

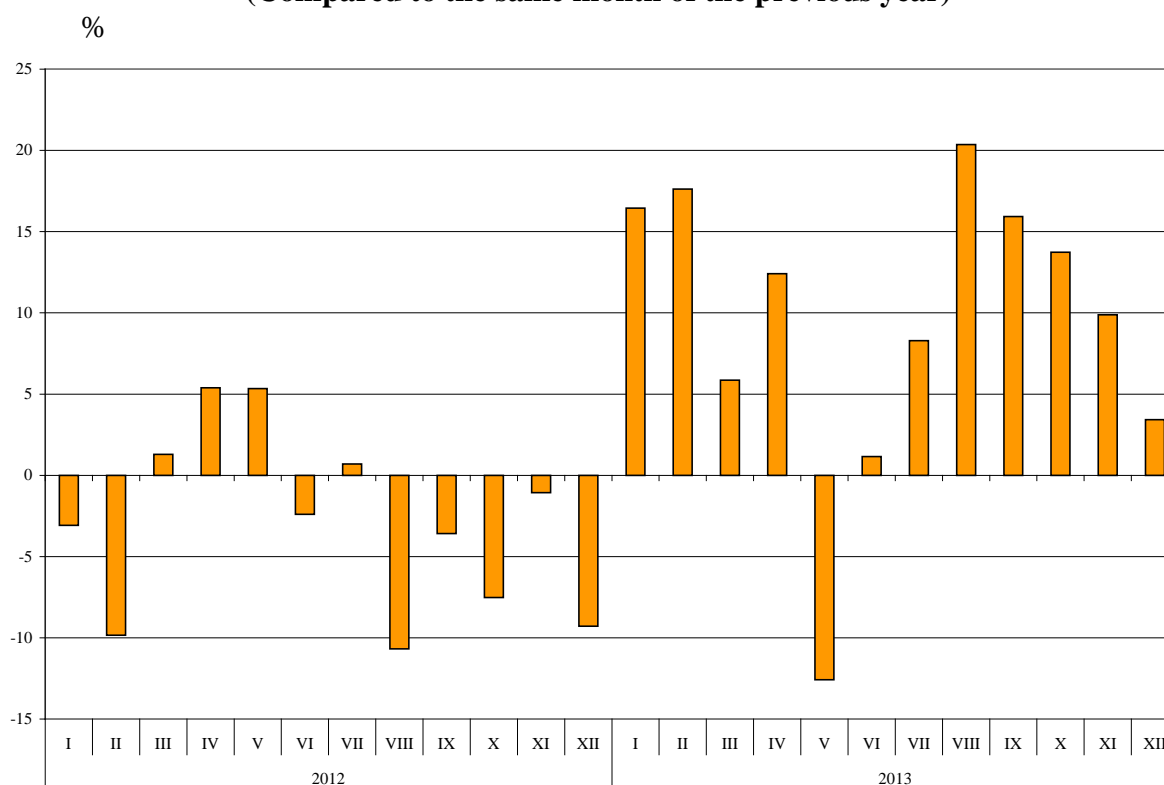


## BULGARIAN TRADE WITH EU FOR 2013 (PRELIMINARY DATA)

In **2013** the Bulgarian **exports to the EU** increased by 9.1% compared to the previous year and amounted to 26.1 Billion BGN (Annex, Table 1 and 2). Main trade partners of Bulgaria were Germany, Italy, Romania, Greece, France, Belgium and Spain which accounted for 75.3% of the exports to the EU Member States (Annex, Table 3).

In **December 2013** the exports to the EU increased by 3.4% compared to the corresponding month of the previous year and amounted to 1.7 Billion BGN.

**Figure 1. Nominal value<sup>1</sup> change of exports of Bulgaria to EU for the period 2012 - 2013  
(Compared to the same month of the previous year)**



