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External trade statistics

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Indices of average prices of external trade of Serbia, February 2007. - By current exchange rate, USD -

1. Indices of values, unit values and physical volume

	January - February								terms of trade
	exports				imports				
	indices			sample/ total %	indices			sample/ total %	
	value	unit value	physical volume		value	unit value	physical volume		

By sections of SITC, rev.3

Total	150,1	114,9	130,7	89,7	141,4	105,1	134,5	87,6	109,3
Food and live animals	148,5	120,1	123,7	88,0	126,5	104,5	121,0	90,1	114,9
Beverages and tobacco	164,9	116,6	141,5	78,8	106,5	104,9	101,5	82,9	111,1
Raw materials,except fuels	197,0	138,6	142,1	94,5	125,8	115,6	108,8	91,6	119,8
Mineral fuels and lubricants	36,1	90,9	39,7	47,5	118,8	103,4	114,9	89,1	87,9
Animal and vegetable oils and fats	255,1	82,3	310,1	97,1	179,6	113,2	158,7	87,7	72,7
Chemicals	151,0	103,2	146,3	83,1	143,3	109,1	131,4	77,9	94,6
Manufactured goods classified by materials	151,0	120,3	125,5	96,2	158,6	110,8	143,1	96,3	108,5
Machinery and transport equipment	174,0	97,2	179,0	74,1	157,6	101,3	155,6	82,2	96,0
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	138,9	112,8	123,1	94,3	141,3	96,6	146,3	93,0	116,8
Commodities and transactions,n.e.s.	99,5	111,2	89,4	98,0	32,2	55,9	57,5	91,1	198,9

By produce, processing degree

Total	150,1	114,9	130,7	89,7	141,4	105,1	134,5	87,6	109,3
Crude articles	175,4	144,9	121,0	93,2	118,4	106,3	111,4	96,3	136,3
Simply transformed articles	150,9	121,5	124,1	92,2	154,9	111,9	138,5	86,8	108,6
More elaborately transformed articles	146,2	106,9	136,8	87,4	146,8	102,3	143,5	85,1	104,4

By economic destination²⁾

Total	150,1	114,9	130,7	89,7	141,4	105,1	134,5	87,6	109,3
Capital goods	147,4	101,4	145,4	60,7	171,5	100,9	170,0	72,7	100,5
Intermediate goods	151,8	117,2	129,6	92,4	138,7	106,6	130,1	92,2	109,9
Consumer goods	145,8	110,5	131,9	88,2	134,3	103,2	130,1	85,3	107,1

