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External trade statistics

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Indices of average prices of external trade of Serbia, November 2006. - By current exchange rate, USD -

1. Indices of values, unit values and physical volume

	January - November									
	exports			imports			terms of trade			
	indices		sample/ total %	indices						
	value	unit value		value	unit value	physical volume				
Total	144,8	105,5	137,2	94,3	124,1	101,9	121,8	95,3	103,5	

	By sections of SITC, rev.3									
	value	unit value	physical volume	sample/ total %	value	unit value	physical volume	sample/ total %	value	unit value
Total	144,8	105,5	137,2	94,3	124,1	101,9	121,8	95,3	103,5	
Food and live animals	141,3	103,6	136,4	96,1	103,6	100,3	103,3	89,1	103,3	
Beverages and tobacco	201,4	94,7	212,6	95,6	132,0	99,5	132,6	91,7	95,2	
Raw materials, except fuels	140,3	108,6	129,1	96,2	135,6	107,9	125,7	98,8	100,7	
Mineral fuels and lubricants	251,0	105,7	237,5	65,3	122,9	113,1	108,7	97,7	93,4	
Animal and vegetable oils and fats	65,9	113,9	57,8	99,0	215,3	76,3	282,1	98,8	149,3	
Chemicals	134,3	106,5	126,0	98,1	125,5	97,4	128,9	95,3	109,3	
Manufactured goods classified by materials	148,6	110,1	134,9	96,2	126,1	106,3	118,6	98,1	103,6	
Machinery and transport equipment	156,4	98,1	159,4	87,3	124,7	94,7	131,7	91,7	103,6	
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	133,4	101,0	132,1	96,6	125,7	100,0	125,7	96,2	101,0	
Commodities and transactions, n.e.s.	81,3	106,2	76,6	98,8	45,0	31,3	143,5	99,8	338,6	

By produce, processing degree

	By produce, processing degree									
	value	unit value	physical volume	sample/ total %	value	unit value	physical volume	sample/ total %	value	unit value
Total	144,8	105,5	137,2	94,3	124,1	101,9	121,8	95,3	103,5	
Crude articles	152,9	111,8	136,8	93,6	119,1	117,7	101,2	97,6	95,0	
Simply transformed articles	151,2	112,1	134,8	94,0	132,8	104,0	127,7	96,0	107,9	
More elaborately transformed articles	139,5	100,4	138,9	94,6	123,2	96,6	127,5	94,3	103,9	

By economic destination²⁾

	By economic destination ²⁾									
	value	unit value	physical volume	sample/ total %	value	unit value	physical volume	sample/ total %	value	unit value
Total	144,8	105,5	137,2	94,3	124,1	101,9	121,8	95,3	103,5	
Capital goods	148,6	93,8	158,4	82,7	124,0	93,2	133,1	87,1	100,7	
Intermediate goods	145,0	108,2	134,0	94,6	123,5	105,9	116,6	96,6	102,2	
Consumer goods	143,4	101,4	141,4	96,0	126,3	97,1	129,9	97,6	104,4	

¹⁾ Index is bigger than 1000.

²⁾ By principle of prevalence used in SNA.

