

## FOREIGN ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

In January-June 2017 the republic's external trade turnover was USD 12 072,3 million, of which USD 5 969,8 million - exports, USD 6 102,5 million – imports.

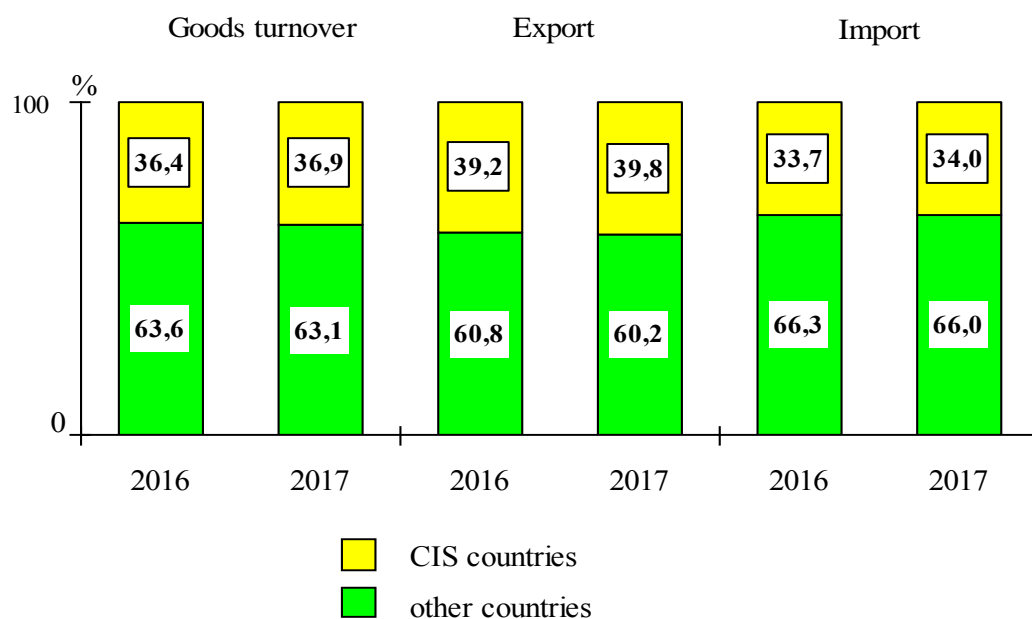
The positive balance of foreign trade was minus USD 132,7 million: with CIS countries – USD 300,2 million, with other countries – minus USD 432,9 million.

Republic's external trade turnover in January-June 2017 is characterized by the following data:

	<i>USD mln.</i>	<i>As % of January-June 2016</i>	<i>Share, in %</i>
<b>External trade turnover</b>	<b>12 072,3</b>	<b>111,1</b>	<b>100,0</b>
CIS countries	4 450,8	112,6	36,9
other countries	7 621,5	110,2	63,1
<b>Exports</b>	<b>5 969,8</b>	<b>113,1</b>	<b>100,0</b>
CIS countries	2 375,5	114,8	39,8
other countries	3 594,3	112,0	60,2
<b>Imports</b>	<b>6 102,5</b>	<b>109,2</b>	<b>100,0</b>
CIS countries	2 075,3	110,2	34,0
other countries	4 027,2	108,6	66,0
<b>Balance</b>	<b>-132,7</b>	<b>x</b>	<b>x</b>
CIS countries	300,2	x	x
other countries	-432,9	x	x

Share of CIS countries and other countries in the republic's external trade in January-June is characterized by the following data:

in percentage



Foreign trade operations of the residents of the republic are mainly carried out with the countries of Asia (47,2 percent of the total volume of trade turnover), Europe (42,2 percent) and America (3,0 percent), which share is 92,4 percent of total turnover.

Distribution of foreign trade by continents in January-June 2017 is characterized by the following data:

