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## Introduction

This report presents the developments in merchandise exports and imports of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia for the year 2016 as compared to the previous year according to the statistical methods and international standard classifications, mainly the Harmonized System (H.S).

It should be noted that the statistics presented in this report are preliminary and they may undergo some modifications in case of a data update.

**Note:** There might be some differences in the aggregates of numbers or percentages due to rounding.

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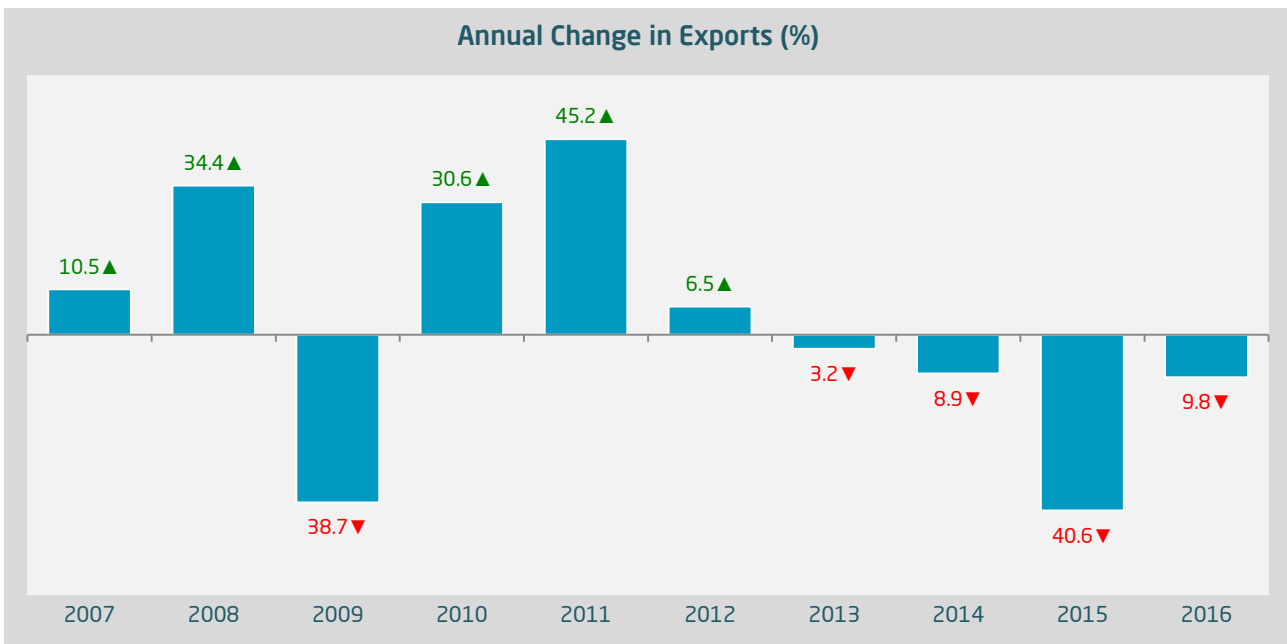
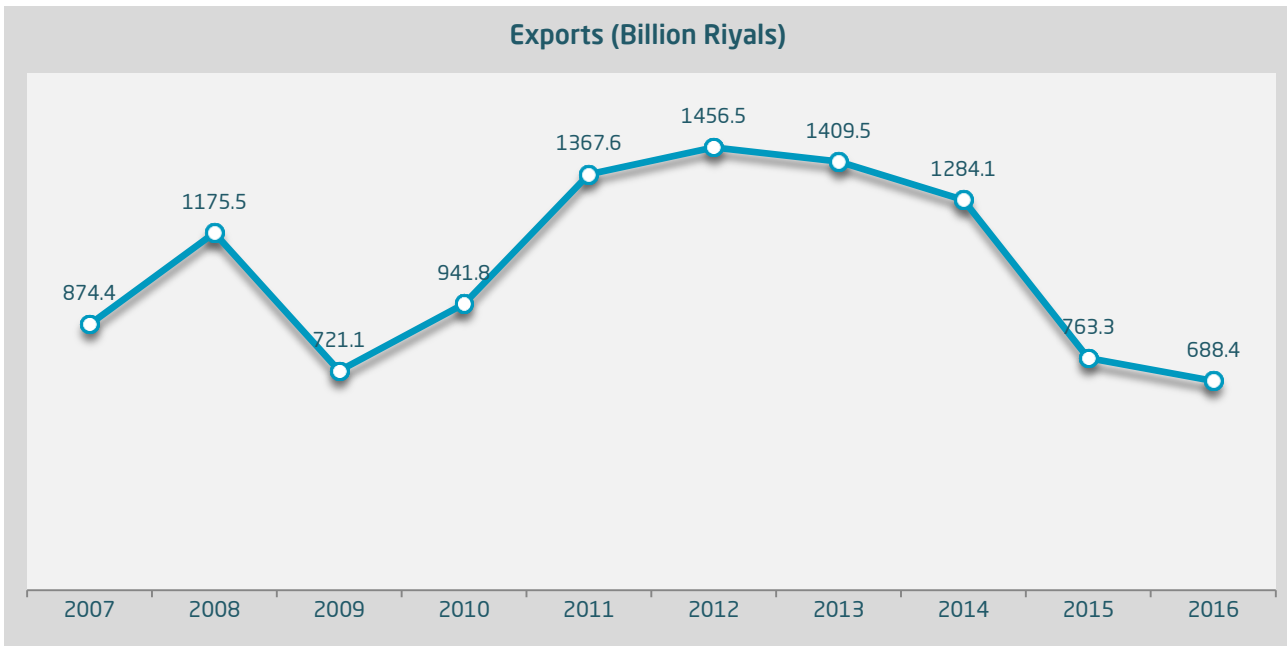
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## 1. Merchandise Exports

