

Foreign trade relations

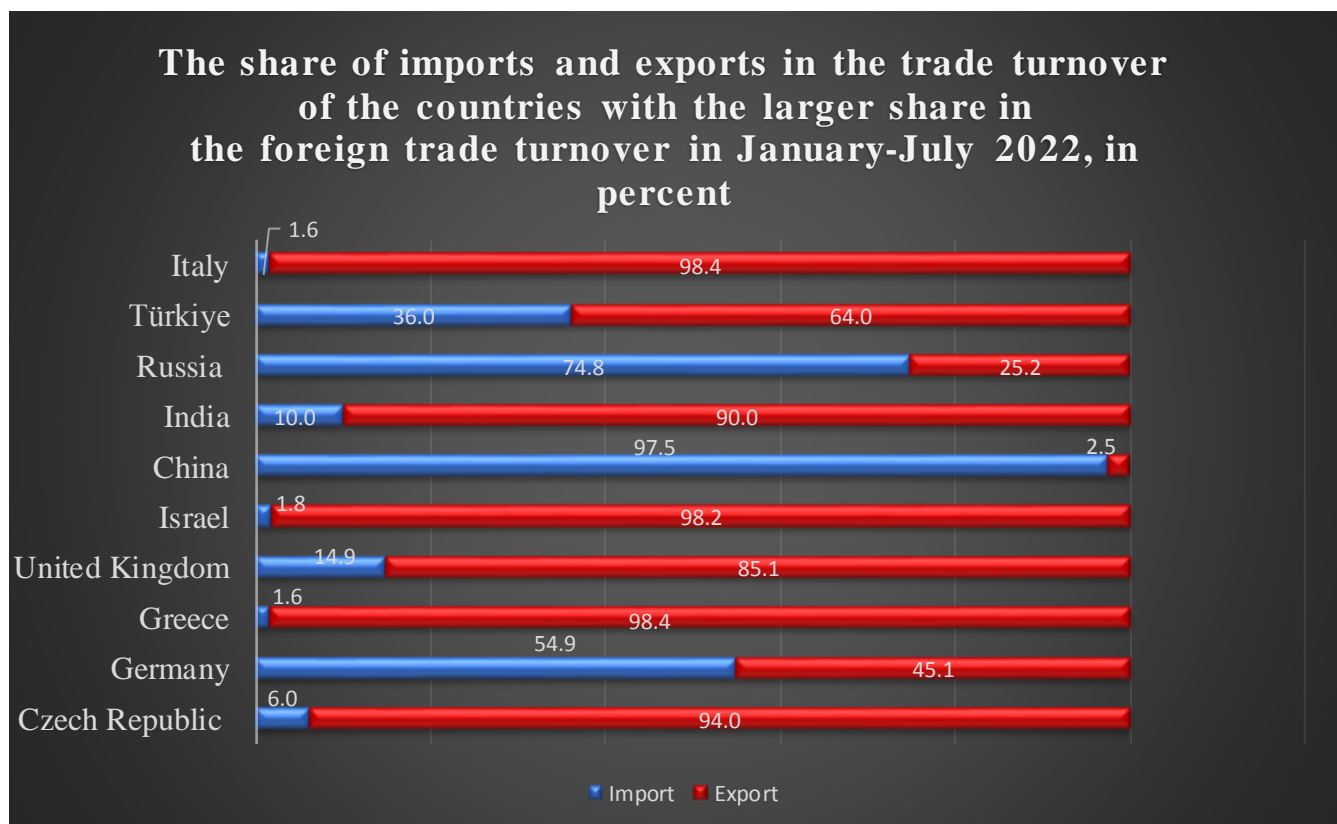
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In January-July 2022 legal and natural entities of the Republic of Azerbaijan realized trade operations with their partners in 170 countries of the world, goods were exported to 114 countries and imported from 156 countries.

Taking into account value of statistically estimated exported crude oil and natural gas registered in the customs agencies but customs formalities of which not completed the foreign trade turnover of the country in January-July 2022 made 30653,2 million USD. 23159,4 million USD or 75,6% of trade turnover made the export value, 7493.8 (24,4%) million USD – import value and consequently positive trade balance reached to 15665.6 million USD. In comparison with January-July 2021, foreign trade turnover increased in actual prices by 71.7% and in real terms – by 7.2%. Export in real terms increased by 12.3% and import by 2.3%.