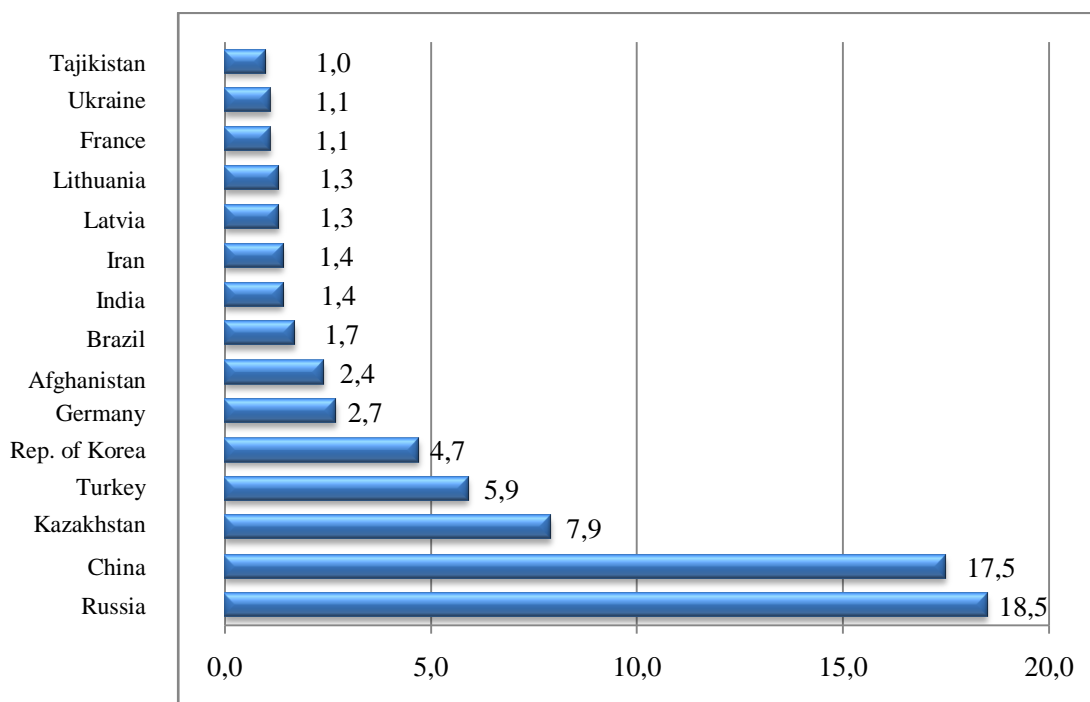
USD mln.

	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>External trade turnover</i>	
			<i>as % of January-June 2016</i>	<i>as % of total</i>
<b>Total</b> <sup>1)</sup>	<b>5 969,8</b>	<b>6 102,5</b>	<b>111,1</b>	<b>100,0</b>
<i>of which:</i>				
Europe	2 481,4	2 613,4	121,2	42,2
Asia	2 724,6	2 978,6	104,1	47,2
America	33,3	332,7	108,9	3,0
Africa	3,4	9,1	63,2	0,1
Australia and Oceania	0,1	2,1	150,2	0,0

<sup>1)</sup> Including undistributed data

Among the CIS countries the main foreign trade partners are Russia, Kazakhstan, Ukraine, Tajikistan, Kyrgyzstan, which share is 29,4 percent of foreign trade turnover, among other countries - China, Turkey, the Republic of Korea, Germany, Afghanistan, Brazil, India, Iran, Latvia, Lithuania, France, the United States and Switzerland, which share is 43,0 percent of total foreign trade turnover.

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Russia	2 227,9	113,6	18,5
China	2 108,5	101,1	17,5
Kazakhstan	953,0	111,4	7,9
Turkey	709,9	128,0	5,9
Republic of Korea	572,8	113,5	4,7
Germany	323,7	123,2	2,7

