.0	7 394.8	6 804.4	101.9	101.0	103.6	5.6	5.2
6. France	23 369.7	5 924.8	5 455.2	106.3	105.4	108.1	4.3	4.2
7. Czech Republic	22 037.2	5 583.6	5 143.5	108.0	106.9	109.7	4.0	3.9
8. Belgium	21 271.3	5 404.0	4 968.0	112.0	111.1	113.8	3.7	3.8
9. United Kingdom.....	15 007.2	3 810.8	3 504.4	104.1	103.3	105.8	2.8	2.7
10. Slovakia.....	13 593.5	3 447.5	3 173.2	97.0	96.1	98.5	2.7	2.4

¹ **Collection of data on foreign trade turnover is open. Data published formerly is updated according to new customs documentation and INTRASTAT declarations.**

² *Trade turnover with EU countries covers: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Cyprus, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Latvia, Malta, Netherlands, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden and United Kingdom.*

³ *Trade turnover with euro-zone countries covers: Austria, Belgium, Cyprus, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia and Spain.*

⁴ *Trade turnover with Central and Eastern European countries covers: Albania, Belarus, Moldova, Russia and Ukraine.*

⁵ **Country of origin** is the country where the commodity was produced or processed and in this form entered the Polish customs zone.

⁶ **Country of consignment** is the country from which the goods were introduced into the Polish territory irrespective of their origin.

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