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External Merchandise Trade of Georgia in January-May 2017 (Preliminary)

External Merchandise Trade (excluding non-declared trade) of Georgia amounted to USD 3945 million in January-May 2017 (preliminary data), grew by 15 percent from the same period of the previous year. The value of export increased by 29 percent reaching USD 1003 million, while the import grew by 11 percent and amounted to USD 2941 million with respect to January-May of the previous year. The trade deficit equaled USD 1938 million and its share in trade turnover constituted 49 percent.



The tables below shows dynamics of the external merchandise trade statistics indicators in 2012-2017.

External Merchandise Trade of Georgia in 2012-2017 (Million US Dollars)

| Year | Month | Exports | Imports | Turnover | Balance |
|-------|-------------|---------|---------|----------|---------|
| 2012 | January-May | 961 | 3 159 | 4 120 | -2 199 |
| 2013 | January-May | 1 002 | 2 934 | 3 936 | -1 932 |
| 2014 | January-May | 1 175 | 3 335 | 4 510 | -2 159 |
| 2015 | January-May | 883 | 2 915 | 3 798 | -2 033 |
| 2016* | January-May | 780 | 2 654 | 3 434 | -1 874 |
| 2017* | January-May | 1 003 | 2 941 | 3 945 | -1 938 |

*Preliminary data.

External merchandise trade of Georgia in 2012-2017 (Million US Dollars)

| ear | Month | Exports | Imports | Turnover | Balance |
|------|---------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| 2012 | Year | 2 376.6 | 8 056.4 | 10 433.0 | -5 679.7 |
| | January | 158.2 | 504.5 | 662.7 | -346.2 |
| | February | 147.4 | 561.3 | 708.8 | -413.9 |
| | March | 231.3 | 688.7 | 920.0 | -457.3 |
| | April | 188.3 | 707.1 | 895.5 | -518. |
| | May | 235.3 | 697.5 | 932.8 | -462.2 |
| | June | 179.7 | 642.0 | 821.7 | -462.3 |
| | July | 211.4 | 702.3 | 913.8 | -490.9 |
| | August | 198.5 | 708.4 | 907.0 | -509.9 |
| | September | 218.3 | 768.6 | 986.9 | -550.3 |
| | October | 216.7 | 734.6 | 951.4 | -517.9 |
| | November | 192.7 | 655.0 | 847.8 | -462.3 |
| | December | 198.7 | 686.2 | 884.8 | -487. |
| 2013 | Year | 2 910.6 | 8 022.7 | 10 933.4 | -5 112. |
| | Januarv February | 196.3 162.1 | 485.6 517.5 | 681.9 679.6 | -289.3 -355.3 |
| | March | 207.2 | 619.1 | 826.3 | -333. |
| | April | 207.2 | 651.9 | 872.2 | -431. |
| | May | 220.3 | 659.9 | 876.0 | -431. |
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| | June | 233.6 | 610.7 | 844.3 | -377. |
| | July August | 239.8 284.0 | 720.5 711.0 | 960.3 995.0 | -480. -427. |
| | September | 258.8 | 705.0 | 963.8 | -427. -446. |
| | October | 286.9 | 732.2 | 1 019.1 | -445. |
| | November | 313.2 | 789.8 | 1 103.0 | -476. |
| | December | 292.4 | 819.7 | 1 112.1 | -527. |
| 2014 | Year | 2 861.0 223.6 | 8 601.8 543.3 | 11 462.9 767.0 | -5 740. |
| | January February | 223.0 | 543.5 591.7 | 807.7 | -319. -375. |
| | March | 256.2 | 701.7 | 957.9 | -445. |
| | April | 236.9 | 683.6 | 920.5 | -446. |
| | May | 242.6 | 814.5 | 1 057.1 | -571. |
| | June | 244.1 | 698.1 | 942.2 | -453. |
| | July | 246.2 | 786.8 | 1 033.0 | -540. |
| | August | 247.6 | 683.3 | 930.9 | -435. |
| | September | 239.8 | 726.9 | 966.7 | -487. |
| | October | 272.2 | 783.8 | 1 056.0 | -511. |
| | November | 202.6 | 724.4 | 927.0 | -521. |
| | December | 233.0 | 863.8 | 1 096.8 | -630. |

| Year | Month | Exports | Imports | Turnover | Balance |
|-------|-------------|---------|---------|----------|----------|
| 2015 | Year | 2 204.7 | 7 292.3 | 9 497.0 | -5 087.6 |
| | January | 155.1 | 538.9 | 694.0 | -383.8 |
| | February | 167.2 | 580.1 | 747.3 | -412.8 |
| | March | 179.1 | 677.7 | 856.8 | -498.6 |
| | April | 186.6 | 552.1 | 738.6 | -365.5 |
| | May | 194.6 | 566.6 | 761.2 | -372.0 |
| | June | 198.6 | 607.5 | 806.1 | -409.0 |
| | July | 187.0 | 582.0 | 769.1 | -395.0 |
| | August | 190.4 | 624.3 | 814.6 | -433.9 |
| | September | 186.3 | 644.8 | 831.2 | -458.5 |
| | October | 187.9 | 616.1 | 804.0 | -428.2 |
| | November | 187.3 | 575.8 | 763.1 | -388.6 |
| | December | 184.6 | 726.3 | 910.9 | -541.7 |
| 2016* | Year | 2 112.9 | 7 288.8 | 9 401.7 | -5 175.9 |
| | January | 122.2 | 410.8 | 532.9 | -288.6 |
| | February | 158.3 | 523.9 | 682.2 | -365.6 |
| | March | 161.9 | 552.1 | 714.0 | -390.2 |
| | April | 165.3 | 556.7 | 722.0 | -391.4 |
| | May | 172.2 | 610.3 | 782.6 | -438.1 |
| | June | 167.9 | 642.3 | 810.2 | -474.4 |
| | July | 173.6 | 600.0 | 773.6 | -426.4 |
| | August | 187.9 | 691.1 | 879.0 | -503.2 |
| | September | 201.7 | 648.3 | 850.0 | -446.5 |
| | October | 189.3 | 662.0 | 851.3 | -472.7 |
| | November | 218.7 | 646.8 | 865.5 | -428.1 |
| | December | 193.8 | 744.4 | 938.1 | -550.6 |
| 2017* | January-May | 1 003.4 | 2 941.4 | 3 944.8 | -1 938.1 |
| | January | 176.8 | 502.2 | 678.9 | -325.4 |
| | February | 178.9 | 588.8 | 767.7 | -409.9 |
| | March | 220.8 | 621.6 | 842.4 | -400.7 |
| | April | 211.6 | 595.7 | 807.3 | -384.1 |
| | May | 215.2 | 633.2 | 848.5 | -418.0 |

*Preliminary data.

Detailed data on external merchandise trade of Georgia will be published on 19 June, 2017.

<u>Sources:</u> LEPL Revenue Service of Ministry of Finance of Georgia; LEPLService Agency of Ministry of Internal Affairs of Georgia; Georgian State Electric System, LTD; Georgian Gas Transportation Company, LTD.

Notice: The discrepancy between the totals and the sum in some cases can be explained by using rounded data.