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## Consumption of hazardous chemicals in the Republic of Serbia, 2016 - Preliminary data –

The data represent the preliminary results of the Survey on Consumption of Hazardous Chemicals in sections Mining and quarrying, Manufacturing, Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply, Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities, according to toxicity classes.

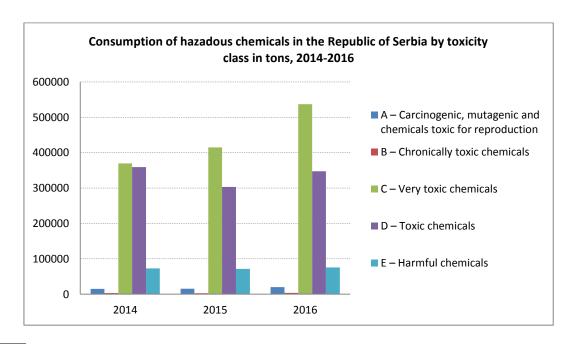
Total consumption of hazardous chemicals in 2016 increased by 17.8% in comparison with 2015.

In the section of Manufacturing, the consumption of hazardous chemicals in 2016, amounted 958 781 tons, of which according to divisions, the largest share was observed in the divisions of Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products (90.9%).

Starting from 1999 the Statistical Office of the Republic of Serbia has not at disposal and may not provide available certain data relative to AP Kosovo and Metohia and therefore these data are not included in the coverage for the Republic of Serbia (total).

Table 1. Consumption of hazardous chemicals in the Republic of Serbia, by toxicity classes, 2014–2016

	2014	2015	2016	
Total	820 680	808 649*	983 726	
A – Carcinogenic, mutagenic and chemicals toxic for reproduction	14 840	15 435	19 853	
B – Chronically toxic chemicals	3 382	3 016	3 540	
C – Very toxic chemicals	369 948	415 113*	537 010	
D – Toxic chemicals	359 445	303 350*	347 771	
E – Harmful chemicals	73 064	71 735	75 553	



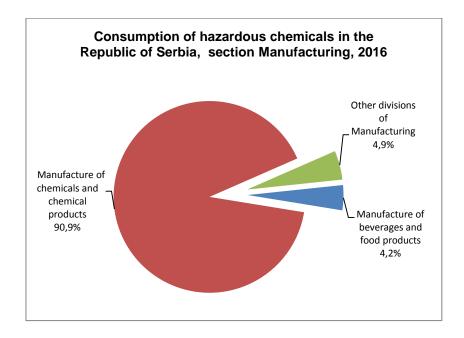
<sup>\*</sup> Corrected data.

In 2016, the total consumption of hazardous chemicals amounted 983 726 tons, whereof, observed by toxicity classes, there were consumed 54.6% of very toxic chemicals (C), 35.4% of toxic (D), 7.7% of harmful (E), 2.0% of carcinogenic, mutagenic and chemicals toxic for reproduction (A), and 0.4% of chronically toxic chemicals (B).

In the section of Manufacturing, the largest consumption of hazardous chemicals was observed in the classes of very toxic chemicals (C) 55.8%, toxic chemicals (D) 34.6% and harmful chemicals (E) 7.2%.

Table 2. Consumption of chemicals in the Republic of Serbia, by activity divisions and toxicity classes, 2016

	Total		Toxicity class				
	Total	А	В	С	D	E	
Republic of Serbia	983 726	19 853	3 540	537 010	347 771	75 553	
Mining and quarrying	6 566	616	13	348	719	4 869	
Manufacturing	958 781	19 120	3 487	534 557	332 107	69 509	
Manufacture of food products	20 125	1	7	12 578	5 116	2 423	
Manufacture of beverages	20 412	0	0	3 331	1 165	15 915	
Manufacture of textiles	488	-	8	373	103	3	
Manufacture of wearing apparel	781	0	3	538	220	20	
Manufacture of leather and related products	250	0	1	81	140	28	
Manufacture of wood and of products of wood, except							
furniture	984	454	84	330	100	17	
Manufacture of paper and paper products	364	0	0	236	89	39	
Printing and reproduction of recorded media	717	-	1	4	5	707	
Manufacture of coke and refined petroleum products	8 628	1	1	4 682	1 573	2 370	
Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products	871 247	18 439	2 887	505 599	309 587	34 735	
Manufacture of basic pharmaceutical products and							
pharmaceutical preparations	1 362	4	42	79	127	1 110	
Manufacture of rubber and plastic products	3 256	171	162	342	1 813	768	
Manufacture of non – metallic mineral products	12 073	0	54	7	2 302	9 709	
Manufacture of basic metals	9 969	9	1	5 170	4 505	284	
Manufacture of fabricated metal products, except machinery	2 302	1	170	562	1 247	322	
Manufacture of electrical equipment	328	-	5	58	31	234	
Manufacture of machinery and equipment i.e.	334	40	5	1	27	261	
Manufacture of motor vehicles and trailers	896	-	26	96	319	455	
Other Manufacturing	4 113	-	19	479	3 614	2	
Other non-mentioned divisions of Manufacturing 1)	155	0	13	12	24	105	
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	6 103	116	2	1 659	4 301	26	
Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation							
activities	12 275	0	37	445	10 644	1 149	

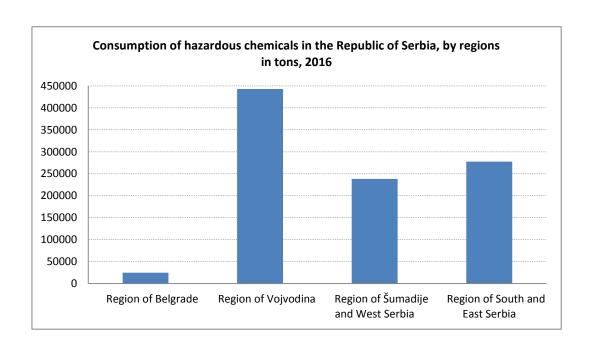


<sup>1)</sup> Manufacture of tobacco products; Manufacture of computer, electronic and optical products; Manufacture of furniture; Manufacture of other transport equipment and Repair and installation of machines and equipment.

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Table 3. Consumption of hazardous chemicals in the Republic of Serbia, by regions and by toxicty classes, 2016.

		Toxicity class					
	Total	А	В	С	D	E	
Total	983 726	19 853	3 540	537 010	347 771	75 553	
Serbia – Sever	467 788	19 306	2 344	115 334	288 942	41 861	
Beogradski region	24 664	701	166	6 460	11 429	5 908	
Region Vojvodine	443 124	18 605	2 179	108 875	277 513	35 953	
Serbia – Jug	515 937	546	1 195	421 675	58 829	33 692	
Region Šumadije i Zapadne Srbije	238 361	470	1 149	152 674	52 153	31 915	
Region Južne i Istočne Srbije	277 577	76	47	269 001	6 676	1 777	
Region Kosovo and Metohija							



## Methodological notes

Methodological explanations on Hazardous chemicals can be found on the SORS website: <a href="http://webrzs.stat.gov.rs/WebSite/Public/PageView.aspx?pKey=201">http://webrzs.stat.gov.rs/WebSite/Public/PageView.aspx?pKey=201</a>

Data series on Hazardous chemicals from the reference year 2009 are available as a part of the SORS publications: <a href="http://webrzs.stat.gov.rs/WebSite/Public/PageView.aspx?pKey=200">http://webrzs.stat.gov.rs/WebSite/Public/PageView.aspx?pKey=200</a>.

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