

MERCHANDISE TRADE VALUE

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17%

World merchandise trade recorded a 17% year-on-year increase in the second quarter of 2022, as growth of world merchandise trade continued.

Source: WTO

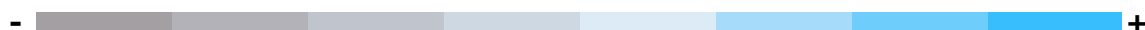


World merchandise exports increased by 17% in Q2 2022. Merchandise exports were up 49% in Other regions and 23% in North America in the second quarter. South and Central America followed with an increase of 20%. World merchandise imports increased by 18% in Q2 2022, with South and Central America recording the highest growth (+34%).

Year-on-year growth, %

	Exports				Imports			
	2021Q3	2021Q4	2022Q1	2022Q2	2021Q3	2021Q4	2022Q1	2022Q2
World	24	22	19	17	25	24	21	18
North America	21	21	19	23	22	20	22	22
South & Central America	40	30	26	20	55	46	34	34
Europe	18	15	14	9	18	20	24	18
Asia	23	23	16	14	31	29	18	15
Other ¹	48	53	60	49	27	23	15	10

Color Key



1. Includes the Caribbean

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NOTES

Annualized short-term statistics may differ from the annual statistics disseminated through [WTO Stats Portal](#), publications or press releases. Data for the latest period are provisional.

1. The publication is updated with the same frequency as the data release.

- Q1 Around the 25th of June
- Q2 Around the 25th of September
- Q3 Around the 20th of December
- Q4 Early April, along with the release of annual data.

2. For more information on the methodology, please refer to the [metadata](#).

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