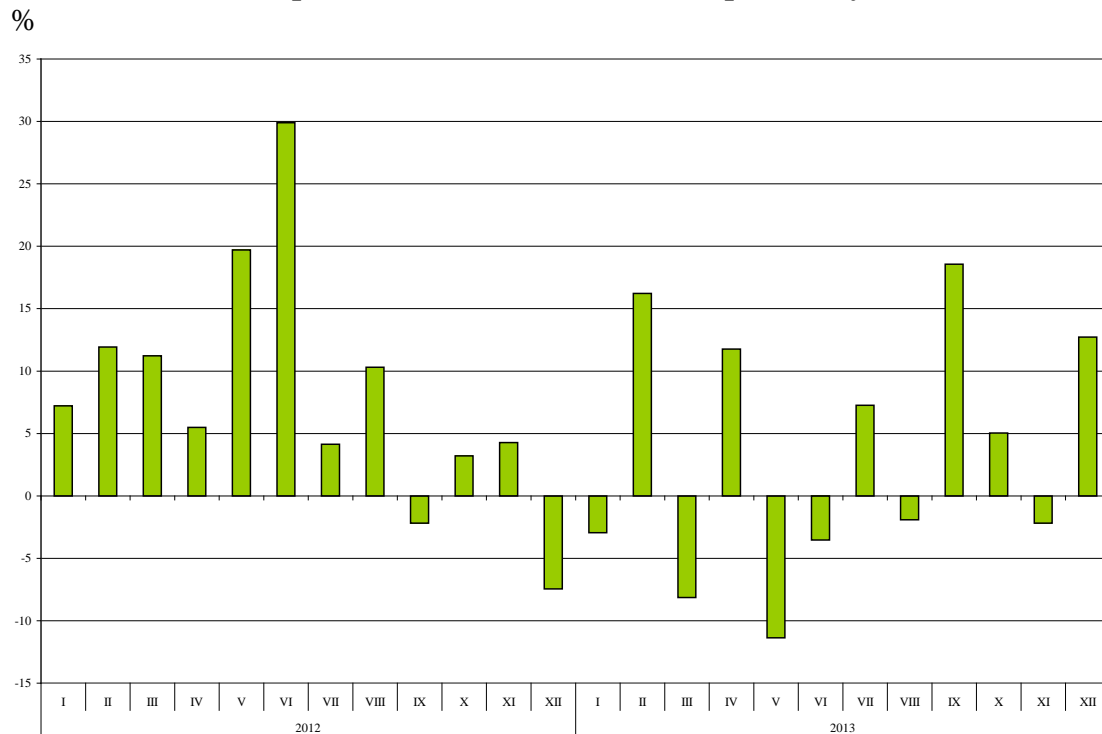
Bulgarian **imports from the EU** in 2013 grew by 3.1% compared to the previous year and added up to 30.2 Billion BGN at CIF prices (Annex, Tables 1 and 2). The largest amounts were reported for the goods imported from Germany, Italy, Romania, Greece, Spain and Hungary (Annex, Table 3).

In **December 2013** Bulgarian imports from the EU Member States increased by 12.7% compared to the corresponding month of the previous year and amounted to 2.5 Billion BGN at CIF prices.

<sup>1</sup> Value changes at current prices.



**Figure 2. Nominal value<sup>1</sup> change of imports of Bulgaria from EU for the period 2012 - 2013  
(Compared to the same month of the previous year)**



The **foreign trade balance** of Bulgaria (export FOB - import CIF) **with EU** in 2013 was negative and added up to 4 031.9 Million BGN (Annex, Table 1). At FOB/FOB prices (after elimination of transport and insurance costs on imports) the trade balance was also negative and amounted to 2 650.9 Million BGN.

In 2013 compared to 2012 the largest growth **in the exports** of Bulgaria **to EU** distributed according to the Standard International Trade Classification was recorded in the section “Animals and vegetable oils, fats and waxes” (29.5%) (Annex, Table 4). A fall (3.6%) was recorded in section “Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials”.

**In imports** from EU the largest increase (8.7%) was reported in section “Beverages and tobacco” while the most notable fall (5.1%) was observed in the section “Animals and vegetable oils, fats and waxes”.

<sup>1</sup> Value changes at current prices.

## Annex

### Exports, imports and trade balance of Bulgaria in 2012 and 2013<sup>1</sup> by months

Table 1  
(Million BGN)