### 1.1. Developments in Exports

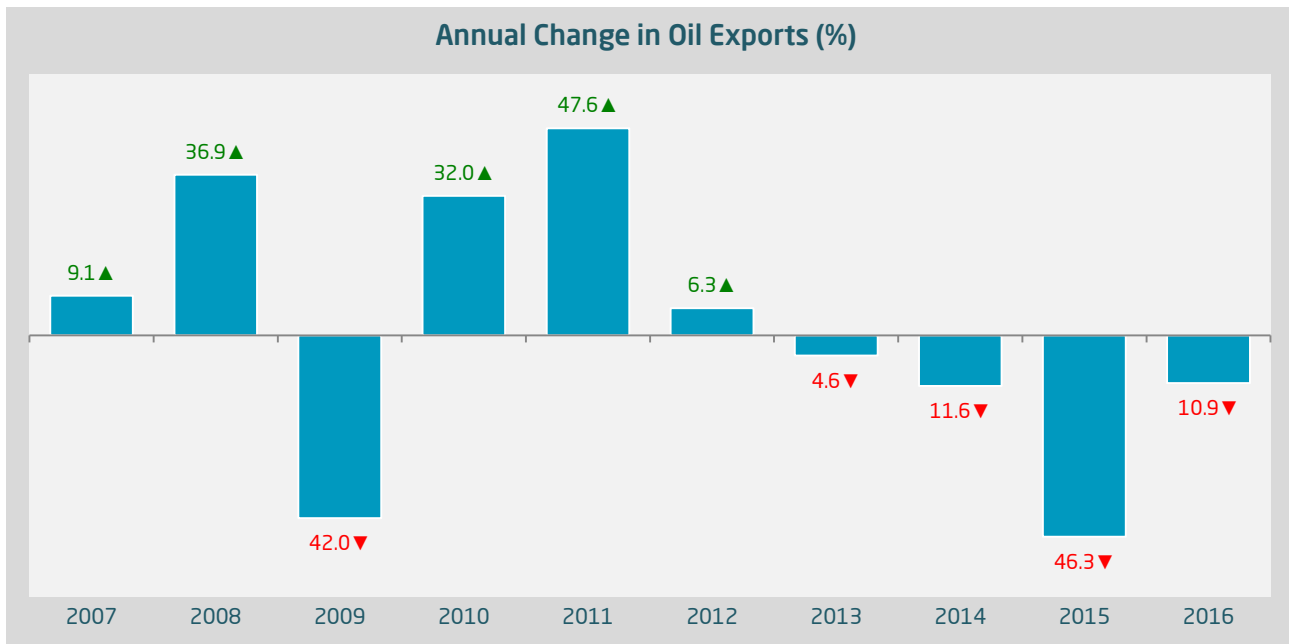
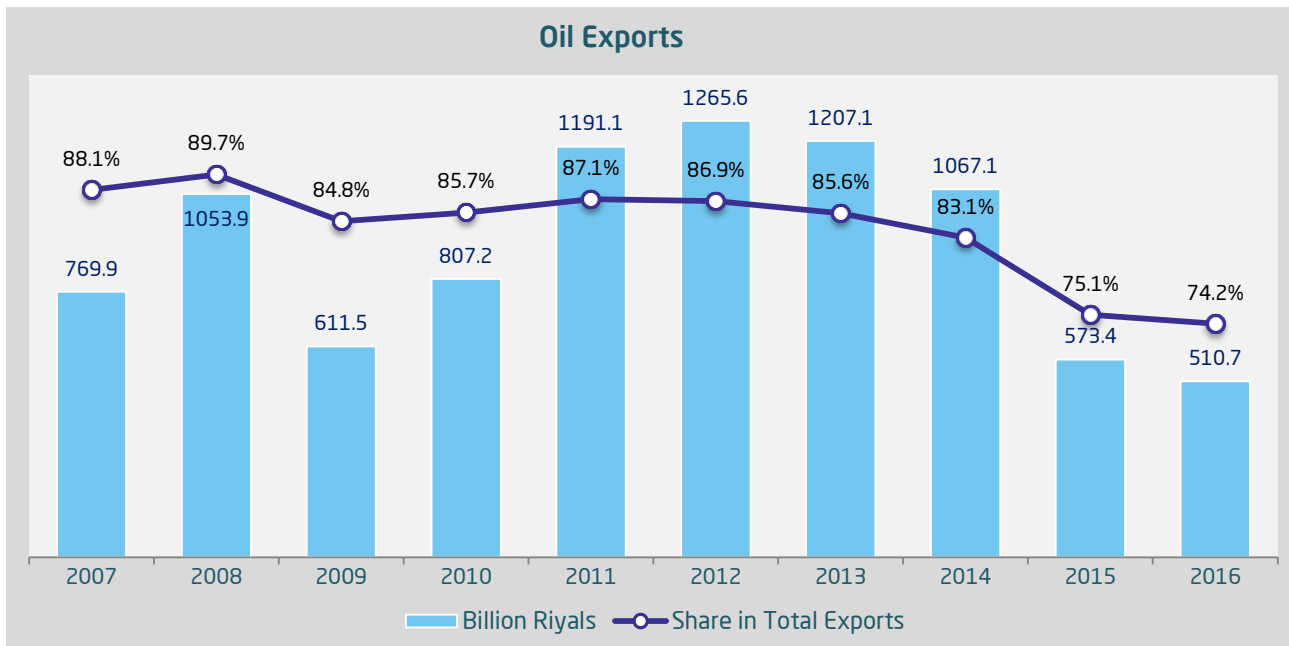
Total merchandise exports of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia amounted to 688.4 billion riyals in 2016 with an annual decrease of 74.9 billion riyals or 9.8% as compared to 763.3 billion riyals in 2015.