2. Indices of values, unit values and physical volume by classification of activities (production principle)

	January - November									
	exports			imports			sample/ total %	terms of trade		
	indices		sample/ total %	indices						
	value	unit value	value	unit value	physical volume					
Total	144,8	105,5	137,2	94,3	124,1	101,9	121,8	95,3	103,5	
Agriculture,hunting and forestry	153,2	110,7	138,5	95,4	93,3	100,8	92,6	80,3	109,8	
Agriculture,hunting and services	154,8	110,6	140,0	95,4	86,8	98,5	88,1	78,5	112,2	
Forestry,logging and services	127,1	112,5	113,0	95,2	225,8	122,6	184,2	97,8	91,8	
Fishing	55,6	69,1	80,4	66,1	127,6	108,4	117,7	95,9	63,8	
Fishing,fish farms and services	55,6	69,1	80,4	66,1	127,6	108,4	117,7	95,9	63,8	
Mining and quarrying	148,6	125,8	118,1	90,3	121,8	120,2	101,3	99,9	104,6	
Coal mining	76,6	92,8	82,5	97,3	114,9	99,7	115,3	100,0	93,1	
Extractions of crude petroleum and gas,services	*1)	102,8	*1)	85,0	118,3	123,2	96,0	99,9	83,4	
Metal ores mining	145,9	184,1	79,3	99,1	148,8	111,1	133,9	100,0	165,7	
Other mining and quarrying	136,0	97,3	139,7	74,0	107,6	103,6	103,9	99,3	93,9	
Manufacturing	144,7	105,2	137,6	95,5	126,0	98,8	127,4	95,3	106,4	
Food products and beverages	136,0	100,5	135,3	96,8	125,5	96,1	130,5	94,7	104,5	
Tobacco products	386,9	164,8	234,8	68,7	114,6	101,2	113,3	98,8	162,8	
Textile yarns and textiles	140,1	102,0	137,4	97,1	124,8	98,3	127,0	97,6	103,8	
Clothes and fur	118,0	102,6	115,0	93,9	146,3	109,1	134,0	97,7	94,0	
Leather and leather products,footwear	134,1	107,0	125,3	97,8	133,7	103,5	129,2	98,2	103,4	
Wood,wood products and cork	130,8	100,8	129,8	82,0	133,9	107,1	124,9	98,5	94,1	
Pulp,paper and paper products	159,9	78,1	204,7	98,7	117,9	104,5	112,8	99,8	74,8	
Publishing,printing and reproduction	162,0	99,1	163,4	89,0	122,8	93,8	130,9	88,2	105,6	
Coke and refined petroleum products	300,9	104,6	287,7	96,3	138,3	93,3	148,2	100,0	112,1	
Chemicals and chemical products	131,0	107,1	122,2	97,9	124,5	97,9	127,1	95,1	109,4	
Rubber and plastic products	122,9	105,0	117,0	99,7	118,5	99,1	119,6	99,4	105,9	
Other mineral products	168,0	105,1	159,8	84,9	110,6	98,1	112,7	97,8	107,1	
Basic metals	150,0	117,8	127,4	97,5	132,8	115,5	114,9	97,5	101,9	
Metal products,machinery excluded	212,0	95,3	222,5	99,0	121,9	98,5	123,8	98,0	96,8	
Other machinery and equipment	127,3	91,0	140,0	90,8	115,3	89,7	128,5	86,3	101,4	
Office machines and computers	191,9	94,6	202,8	59,0	122,5	103,9	117,9	94,5	91,1	
Other el.machines and units	232,7	130,7	178,1	96,1	121,8	99,8	122,0	95,6	130,9	
Radio,TV and comunication equipment	221,2	89,7	246,6	85,8	123,3	97,1	126,9	94,1	92,3	
Precision and optical instruments	137,8	87,8	156,9	86,1	131,8	93,5	140,9	87,3	93,9	
Motor vehicles and trailers	126,2	95,7	131,9	93,3	141,1	97,1	145,4	98,7	98,6	
Other transport means	177,4	83,3	213,0	53,9	106,8	80,0	133,5	75,9	104,1	
Furniture and related products	135,4	86,4	156,7	98,6	124,9	101,6	123,0	98,8	85,0	
Recycling	224,5	118,8	188,9	95,4	61,9	155,3	39,8	60,7	76,5	
Electricity,gas and water supply	*1)	198,0	*1)	0,5	*1)	38,9	*1)	0,5	509,1	
Electricity,gas and hot water supply	-	-	-	-	*1)	471,4	687,5	0,0	-	
Water purification and distribution	*1)	198,0	*1)	97,7	*1)	37,8	*1)	94,7	524,4	
Other communal,social and individual services	47,2	270,8	17,4	7,6	84,7	82,6	102,5	93,2	327,7	
Sports,cultural and similar activities	47,2	270,8	17,4	7,6	84,7	82,6	102,5	93,2	327,7	
N.E.C	19,2	53,6	35,8	100,0	45,0	31,3	143,5	100,0	171,1	
N.E.C	19,2	53,6	35,8	100,0	45,0	31,3	143,5	100,0	171,1	

¹⁾ See footnote on page 1.