Months/Periods	Exports - FOB			Imports - CIF			Imports - FOB <sup>2</sup>			Trade balance - FOB/CIF			Trade balance - FOB/FOB <sup>2</sup>		
	Total	EU <sup>3</sup>	Non EU <sup>4</sup>	Total	EU <sup>3</sup>	Non EU <sup>4</sup>	Total	EU <sup>3</sup>	Non EU <sup>4</sup>	Total	EU <sup>3</sup>	Non EU <sup>4</sup>	Total	EU <sup>3</sup>	Non EU <sup>4</sup>
I.2012	2810.3	1733.9	1076.4	3501.3	2130.3	1371.0	3330.7	2029.9	1300.8	-691.0	-396.4	-294.6	-520.4	-296.0	-224.4
II.2012	2862.9	1659.7	1203.2	3603.3	2125.2	1478.1	3433.5	2032.3	1401.2	-740.4	-465.5	-274.9	-570.6	-372.6	-198.0
III.2012	3363.6	2053.3	1310.3	4207.2	2540.7	1666.5	4008.0	2426.2	1581.8	-843.6	-487.4	-356.2	-644.4	-372.9	-271.5
<b>I - III.2012</b>	<b>9036.8</b>	<b>5446.9</b>	<b>3589.9</b>	<b>11311.8</b>	<b>6796.2</b>	<b>4515.6</b>	<b>10772.2</b>	<b>6488.4</b>	<b>4283.8</b>	<b>-2275.0</b>	<b>-1349.3</b>	<b>-925.7</b>	<b>-1735.4</b>	<b>-1041.5</b>	<b>-693.9</b>
IV.2012	3171.8	1950.5	1221.3	4277.3	2348.4	1928.9	4068.0	2245.9	1822.1	-1105.5	-397.9	-707.6	-896.2	-295.4	-600.8
V.2012	3647.7	2149.9	1497.8	4646.8	2679.1	1967.7	4420.4	2556.6	1863.8	-999.1	-529.2	-469.9	-772.7	-406.7	-366.0
VI.2012	3462.2	2017.5	1444.7	4372.3	2643.4	1728.9	4158.3	2517.6	1640.7	-910.1	-625.9	-284.2	-696.1	-500.1	-196.0
<b>IV - VI.2012</b>	<b>10281.7</b>	<b>6117.9</b>	<b>4163.8</b>	<b>13296.4</b>	<b>7670.9</b>	<b>5625.5</b>	<b>12646.7</b>	<b>7320.1</b>	<b>5326.6</b>	<b>-3014.7</b>	<b>-1553.0</b>	<b>-1461.7</b>	<b>-2365.0</b>	<b>-1202.2</b>	<b>-1162.8</b>
<b>I - VI.2012</b>	<b>19318.5</b>	<b>11564.8</b>	<b>7753.7</b>	<b>24608.2</b>	<b>14467.1</b>	<b>10141.1</b>	<b>23418.9</b>	<b>13808.5</b>	<b>9610.4</b>	<b>-5289.7</b>	<b>-2902.3</b>	<b>-2387.4</b>	<b>-4100.4</b>	<b>-2243.7</b>	<b>-1856.7</b>
VII.2012	3645.9	2251.4	1394.5	4341.6	2657.5	1684.1	4134.1	2536.4	1597.7	-695.7	-406.1	-289.6	-488.2	-285.0	-203.2
VIII.2012	3658.4	1979.5	1678.9	4115.4	2232.0	1883.4	3913.7	2134.6	1779.1	-457.0	-252.5	-204.5	-255.3	-155.1	-100.2
IX.2012	3549.9	2120.9	1429.0	4033.4	2351.8	1681.6	3836.8	2248.9	1587.9	-483.5	-230.9	-252.6	-286.9	-128.0	-158.9
<b>VII - IX.2012</b>	<b>10854.2</b>	<b>6351.8</b>	<b>4502.4</b>	<b>12490.4</b>	<b>7241.3</b>	<b>5249.1</b>	<b>11884.6</b>	<b>6919.9</b>	<b>4964.7</b>	<b>-1636.2</b>	<b>-889.5</b>	<b>-746.7</b>	<b>-1030.4</b>	<b>-568.1</b>	<b>-462.3</b>
<b>I - IX.2012</b>	<b>30172.7</b>	<b>17916.6</b>	<b>12256.1</b>	<b>37098.6</b>	<b>21708.4</b>	<b>15390.2</b>	<b>35303.5</b>	<b>20728.4</b>	<b>14575.1</b>	<b>-6925.9</b>	<b>-3791.8</b>	<b>-3134.1</b>	<b>-5130.8</b>	<b>-2811.8</b>	<b>-2319.0</b>
X.2012	3637.5	2106.5	1531.0	4537.8	2630.0	1907.8	4316.2	2514.0	1802.2	-900.3	-523.5	-376.8	-678.7	-407.5	-271.2
XI.2012	3802.9	2230.6	1572.3	4340.5	2718.9	1621.6	4131.3	2594.9	1536.4	-537.6	-488.3	-49.3	-328.4	-364.3	35.9
XII.2012	3009.8	1680.1	1329.7	3816.8	2202.1	1614.7	3639.6	2105.7	1533.9	-807.0	-522.0	-285.0	-629.8	-425.6	-204.2
<b>X - XII.2012</b>	<b>10450.2</b>	<b>6017.2</b>	<b>4433.0</b>	<b>12695.1</b>	<b>7551.0</b>	<b>5144.1</b>	<b>12087.1</b>	<b>7214.6</b>	<b>4872.5</b>	<b>-2244.9</b>	<b>-1533.8</b>	<b>-711.1</b>	<b>-1636.9</b>	<b>-1197.4</b>	<b>-439.5</b>