## 1.2. Oil Exports

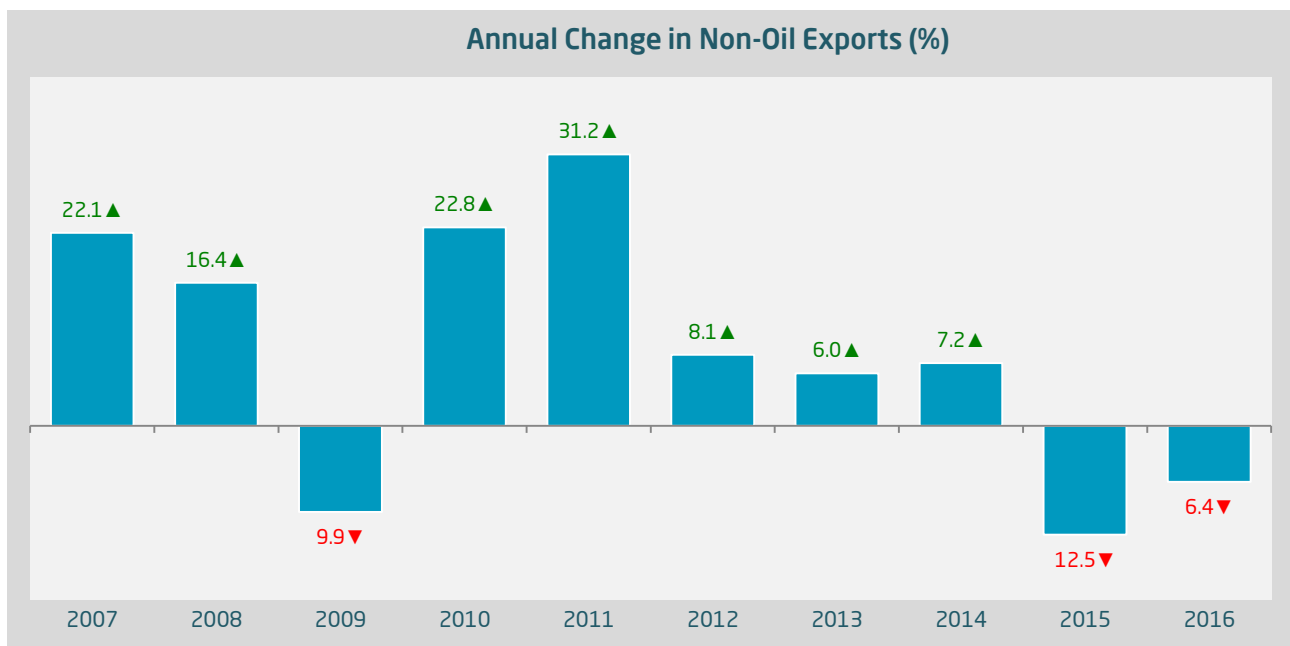
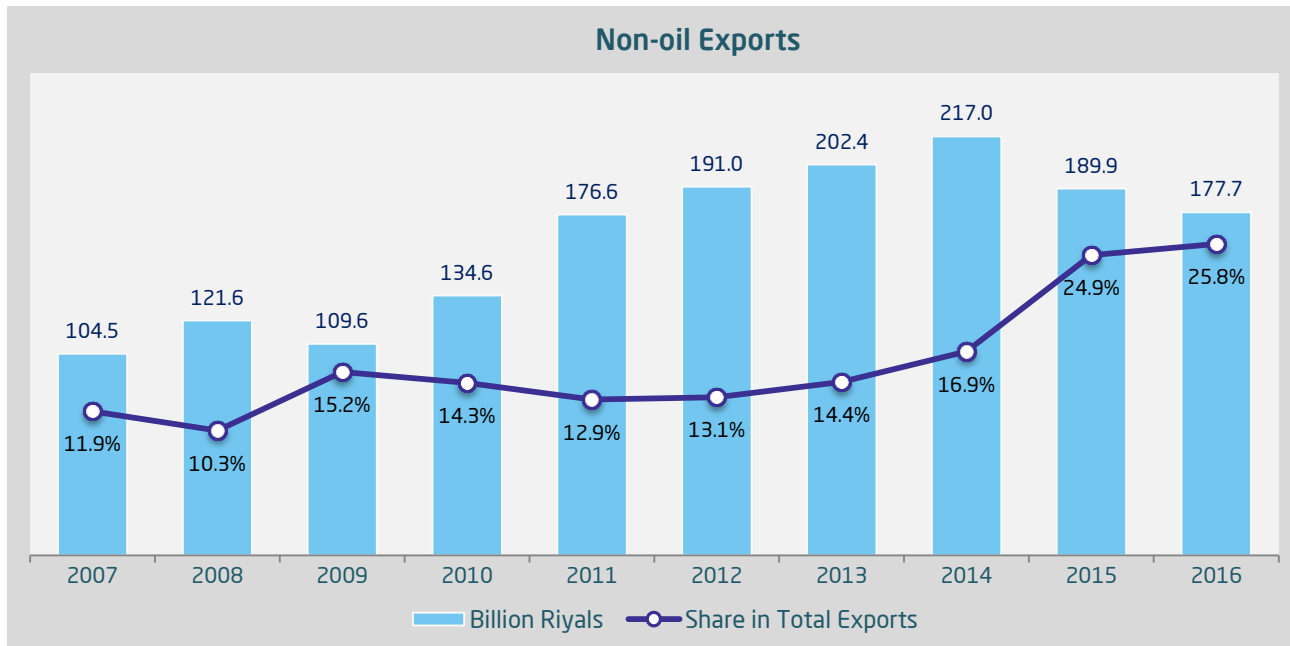
Oil exports of Saudi Arabia amounted to 510.7 billion riyals in 2016 as compared to 573.4 billion riyals in 2015, with a decrease of 62.7 billion riyals or 10.9%. Its share in the total merchandise exports also decreased from 75.1% in 2015 to 74.2% in 2016.





