



International Trade Statistics

March 2010

International Trade – Exports up by 14.6% and Imports by 7.6%

In the first quarter of 2010, exports increased by 14.6% and imports by 7.6%, comparing to the same period in the previous year (January to March 2009), leading to a decrease in the deficit of the trade balance by 168.3 millions euro.

International Trade – March 2010 (flash estimate)

PRELIMINARY GLOBAL DATA

GLOBAL DATA	Millions Euro		GROWTH RATE
	JAN 09 to MAR 09	JAN 10 to MAR 10	%
TOTAL			
Exports (Fob)	7 411.6	8 490.3	14.6
Imports (Cif)	11 998.3	12 908.9	7.6
Trade Balance	-4 586.8	-4 418.5	
Rate of coverage (%)	61.8	65.8	
EUROPEAN UNION			
Exports (Fob)	5 626.9	6 384.2	13.5
Imports (Cif)	9 549.9	9 665.4	1.2
Trade Balance	-3 923.0	-3 281.2	
Rate of coverage (%)	58.9	66.1	
EURO ZONE			
Exports (Fob)	4 849.8	5 448.7	12.3
Imports (Cif)	8 664.7	8 668.2	0.0
Trade Balance	-3 814.9	-3 219.5	
Rate of coverage (%)	56.0	62.9	
THIRD COUNTRIES			
Exports (Fob)	1 784.6	2 106.1	18.0
Imports (Cif)	2 448.4	3 243.4	32.5
Trade Balance	-663.7	-1 137.3	
Rate of coverage (%)	72.9	64.9	

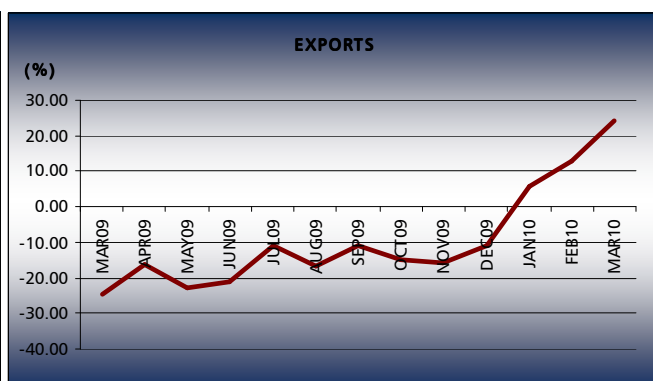
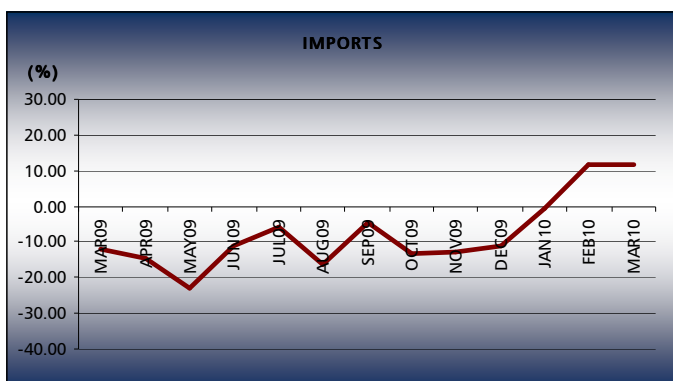
PRELIMINARY MONTHLY DATA - IMPORT

MONTH	INTERNATIONAL				INTRA-COMMUNITY				EXTRA-COMMUNITY			
	IMPORT				IMPORT				IMPORT			
	Millions Euro		GROWTH RATE		Millions Euro		GROWTH RATE		Millions Euro		GROWTH RATE	
	2009	2010	Homologous	Monthly	2009	2010	Homologous	Monthly	2009	2010	Homologous	Monthly
TOTAL	50 074	12 909			39 073	9 665			11 001	3 243		
JANUARY	3 977	3 945	-0.8	-4.4	3 088	2 971	-3.8	-11.2	888	973	9.6	25.0
FEBRUARY	3 716	4 151	11.7	5.2	3 102	3 069	-1.1	3.3	614	1 082	76.3	11.2
MARCH	4 306	4 813	11.8	15.9	3 359	3 625	7.9	18.1	946	1 188	25.5	9.8
APRIL	3 878				3 026				852			
MAY	3 881				3 047				834			
JUNE	4 276				3 191				1 085			
JULY	4 589				3 654				935			
AUGUST	3 523				2 674				849			
SEPTEMBER	4 569				3 511				1 058			
OCTOBER	4 605				3 522				1 083			
NOVEMBER	4 628				3 550				1 078			
DECEMBER	4 126				3 347				779			