<b>I - XII.2012</b>	<b>40622.9</b>	<b>23933.8</b>	<b>16689.1</b>	<b>49793.7</b>	<b>29259.4</b>	<b>20534.3</b>	<b>47390.6</b>	<b>27943.0</b>	<b>19447.6</b>	<b>-9170.8</b>	<b>-5325.6</b>	<b>-3845.2</b>	<b>-6767.7</b>	<b>-4009.2</b>	<b>-2758.5</b>
I.2013	3474.6	2019.1	1455.5	3726.1	2067.6	1658.5	3540.1	1974.3	1565.8	-251.5	-48.5	-203.0	-65.5	44.8	-110.3
II.2013	3242.9	1952.2	1290.7	4058.3	2470.1	1588.2	3851.9	2350.6	1501.3	-815.4	-517.9	-297.5	-609.0	-398.4	-210.6
III.2013	3477.4	2173.7	1303.7	3859.9	2333.7	1526.2	3680.8	2232.6	1448.2	-382.5	-160.0	-222.5	-203.4	-58.9	-144.5
<b>I - III.2013</b>	<b>10194.9</b>	<b>6145.0</b>	<b>4049.9</b>	<b>11644.3</b>	<b>6871.4</b>	<b>4772.9</b>	<b>11072.8</b>	<b>6557.5</b>	<b>4515.3</b>	<b>-1449.4</b>	<b>-726.4</b>	<b>-723.0</b>	<b>-877.9</b>	<b>-412.5</b>	<b>-465.4</b>
IV.2013	3848.5	2192.5	1656.0	4365.8	2624.7	1741.1	4159.7	2503.1	1656.6	-517.3	-432.2	-85.1	-311.2	-310.6	-0.6
V.2013	3309.0	1879.3	1429.7	4137.6	2374.6	1763.0	3938.7	2269.0	1669.7	-828.6	-495.3	-333.3	-629.7	-389.7	-240.0
VI.2013	3439.5	2040.8	1398.7	4242.4	2549.9	1692.5	4037.1	2434.2	1602.9	-802.9	-509.1	-293.8	-597.6	-393.4	-204.2
<b>IV - VI.2013</b>	<b>10597.0</b>	<b>6112.6</b>	<b>4484.4</b>	<b>12745.8</b>	<b>7549.2</b>	<b>5196.6</b>	<b>12135.5</b>	<b>7206.3</b>	<b>4929.2</b>	<b>-2148.8</b>	<b>-1436.6</b>	<b>-712.2</b>	<b>-1538.5</b>	<b>-1093.7</b>	<b>-444.8</b>
<b>I - VI.2013</b>	<b>20791.9</b>	<b>12257.6</b>	<b>8534.3</b>	<b>24390.1</b>	<b>14420.6</b>	<b>9969.5</b>	<b>23208.3</b>	<b>13763.8</b>	<b>9444.5</b>	<b>-3598.2</b>	<b>-2163.0</b>	<b>-1435.2</b>	<b>-2416.4</b>	<b>-1506.2</b>	<b>-910.2</b>
VII.2013	3992.1	2437.9	1554.2	4672.9	2850.5	1822.4	4441.2	2717.8	1723.4	-680.8	-412.6	-268.2	-449.1	-279.9	-169.2
VIII.2013	3915.4	2382.6	1532.8	3875.3	2189.2	1686.1	3683.3	2090.4	1592.9	40.1	193.4	-153.3	232.1	292.2	-60.1
IX.2013	3789.3	2458.7	1330.6	4562.9	2788.5	1774.4	4334.8	2657.8	1677.0	-773.6	-329.8	-443.8	-545.5	-199.1	-346.4
<b>VII - IX.2013</b>	<b>11696.8</b>	<b>7279.2</b>	<b>4417.6</b>	<b>13111.1</b>	<b>7828.2</b>	<b>5282.9</b>	<b>12459.3</b>	<b>7466.0</b>	<b>4993.3</b>	<b>-1414.3</b>	<b>-549.0</b>	<b>-865.3</b>	<b>-762.5</b>	<b>-186.8</b>	<b>-575.7</b>
<b>I - IX.2013</b>	<b>32488.7</b>	<b>19536.8</b>	<b>12951.9</b>	<b>37501.2</b>	<b>22248.8</b>	<b>15252.4</b>	<b>35667.6</b>	<b>21229.8</b>	<b>14437.8</b>	<b>-5012.5</b>	<b>-2712.0</b>	<b>-2300.5</b>	<b>-3178.9</b>	<b>-1693.0</b>	<b>-1485.9</b>
X.2013	3943.8	2395.8	1548.0	4535.1	2762.7	1772.4	4306.6	2632.8	1673.8	-591.3	-366.9	-224.4	-362.8	-237.0	-125.8
XI.2013	3942.4	2451.1	1491.3	4516.2	2659.4	1856.8	4298.6	2541.5	1757.1	-573.8	-208.3	-365.5	-356.2	-90.4	-265.8
XII.2013	3099.6	1737.6	1362.0	3995.7	2482.3	1513.4	3804.5	2368.1	1436.4	-896.1	-744.7	-151.4	-704.9	-630.5	-74.4
<b>X - XII.2013</b>	<b>10985.8</b>	<b>6584.5</b>	<b>4401.3</b>	<b>13047.0</b>	<b>7904.4</b>	<b>5142.6</b>	<b>12409.7</b>	<b>7542.4</b>	<b>4867.3</b>	<b>-2061.2</b>	<b>-1319.9</b>	<b>-741.3</b>	<b>-1423.9</b>	<b>-957.9</b>	<b>-466.0</b>
<b>I - XII.2013</b>	<b>43474.5</b>	<b>26121.3</b>	<b>17353.2</b>	<b>50548.2</b>	<b>30153.2</b>	<b>20395.0</b>	<b>48077.3</b>	<b>28772.2</b>	<b>19305.1</b>	<b>-7073.7</b>	<b>-4031.9</b>	<b>-3041.8</b>	<b>-4602.8</b>	<b>-2650.9</b>	<b>-1951.9</b>