¹⁾ Index is bigger then 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 - February								
	exports				imports				terms of trade
	indices			sample/ total %	indices			sample/ total %	
	value	unit value	physical volume		value	unit value	physical volume		
Total	150,1	114,9	130,7	89,7	141,4	105,1	134,5	87,6	
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	153,1	135,6	112,9	96,8	149,9	107,8	139,1	84,9	125,8
Agriculture, hunting and services	154,7	137,9	112,2	97,4	155,0	107,0	144,8	84,0	128,9
Forestry, logging and services	128,9	104,4	123,5	86,0	107,1	118,6	90,3	98,8	88,0
Fishing	140,0	267,9	52,2	17,2	130,3	108,7	119,8	94,9	246,4
Fishing, fish farms and services	140,0	267,9	52,2	17,2	130,3	108,7	119,8	94,9	246,4
Mining and quarrying	329,3	221,9	148,4	96,8	114,7	105,7	108,5	99,7	209,8
Coal mining	96,9	69,9	138,5	100,0	166,9	112,0	149,0	93,4	62,4
Extractions of crude petroleum and gas, services	46,1	91,8	50,2	75,9	112,8	102,6	109,9	99,9	89,5
Metal ores mining	*1)	380,4	279,2	99,8	117,4	128,3	91,5	99,4	296,4
Other mining and quarrying	169,7	102,0	166,5	77,5	141,9	112,9	125,7	98,8	90,3
Manufacturing	148,9	113,2	131,5	89,9	148,8	104,9	141,8	87,4	107,9
Food products and beverages	146,8	110,5	132,8	85,0	117,2	101,1	115,9	91,3	109,3
Tobacco products	382,3	184,6	207,1	55,6	91,3	115,6	79,0	79,0	159,6
Textile yarns and textiles	174,3	116,5	149,6	95,6	140,0	98,0	142,9	93,4	118,8
Clothes and fur	130,7	117,8	110,9	95,5	163,6	79,5	205,8	95,0	148,1
Leather and leather products, footwear	151,1	121,9	123,9	98,1	130,1	101,1	128,7	97,3	120,6
Wood, wood products and cork	194,9	106,0	183,9	90,4	179,0	111,4	160,7	94,9	95,1
Pulp, paper and paper products	100,6	112,4	89,5	75,0	145,9	112,5	129,6	99,0	99,9
Publishing, printing and reproduction	132,1	97,6	135,3	82,9	81,8	87,0	94,1	85,6	112,2
Coke and refined petroleum products	33,6	95,1	35,3	94,3	134,5	105,0	128,1	94,8	90,6
Chemicals and chemical products	140,8	102,6	137,3	82,3	138,3	109,0	126,9	77,2	94,1
Rubber and plastic products	132,1	113,6	116,3	99,4	153,8	105,5	145,7	97,9	107,6
Other mineral products	194,6	113,7	171,1	96,0	141,9	101,1	140,4	94,9	112,5
Basic metals	151,9	125,8	120,8	98,1	181,5	122,1	148,6	96,5	103,0
Metal products, machinery excluded	190,5	99,3	191,9	95,4	167,5	97,8	171,2	96,4	101,5
Other machinery and equipment	146,2	88,6	165,0	72,0	160,8	100,3	160,3	73,3	88,3
Office machines and computers	179,7	117,8	152,6	97,8	126,5	111,8	113,1	97,3	105,3
Other el. machines and units	185,4	113,3	163,6	92,1	170,4	92,9	183,4	93,7	122,0
Radio, TV and communication equipment	195,2	60,9	320,6	84,8	209,4	92,4	226,6	76,1	65,9
Precision and optical instruments	195,1	105,3	185,3	63,9	159,0	97,7	162,6	77,4	107,8
Motor vehicles and trailers	150,0	107,8	139,2	75,1	141,3	109,7	128,9	92,6	98,3
Other transport means	260,7	94,7	275,3	14,0	91,3	97,6	93,6	54,3	97,0
Furniture and related products	144,0	102,0	141,1	94,7	129,2	99,1	130,4	97,0	103,0
Recycling	286,8	138,9	206,4	96,9	455,0	210,7	216,0	14,1	65,9
Electricity, gas and water supply	*1)	13,5	*1)	0,2	140,8	113,2	124,4	-	11,9
Water purification and distribution	*1)	13,5	*1)	30,2	140,8	113,2	124,4	56,3	11,9
Real estate and renting activities	-	-	-	-	300,0	52,1	575,1	100,0	-
Other business activities	-	-	-	-	300,0	52,1	575,1	100,0	-
Other communal, social and individual services	40,0	27,7	144,6	97,1	79,2	95,3	83,0	100,0	29,0
Sports, cultural and similar activities	40,0	27,7	144,6	97,1	79,2	95,3	83,0	100,0	29,0
N.E.C	77,9	72,4	107,6	100,0	32,2	55,9	57,5	100,0	129,5
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¹⁾ See footnote on page 1.

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

	January - February								
	exports				imports				terms of trade
	indices			sample/ total %	indeksi			sample/ total %	
	value	unit value	physical volume		value	unit value	physical volume		
Total	150,1	114,9	130,7	89,7	141,4	105,1	134,5	87,6	
European Union ⁸⁾	151,3	116,7	129,6	91,1	142,4	101,8	139,9	83,1	114,7
EFTA ²⁾	161,6	100,4	160,9	64,4	134,3	33,6	399,8	46,5	298,9
ACP ³⁾	54,0	122,2	44,2	32,8	128,9	110,1	117,0	51,3	111,0
OPEC ⁴⁾	123,7	62,0	199,7	20,3	104,2	105,2	99,0	78,7	58,9
MEDA ⁵⁾	69,0	113,6	60,7	48,7	142,1	61,6	230,6	78,0	184,4
ASEAN ⁶⁾	265,2	103,3	256,8	37,3	150,6	94,4	159,6	88,3	109,4
SAARC ⁷⁾	505,2	106,6	474,0	20,4	126,2	84,0	150,3	65,8	126,9
CEEC ⁹⁾	156,1	106,0	147,2	84,4	138,4	108,1	128,0	79,7	98,1
NAFTA ¹⁰⁾	102,0	103,1	99,0	52,1	128,4	69,4	184,9	62,3	148,4
MERCOSUR ¹¹⁾	104,1	110,9	93,9	99,0	162,1	116,5	139,2	68,5	95,3
NICs ¹²⁾	63,6	78,5	80,9	40,1	157,7	92,8	169,9	90,0	84,6
APEC ¹³⁾	87,4	16,7	523,5	45,2	156,5	89,9	174,0	91,6	18,6
CIS ¹⁴⁾	143,2	114,8	124,7	67,6	130,7	107,4	121,7	94,8	106,8
Miscellaneous	129,0	123,2	104,7	73,3	134,3	75,4	178,2	87,3	163,5

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, 27 members from January 1, 2007.

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 produce 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.