PRELIMINARY MONTHLY DATA - EXPORT

MONTH	INTERNATIONAL				INTRA-COMMUNITY				EXTRA-COMMUNITY			
	EXPORT				EXPORT				EXPORT			
	Millions Euro		GROWTH RATE		Millions Euro		GROWTH RATE		Millions Euro		GROWTH RATE	
	2009	2010	Homologous	Monthly	2009	2010	Homologous	Monthly	2009	2010	Homologous	Monthly
TOTAL	31 085	8 490			23 272	6 384			7 814	2 106		
JANUARY	2 432	2 573	5.8	6.5	1 860	1 992	7.1	12.0	572	580	1.5	-8.9
FEBRUARY	2 379	2 686	12.9	4.4	1 795	2 028	13.0	1.8	584	657	12.6	13.3
MARCH	2 601	3 232	24.3	20.3	1 971	2 364	19.9	16.5	629	868	38.0	32.1
APRIL	2 477				1 893				583			
MAY	2 537				1 909				628			
JUNE	2 640				2 010				630			
JULY	3 044				2 211				833			
AUGUST	2 029				1 451				578			
SEPTEMBER	2 785				2 089				695			
OCTOBER	2 910				2 181				729			
NOVEMBER	2 837				2 122				716			
DECEMBER	2 416				1 779				637			

Homologous Growth Rate (%)





Imports and Exports by Broad Economic Categories

PRELIMINARY GLOBAL DATA

BROAD ECONOMIC CATEGORIES	INTERNATIONAL					
	IMPORTS			EXPORTS		
	Millions Euro		GROWTH RATE	Millions Euro		GROWTH RATE
	DEC 08 to FEB 09	DEC 09 to FEB 10	%	DEC 08 to FEB 09	DEC 09 to FEB 10	%
FOOD AND BEVERAGES	1 528	1 462	-4.3	791	752	-5.0
PRIMARY	670	622	-7.1	230	218	-5.2
PROCESSED	857	840	-2.0	561	533	-5.0
INDUSTRIAL SUPPLIES NOT ELSEWHERE SPECIFIED (1)	2 992	3 189	6.6	2 183	2 530	15.9
PRIMARY	262	255	-2.7	200	258	29.4
PROCESSED	2 730	2 934	7.4	1 984	2 272	14.5
FUELS AND LUBRICANTS	1 382	1 616	16.9	263	463	75.8
PRIMARY	812	1 242	53.0	13	4	-66.3
PROCESSED	571	374	-34.4	251	459	83.0
CAPITAL GOODS	2 261	1 953	-13.6	1 117	898	-19.6
CAPITAL GOODS (EXCEPT TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT)	1 355	1 222	-9.8	636	549	-13.8
PARTS AND ACCESSORIES	906	732	-19.2	481	350	-27.3
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT AND PARTS AND ACCESSORIES	1 414	1 740	23.0	1 054	1 350	28.0
PASSENGER MOTOR CARS	520	730	40.2	290	335	15.5
OTHER	274	298	8.8	197	168	-14.6
PARTS AND ACCESSORIES	620	712	14.9	567	847	49.2
CONSUMER GOODS NOT ELSEWHERE SPECIFIED	2 109	2 084	-1.1	1 618	1 591	-1.7
DURABLE	377	387	2.5	161	181	12.4
SEMI-DURABLE	830	787	-5.1	937	896	-4.4
NON-DURABLE	902	910	1.0	520	514	-1.3
GOODS NOT ELSEWHERE SPECIFIED (2)	202	177	-12.7	106	90	-15.4

(1) - EXCEPT TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT, AND PARTS AND ACCESSORIES THEREOF