In January-July 2022 the export of non-oil gas products, compared to the corresponding period of previous year, increased by 24.2% in actual prices and 11.4% in real terms and made 1682.0 million USD.

According to the State Customs Committee data, 36.8% of foreign trade turnover of the country was per the share of trade operations with Italy, 11.2% – Turkey, 6.2% – Russia, 3.9% - India, 3.8% – China, 3.5% - Israel, 3.0% - United Kingdom, 2.2% – Greece, 2.0% – Germany, per 1.7% - Czech Republic and Croatia, per 1.6 – Georgia, Spain and Ukraine, 1.5% – Portugal, per 1.2% - Switzerland and Kazakhstan, per 1.1% – Tunisia and USA, and 13.1% – other countries.



48.3% of the total value of exported goods was per the share of Italy, 9.6% – Türkiye, 4.7 – India, 4.6% – Israel, 3.4% – United Kingdom, 2.9% – Greece, 2.2% – Croatia, per 2.1% - Czech Republic and Russia, per 1.9% – Spain and Portugal, 1.8% – Georgia, per 1.5% - Switzerland and Ukraine, 1.4% – Tunisia, 1.2% – Germany, 1.1% - Vietnam, 1.0% – Thailand and Romania and 5.8% – other countries.

The share of goods shipped to Russia (27.5%), Türkiye (27.5%), Georgia (6.4%), Switzerland (6.0%), USA (3.5%), Italy (2.4%), the Netherlands (2.0%), Kazakhstan (1.9%), Romania (1.9%), India (1.8%), Uzbekistan (1.4%), Belarus (1.2%), China (1.2%), Brasilia (1.2%), Ukraine (1.1%), Switzerland (1.0%) was prevailed in export value on non-oil gas products.

18.7% of total value of goods imported to the country was per the share of Russia, 16.2% - Türkiye, 14.9% – China, 4.4% – Germany, 4.2% – Kazakhstan, 3.5% – Iran, 3.2% – USA, 2.3% – Italy, per 2.0% - Ukraine and Japan, per 1.9% - Turkmenistan and Korea, per 1.8% – United Kingdom and France, 1.6% – India, 1.1% - Belarus, per 1.0% - Uzbekistan and Brasilia, and 16.5% – other countries.

In January-July 2022 compared to the corresponding period of previous year export of main types of products like fresh fruit increased by 7.0%, tobacco – 2.6 times, tea – 98.4%, mineral fertilizers – 2.2 times, unprocessed aluminum – 66.4%, ferrous metal rods – 41.7%, ferrous metal pipes – 33.1%, cement clinkers – 20.9%, bentonite clay – 8.0% and fresh vegetables – 7.4%, while export of potato decreased by 14.9%, vegetable oils – 21.6%, sugar – 60.3%, fruit and vegetable juice – 19.0%, fruit and vegetable cans – 12.7%, natural grape wines and grape juice – 15.2%, margarine and other mixtures fit for food – 47.8%, cotton fiber – 32.7%, polyethylene – 23.5%, polypropylene – 27.0%, cotton yarn – 40.6%, semi-finished ferrous metals – 38.7%.

In January-July 2022 compared to January 2021 import of wheat increased 5.1%, fresh fruit – 10.6%, butter, other milk fats and pastas – 32.9%, flour confectionery – 12.2%, potato – 6.1%, poultry meat and its additional products – 22.2%, medical products – 29.2%, rolled steel – 12.3%, household air conditioners – 34.4%, buses – 5.1 times, synthetic detergents – 8.3%, ferrous metal rods – 26.1%, furniture – 1.6%, polyethylene – 67.5%, ferrous metal corners – 0.4%, polypropylene – 4.0%, cement – 38.7%, while import of vegetable oils decreased by 12.9%, raw sugar – 12.7%, chocolate and chocolate products – 4.3%, tea – 3.5%, fresh vegetables – 28.3%, beef – 59.6%, cigarettes – 85.2%, cars – 13.4%, ferrous metal pipes – 18.3%, computing machinery, blocks and installations – 31.2%, trucks – 15.0%, rubber tires – 10.7%, mineral fertilizers – 57.6%, washing machines – 31.3%, domestic refrigerators – 37.2%.