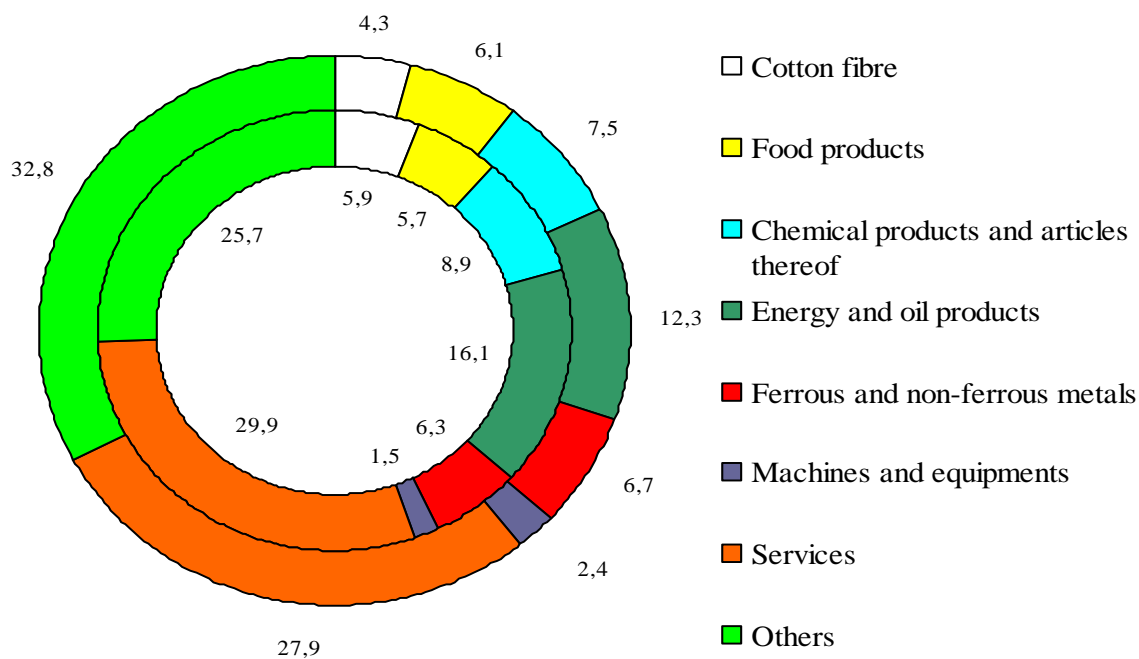
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	<i>USD mln.</i>	<i>as % of January- June 2016</i>	<i>share in republic's goods turnover, %</i>
Afghanistan	289,4	114,2	2,4
Brazil	203,7	126,4	1,7
India	166,5	93,4	1,4
Iran	166,3	81,0	1,4
Latvia	157,9	101,2	1,3
Lithuania	153,0	133,7	1,3
France	133,5	95,0	1,1
Ukraine	129,3	105,6	1,1
Tajikistan	118,5	122,3	1,0
Kyrgyzstan	111,9	169,0	0,9
USA	111,7	100,9	0,9
Turkmenistan	99,9	82,5	0,8
Switzerland	80,6	90,4	0,7
Italy	78,0	105,3	0,6
Spain	66,4	264,5	0,6
Great Britain	66,0	112,6	0,5
Japan	59,7	48,5	0,5
Georgia	58,1	129,7	0,5

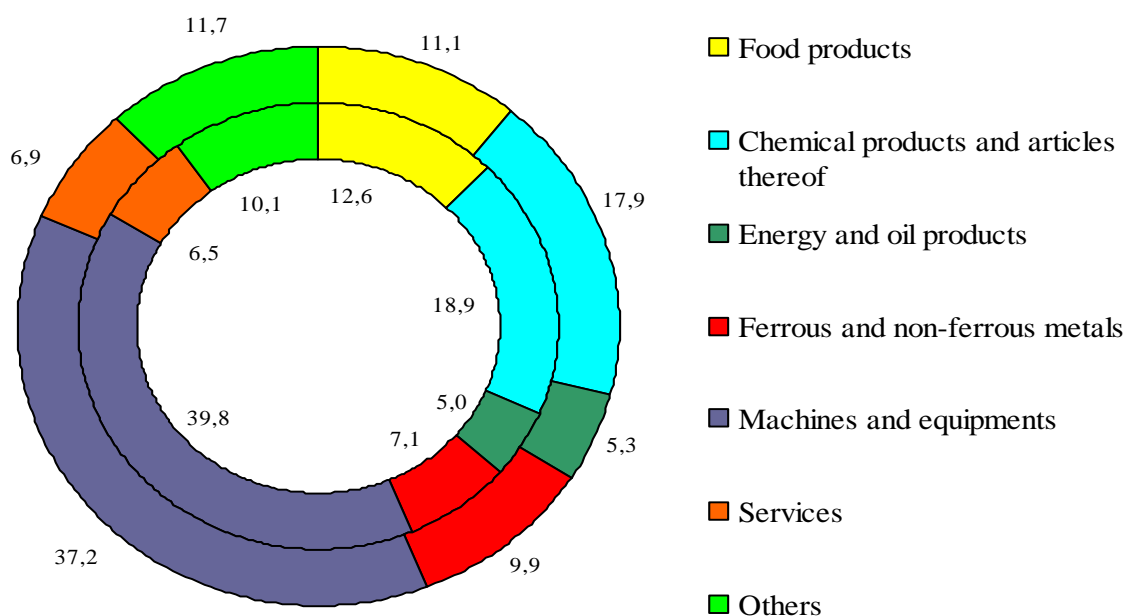
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	<i>USD mln</i>	<i>в % к январю-июню 2016г.</i>	<i>доля в товарообороте республики, в %</i>
Czech Republic	53,7	147,1	0,4
Poland	53,2	99,1	0,4
Belarus	52,8	117,9	0,4
Netherlands	42,2	126,7	0,3
UAE	42,2	36,2	0,3
Bangladesh	37,2	44,0	0,3
Austria	35,7	63,4	0,3
Belgium	33,8	91,1	0,3
Malaysia	31,8	75,4	0,3
Singapore	29,8	125,2	0,2
Hong-Kong	28,4	292,8	0,2
Hungary	27,9	121,3	0,2
Estonia	27,7	426,2	0,2
Saudi Arabia	25,0	139,7	0,2
Belize	21,6	43,2	0,2
Greece	19,6	332,2	0,2
Indonesia	18,1	124,8	0,1

