

# GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

Working Party on Trade with Hungary

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## HUNGARIAN FOREIGN TRADE STATISTICS

### Communication from the Government of Hungary

The following communication has been received from the Government of Hungary.

With reference to Annex B of the Hungarian Protocol of Accession to the GATT, as well as to the forthcoming session of the Working Party on Trade with Hungary, I have the honour to submit hereby the following statistics:

- Exports of Hungary in 1977 and 1978 to contracting/non-contracting parties.
- Imports of Hungary in 1977 and 1978 from contracting/non-contracting parties.
- Structural pattern of the total Hungarian export of goods in 1977 and 1978.
- Structural pattern of the total Hungarian import of goods in 1977 and 1978.
- Geographical distribution of Hungarian exports and imports in 1977 and 1978.

At the circulation of the above statistics please draw the attention of the contracting parties to the six-digit statistics concerning imports of Hungary from contracting parties and other countries in 1977 (see L/4819), as well as to the statistics on Hungary's foreign trade in 1967-77 according to countries/tariff headings and tariff headings/countries ... (forwarded to the secretariat in April 1979) ..., indicating at the same time that all the statistics provided by Hungary can be consulted by the contracting parties at the GATT secretariat.

### EXPORTS OF HUNGARY IN 1977 AND 1978

(Value in million forints)

	1977	1978
Total exports	238.592	240.707
out of which:		
to contracting parties <sup>1</sup>	82.541	85.536
to non-contracting parties <sup>2</sup>	156.051	155.171

<sup>1</sup>Without GATT countries mentioned in Annex "A" of the Protocol for the Accession of Hungary to the GATT.

<sup>2</sup>Including GATT countries listed in Annex "A" of the Protocol for the Accession of Hungary to the GATT.

IMPORTS OF HUNGARY IN 1977 AND 1978  
(Value in million forints)

	1977	1978
Total imports	267.308	300.932
out of which:		
from contracting parties <sup>1</sup>	120.701	138.564
from non-contracting parties <sup>2</sup>	146.607	162.368

<sup>1</sup>Without GATT countries mentioned in Annex "A" of the Protocol for the Accession of Hungary to the GATT.

<sup>2</sup>Including GATT countries listed in Annex "A" of the Protocol for the Accession of Hungary to the GATT.

STRUCTURAL PATTERN OF THE TOTAL HUNGARIAN EXPORT  
OF GOODS IN 1977 AND 1978  
(Value in million forints)

	1977	1978
Energy /	5.806	7.332
Materials (parts)	71.627	71.120
Machinery	63.745	66.123
Industrial consumer goods	42.497	44.121
Agricultural and food products	54.917	52.011
Total:	238.592	240.707

STRUCTURAL PATTERN OF THE TOTAL HUNGARIAN-IMPORT  
OF GOODS IN 1977 AND 1978

(Value in million forints)

	1977	1978
Energy	29.916	37.809
Materials (parts)	129.565	144.813
Machinery	56.418	66.510
Industrial consumer goods	21.414	25.387
Agricultural and food products	29.995	26.413
Total:	267.308	300.932

Geographical Distribution of Hungarian Exports  
and Imports in 1977 and 1978

(Value in million forints)

Countries	Export		Import	
	1977	1978	1977	1978
Total:	238.592	240.707	267.308	300.932
out of which:				
to Europe	210.837	210.589	226.219	258.695
out of which:				
Albania	171	109	131	114
Austria	8.634	7.828	12.558	15.195
Belgium-Luxembourg	956	1.478	2.925	3.493
Bulgaria	2.830	3.160	3.262	3.695
Czechoslovakia	17.273	15.904	14.727	15.913
Denmark	1.078	992	1.646	1.756
Finland	1.202	1.259	1.849	2.404
France	3.895	3.789	6.218	7.215
Fed. Rep. of Germany	20.770	20.227	29.041	37.198
German Dem. Rep.	22.051	20.174	21.925	23.197
Greece	1.719	2.453	884	1.354
Iceland	3	4	99	145
Ireland	69	78	259	223
Italy	9.170	10.101	9.073	10.226
Netherlands	2.666	3.156	4.643	4.956
Norway	579	575	407	509
Portugal	53	26	201	287
Poland	11.590	11.469	11.791	12.507
Romania	7.139	6.544	6.999	6.959
Soviet Union	72.516	73.323	73.609	83.926
United Kingdom	3.095	3.573	5.412	5.739
Spain	505	864	989	1.023
Switzerland and Liechtenstein	3.191	3.208	6.713	8.128
Sweden	2.236	2.098	4.034	4.744
Turkey	776	1.428	1.045	1.373
Yugoslavia	10.721	11.313	4.864	4.260
Others	5.949	5.456	915	1.456

Countries	Export		Import	
	1977	1978	1977	1978
to Asia	15.114	15.878	13.342	16.583
out of which:				
Bangladesh	82	114	81	73
Cyprus	78	116	39	18
India	1.021	705	1.524	973
Indonesia	76	143	705	759
Iran	2.418	2.067	1.197	1.296
Iraq	2.989	3.667	2.800	4.772
Israel	111	134	97	119
Japan	374	593	2.844	3.223
Jordan	187	187	13	4
People's Dem. Rep. of Korea	358	174	220	147
Kuwait	1.823	1.655	-	26
Lebanon	1.126	1.437	45	140
Malaysia	5	14	679	781
Mongolia	185	173	132	157
Pakistan	337	189	247	230
People's Rep. of China	1.305	2.131	1.684	2.809
Saudi Arabia	537	385	1	0
Syria	1.077	747	216	245
Viet-Nam, Dem. Rep. of	628	803	222	286
Yemen, Arab Rep. of	27	53	1	2
Others	370	391	595	523
to Africa	6.554	7.614	4.829	6.054
out of which:				
Algeria	1.906	1.652	386	376
Arab Rep. of Egypt	423	539	574	808
Ivory Coast	42	83	68	897
Kenya	51	23	24	17
Libya	1.027	2.201	-	1
Morocco	158	196	270	453
Nigeria	1.323	1.162	922	1.508
Sudan	280	190	368	355
Tunisia	253	381	17	74
Uganda	22	0	154	344
Others	1.069	1.187	2.046	1.221

Countries	Export		Import	
	1977	1978	1977	1978
to America	5.858	6.394	21.577	18.230
out of which:				
Argentina	115	92	342	827
Brazil	338	484	8.522	6.359
Canada	703	799	756	638
Cuba	1,167	1,386	1.257	1.010
Chile	-	-	-	-
Colombia	72	69	114	17
Ecuador	6	15	1.338	963
Mexico	123	132	323	391
Peru	376	144	1.586	556
Uruguay	422	80	133	73
United States of America	2,179	2,791	6.043	6.388
Venezuela	149	111	0	0
Others	208	291	1.163	1.008
to Australia and Oceania	229	232	1.341	1.370
out of which:				
Australia	217	212	1.188	1.263
Others	12	20	153	107