<sup>1</sup> Data are preliminary as of 11.03.2014.

<sup>2</sup> By data of BNB for the transport costs.

<sup>3</sup> EU including Croatia also for the periods prior 1<sup>st</sup> of July 2013.

<sup>4</sup> Non EU excluding Croatia also for the periods prior 1<sup>st</sup> of July 2013.



Table 2

Value changes of exports and imports of Bulgaria in 2013<sup>1</sup> compared to the same period of the previous year  
(Per cent)

Months/Periods	Exports - FOB			Imports - CIF			Imports - FOB		
	Total	EU <sup>2</sup>	Non EU <sup>3</sup>	Total	EU <sup>2</sup>	Non EU <sup>3</sup>	Total	EU <sup>2</sup>	Non EU <sup>3</sup>
I	23.6	16.4	35.2	6.4	-2.9	21.0	6.3	-2.7	20.4
II	13.3	17.6	7.3	12.6	16.2	7.4	12.2	15.7	7.1
III	3.4	5.9	-0.5	-8.3	-8.1	-8.4	-8.2	-8.0	-8.4
<b>I - III</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>5.4</b>
IV	21.3	12.4	35.6	2.1	11.8	-9.7	2.3	11.5	-9.1
V	-9.3	-12.6	-4.5	-11.0	-11.4	-10.4	-10.9	-11.2	-10.4
VI	-0.7	1.2	-3.2	-3.0	-3.5	-2.1	-2.9	-3.3	-2.3
<b>IV - VI</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>-4.1</b>	<b>-1.6</b>	<b>-7.6</b>	<b>-4.0</b>	<b>-1.6</b>	<b>-7.5</b>
<b>I - VI</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>-1.7</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>-1.7</b>
VII	9.5	8.3	11.5	7.6	7.3	8.2	7.4	7.2	7.9
VIII	7.0	20.4	-8.7	-5.8	-1.9	-10.5	-5.9	-2.1	-10.5
IX	6.7	15.9	-6.9	13.1	18.6	5.5	13.0	18.2	5.6
<b>VII - IX</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>-1.9</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>0.6</b>
<b>I - IX</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>-0.9</b>
X	8.4	13.7	1.1	-0.1	5.0	-7.1	-0.2	4.7	-7.1
XI	3.7	9.9	-5.2	4.0	-2.2	14.5	4.0	-2.1	14.4
XII	3.0	3.4	2.4	4.7	12.7	-6.3	4.5	12.5	-6.4
<b>X - XII</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>-0.7</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>-0.1</b>
<b>I - XII</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>-0.7</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>-0.7</b>