3. Indices of values, unit values and physical volume by economic zones ¹⁾

	January - November									
	exports			imports			sample/ total %	terms of trade		
	indices		sample/ total %	indeksi						
	value	unit value	value	unit value	physical volume					
Total	144,8	105,5	137,2	94,3	124,1	101,9	121,8	95,3	103,5	
EFTA ²⁾	155,9	121,1	128,7	75,1	101,4	54,8	184,9	77,8	220,8	
ACP ³⁾	189,8	68,4	277,3	44,3	104,8	101,5	103,3	78,4	67,5	
OPEC ⁴⁾	58,9	98,5	59,8	61,6	121,8	96,9	125,7	85,3	101,7	
MEDA ⁵⁾	83,7	9,9	849,2	87,9	123,5	94,5	130,6	92,8	10,4	
ASEAN ⁶⁾	890,1	70,2	*16)	69,4	132,7	97,9	135,6	92,3	71,7	
SAARC ⁷⁾	205,6	94,3	217,9	67,0	118,0	96,5	122,3	73,7	97,7	
European Union ⁸⁾	145,6	99,7	146,1	95,4	121,8	96,7	126,0	93,9	103,1	
CEEC ⁹⁾	162,4	102,9	157,7	91,4	151,2	103,5	146,1	92,9	99,5	
NAFTA ¹⁰⁾	125,6	108,9	115,3	86,1	111,1	74,1	149,9	83,1	147,0	
MERCOSUR ¹¹⁾	71,4	103,3	69,1	78,6	82,4	106,4	77,4	63,9	97,1	
NICS ¹²⁾	149,8	127,6	117,4	56,5	110,7	87,3	126,8	93,9	146,2	
APEC ¹³⁾	123,3	84,0	146,8	41,8	146,9	94,2	156,0	95,8	89,1	
CIS ¹⁴⁾	135,3	96,5	140,2	83,8	121,5	115,8	105,0	97,8	83,3	
Miscellaneous	69,5	78,3	88,8	57,1	109,1	98,1	111,3	93,2	79,8	

¹⁾ By EU classification.

²⁾ European Free Trade Association.

³⁾ African, Caribbean and Pacific countries, signatories to the Partnership Agreement.

⁴⁾ Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries.

⁵⁾ Mediterranean countries in the Euro-Mediterranean Partnership.

⁶⁾ Association of South-East Asian Nations.

⁷⁾ South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation.

⁸⁾ European Union, 25 members from May 1, 2004.

⁹⁾ Central and Eastern European Countries.

¹⁰⁾ North American Free Trade Agreement.

¹¹⁾ South American Common Market.

¹²⁾ Newly-Industrialized Asian Countries.

¹³⁾ Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation.

¹⁴⁾ Commonwealth of Independent States.

¹⁵⁾ Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development.

¹⁶⁾ Index is bigger than 1000.

Methodological explanations

The indices were calculated on the basis of respective period of the previous year.

Basic methodological principles of indices of average unit values of goods exports and imports comply with international recommendations.

Calculations of indices of average unit values are done for certain number of products of Customs tariff; the Customs tariff data on volume and value can be considered comparable in the observed and base period. The index of exports and imports value that was calculated pursuant to the data used for unit values calculations is assumed as representative. The index of physical volume is derived as quotient of the value index and the unit value index. The terms of trade are derived as quotient of indices of export and import unit values.

SORS publishes the data on indices of export and import unit values, calculated according to dollar values, at the exchange rates applied for customs base calculations. Therefore, the indices of average unit values of exports and imports of goods in the period observed are influenced also by the fluctuations of other hard currency values relative to USD. For calculating the indices of unit values, SORS applies the quantities in the period observed as weights, in order that the indices of unit values are used as more realistic indicator of export and import prices trends.