Structure of export of goods and services, as percent of total (outer ring for January-June 2017, internal ring for January-June 2016)

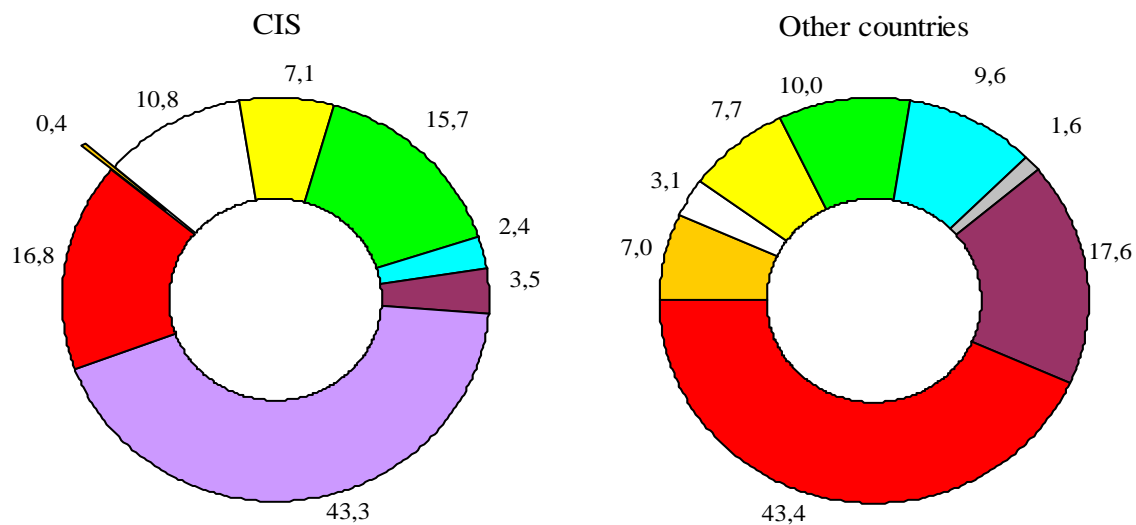


Structure of import of goods and services, as percent of total (outer ring for January-June 2017, internal ring for January-June 2016)

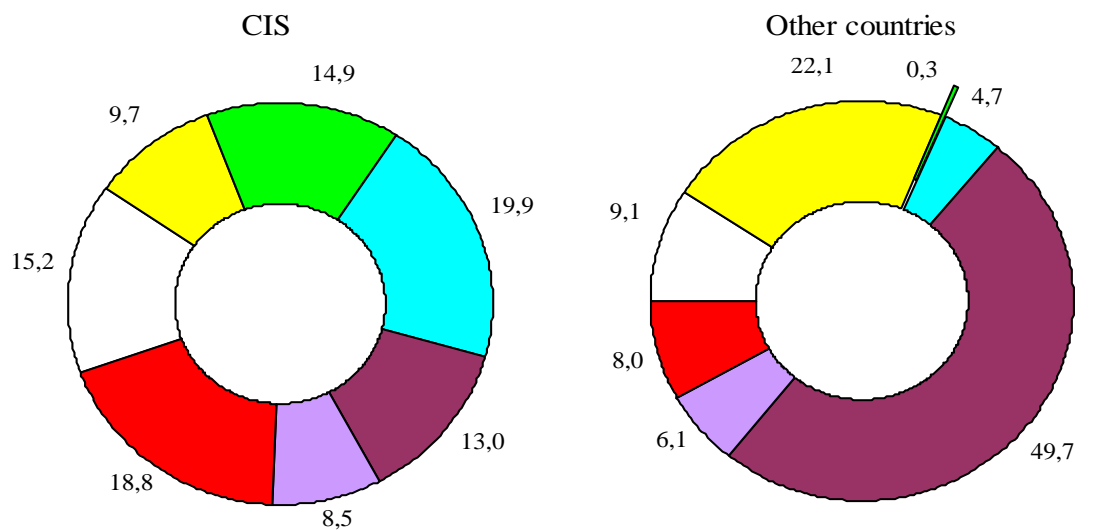


Structure of external trade with CIS countries and other countries in January-June 2017 is characterized by the following data:

### Export



### Import



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|  cotton fibre                           |  ferrous and non-ferrous metals |
|  food products                          |  machines and equipment         |
|  chemical products and articles thereof |  services                       |
|  energy and oil products                |  others                         |