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<sup>2</sup> EU including Croatia also for the periods prior 1<sup>st</sup> of July 2013.

<sup>3</sup> Non EU excluding Croatia also for the periods prior 1<sup>st</sup> of July 2013.


**Table 3**
**Exports, imports and trade balance by groups of countries and main partner countries<sup>1</sup> of Bulgaria in 2012 and 2013<sup>2</sup>**

Countries and groups of countries	Exports - FOB			Imports - CIF			Trade balance - FOB/CIF	
	2012	2013	Change compared to the same period of the previous year - %	2012	2013	Change compared to the same period of the previous year - %	2012	2013
	Million BGN			Million BGN			Million BGN	
<b>Total</b>	<b>40622.9</b>	<b>43474.5</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>49793.7</b>	<b>50548.2</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>-9170.8</b>	<b>-7073.7</b>
<b>EU<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>23933.8</b>	<b>26121.3</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>29259.4</b>	<b>30153.2</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>-5325.6</b>	<b>-4031.9</b>
Austria	744.0	783.4	5.3	1529.9	1390.2	-9.1	-785.9	-606.8
Belgium	1497.9	1262.8	-15.7	872.3	929.6	6.6	625.6	333.2
Croatia	154.0	98.0	-36.4	59.4	72.0	21.2	94.6	26.0
Cyprus	163.5	145.4	-11.1	154.5	84.4	-45.4	9.0	61.0
Czech Republic	497.2	557.4	12.1	958.2	1033.1	7.8	-461.0	-475.7
Denmark	185.8	199.3	7.3	177.9	182.1	2.4	7.9	17.2
Estonia	21.9	36.2	65.3	11.3	20.7	83.2	10.6	15.5
Finland	71.4	73.5	2.9	119.8	90.0	-24.9	-48.4	-16.5
France	1623.4	1880.1	15.8	1450.3	1500.8	3.5	173.1	379.3
Germany	4159.0	5367.5	29.1	5537.4	5463.2	-1.3	-1378.4	-95.7
Greece	2923.1	3020.2	3.3	3017.2	2808.3	-6.9	-94.1	211.9
Hungary	471.9	539.1	14.2	1488.5	1536.4	3.2	-1016.6	-997.3
Ireland	59.8	58.4	-2.3	165.8	160.7	-3.1	-106.0	-102.3
Italy	3449.8	3766.8	9.2	3299.1	3767.1	14.2	150.7	-0.3
Latvia	53.4	49.0	-8.2	33.1	21.0	-36.6	20.3	28.0
Lithuania	69.0	83.1	20.4	91.8	79.3	-13.6	-22.8	3.8
Luxembourg	7.5	6.7	-10.7	40.7	92.6	127.5	-33.2	-85.9
Malta	21.8	44.5	104.1	89.6	13.0	-85.5	-67.8	31.5
Netherlands	741.8	940.0	26.7	1494.6	1337.0	-10.5	-752.8	-397.0
Poland	710.3	790.9	11.3	1093.5	1429.5	30.7	-383.2	-638.6
Portugal	358.1	281.0	-21.5	137.8	99.7	-27.6	220.3	181.3
Romania	3274.3	3363.8	2.7	3260.6	3365.3	3.2	13.7	-1.5
Slovakia	246.7	323.2	31.0	644.5	655.3	1.7	-397.8	-332.1
Slovenia	366.1	242.3	-33.8	315.4	332.0	5.3	50.7	-89.7
Spain	1055.2	1006.7	-4.6	2205.0	2618.1	18.7	-1149.8	-1611.4
Sweden	183.8	211.7	15.2	259.4	285.1	9.9	-75.6	-73.4
United Kingdom	778.9	917.9	17.8	715.0	747.5	4.5	63.9	170.4
Not specified	44.2	72.4	63.8	36.8	39.2	6.5	7.4	33.2

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<sup>3</sup> EU including Croatia.

Exports, imports and trade balance by groups of countries and main partner countries<sup>1</sup> of Bulgaria in 2012 and 2013<sup>2</sup>

(Continued)

Countries and groups of countries	Exports - FOB			Imports - CIF			Trade balance - FOB/CIF	
	2012	2013	Change compared to the same period of the previous year - %	2012	2013	Change compared to the same period of the previous year - %	2012	2013
	Million BGN			Million BGN			Million BGN	
<b>Non EU countries<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>16689.1</b>	<b>17353.2</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>20534.3</b>	<b>20395.0</b>	<b>-0.7</b>	<b>-3845.2</b>	<b>-3041.8</b>
<b>CIS<sup>4</sup></b>	<b>1987.8</b>	<b>2366.7</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>11862.0</b>	<b>10786.0</b>	<b>-9.1</b>	<b>-9874.2</b>	<b>-8419.3</b>
of which:								
Kazakhstan	59.8	65.8	10.0	77.3	87.6	13.3	-17.5	-21.8
Russian Federation	1100.2	1121.8	2.0	10363.0	9356.5	-9.7	-9262.8	-8234.7
Ukraine	479.1	837.1	74.7	1253.5	1121.4	-10.5	-774.4	-284.3
<b>OECD<sup>5</sup></b>	<b>5677.6</b>	<b>5617.9</b>	<b>-1.1</b>	<b>3664.0</b>	<b>4517.6</b>	<b>23.3</b>	<b>2013.6</b>	<b>1100.3</b>
of which:								
Canada	207.3	148.4	-28.4	68.3	32.3	-52.7	139.0	116.1
Israel	163.4	177.6	8.7	112.2	90.4	-19.4	51.2	87.2
Japan	47.4	55.5	17.1	124.0	129.7	4.6	-76.6	-74.2
Korea, Republic of	228.9	232.4	1.5	183.4	168.2	-8.3	45.5	64.2
Turkey	3828.9	3918.2	2.3	2324.9	2970.8	27.8	1504.0	947.4
United States	725.3	594.8	-18.0	338.2	386.4	14.3	387.1	208.4
<b>EFTA<sup>6</sup></b>	<b>376.9</b>	<b>381.3</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>423.3</b>	<b>419.3</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>-46.4</b>	<b>-38.0</b>
of which:								
Norway	60.0	69.3	15.5	15.4	30.8	100.0	44.6	38.5
Switzerland	307.8	300.2	-2.5	407.3	387.9	-4.8	-99.5	-87.7

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<sup>3</sup> Non EU excluding Croatia

<sup>4</sup> CIS includes: Azerbaijan; Armenia; Belarus; Kazakhstan; Kyrgyz, Republic; Moldova, Republic of; Russian Federation; Tajikistan; Turkmenistan; Uzbekistan and Ukraine.

<sup>5</sup> OECD includes: Australia; Virgin Islands (US); United States; Iceland; Canada; Mexico; New Zealand; Norway; Korea, Republic of; Turkey; Switzerland; Japan; Israel and Chile.

<sup>6</sup> EFTA includes: Norway; Switzerland; Iceland and Liechtenstein.



Table 3

Exports, imports and trade balance by groups of countries and main partner countries<sup>1</sup> of Bulgaria in 2012 and 2013<sup>2</sup>

(Continued and end)

Countries and groups of countries	Exports - FOB			Imports - CIF			Trade balance - FOB/CIF	
	2012	2013	Change compared to the same period of the previous year - %	2012	2013	Change compared to the same period of the previous year - %	2012	2013
	Million BGN			Million BGN			Million BGN	
<b>Countries not included in the upper groups</b>								
Albania	97.9	121.5	24.1	37.1	33.4	-10.0	60.8	88.1
Bosnia and Herzegovina	68.6	76.8	12.0	31.1	49.9	60.5	37.5	26.9
Brazil	67.6	26.7	-60.5	281.1	99.4	-64.6	-213.5	-72.7
China	1163.7	1267.0	8.9	1483.0	1500.9	1.2	-319.3	-233.9
Egypt	335.8	348.8	3.9	112.1	117.5	4.8	223.7	231.3
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	768.0	687.2	-10.5	493.4	539.8	9.4	274.6	147.4
Georgia	557.6	365.1	-34.5	336.2	419.0	24.6	221.4	-53.9
India	66.8	63.9	-4.3	146.8	240.9	64.1	-80.0	-177.0
Indonesia	36.1	50.8	40.7	50.4	55.5	10.1	-14.3	-4.7
Iran, Islamic Republic of	34.9	69.4	98.9	8.7	3.5	-59.8	26.2	65.9
Peru	6.4	12.7	98.4	162.6	18.9	-88.4	-156.2	-6.2
Serbia	865.2	730.9	-15.5	494.8	514.4	4.0	370.4	216.5
Singapore	93.8	650.0	593.0	29.0	25.5	-12.1	64.8	624.5
South Africa	229.5	288.6	25.8	65.4	76.8	17.4	164.1	211.8
Syrian Arab Republic	37.9	132.0	248.3	69.0	37.6	-45.5	-31.1	94.4
Taiwan	47.7	46.6	-2.3	126.6	131.5	3.9	-78.9	-84.9
United Arab Emirates	307.4	506.3	64.7	106.4	80.0	-24.8	201.0	426.3
Viet Nam	35.6	34.4	-3.4	61.6	59.6	-3.2	-26.0	-25.2

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Table 4

Exports, imports and trade balance of Bulgaria by sections of SITC, rev.4 in 2012 and 2013<sup>1</sup>

Sections by SITC	Exports - FOB			Imports - CIF			Trade balance - FOB/CIF	
	2012	2013	Change compared to the same period of the previous year - %	2012	2013	Change compared to the same period of the previous year - %	2012	2013
	Million BGN			Million BGN			Million BGN	
<b>Total</b>	<b>40622.9</b>	<b>43474.5</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>49793.7</b>	<b>50548.2</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>-9170.8</b>	<b>-7073.7</b>
of which EU <sup>2</sup>	<b>23933.8</b>	<b>26121.3</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>29259.4</b>	<b>30153.2</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>-5325.6</b>	<b>-4031.9</b>
Food and live animals	4135.3	5009.4	21.1	3497.2	3602.9	3.0	638.1	1406.5
of which EU	3203.1	3392.5	5.9	3031.7	3004.4	-0.9	171.4	388.1
Beverages and tobacco	877.4	946.9	7.9	629.0	696.7	10.8	248.4	250.2
of which EU	318.9	356.7	11.9	462.9	503.2	8.7	-144.0	-146.5
Crude materials, inedible (except fuel)	3565.6	3664.1	2.8	4398.7	4651.3	5.7	-833.1	-987.2
of which EU	1690.6	1969.2	16.5	2687.9	2865.1	6.6	-997.3	-895.9
Mineral fuel, lubricants and related materials	6746.6	6551.2	-2.9	12402.6	11656.4	-6.0	-5656.0	-5105.2
of which EU	1560.7	1505.1	-3.6	1839.4	1817.1	-1.2	-278.7	-312.0
Animals and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	303.0	394.5	30.2	245.5	212.6	-13.4	57.5	181.9
of which EU	234.4	303.6	29.5	177.9	168.8	-5.1	56.5	134.8
Chemical and related products n.e.c.	3371.8	3548.7	5.2	5711.1	6104.7	6.9	-2339.3	-2556.0
of which EU	1619.3	1854.5	14.5	4391.9	4629.4	5.4	-2772.6	-2774.9
Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	9275.0	9666.3	4.2	7766.9	8120.3	4.6	1508.1	1546.0
of which EU	5859.6	6358.2	8.5	4966.2	5073.6	2.2	893.4	1284.6
Machinery and transport equipment	6741.4	7811.1	15.9	11990.2	11936.9	-0.4	-5248.8	-4125.8
of which EU	4835.1	5517.0	14.1	9290.9	9391.6	1.1	-4455.8	-3874.6
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	5517.9	5778.9	4.7	3033.6	3325.0	9.6	2484.3	2453.9
of which EU	4589.3	4820.1	5.0	2307.5	2485.3	7.7	2281.8	2334.8
Commodities and transactions n.e.c.	88.9	103.4	16.3	118.9	241.4	103.0	-30.0	-138.0
of which EU	22.8	44.4	94.7	103.1	214.7	108.2	-80.3	-170.3

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<sup>2</sup> EU including Croatia.