## 1.3. Non-Oil Exports

Non-oil merchandise exports reached 177.7 billion riyals in 2016 as compared to 189.9 billion riyals in 2015, with a decrease of 12.2 billion riyals or 6.4%. Its share in the total merchandise exports increased from 24.9% in 2015 to 25.8% in 2016 in parallel with a relatively sharper decline in oil exports over that period.

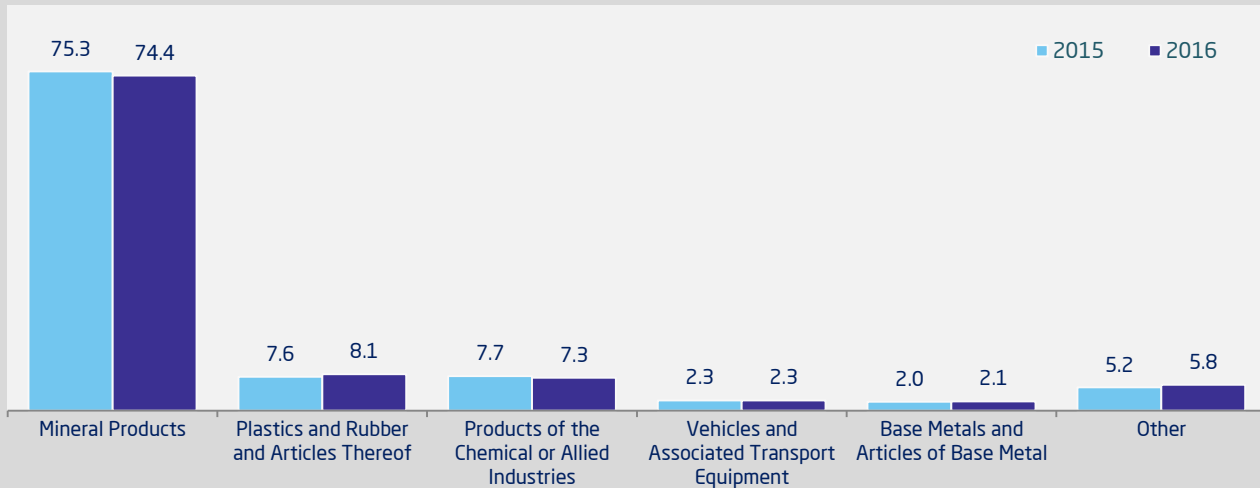




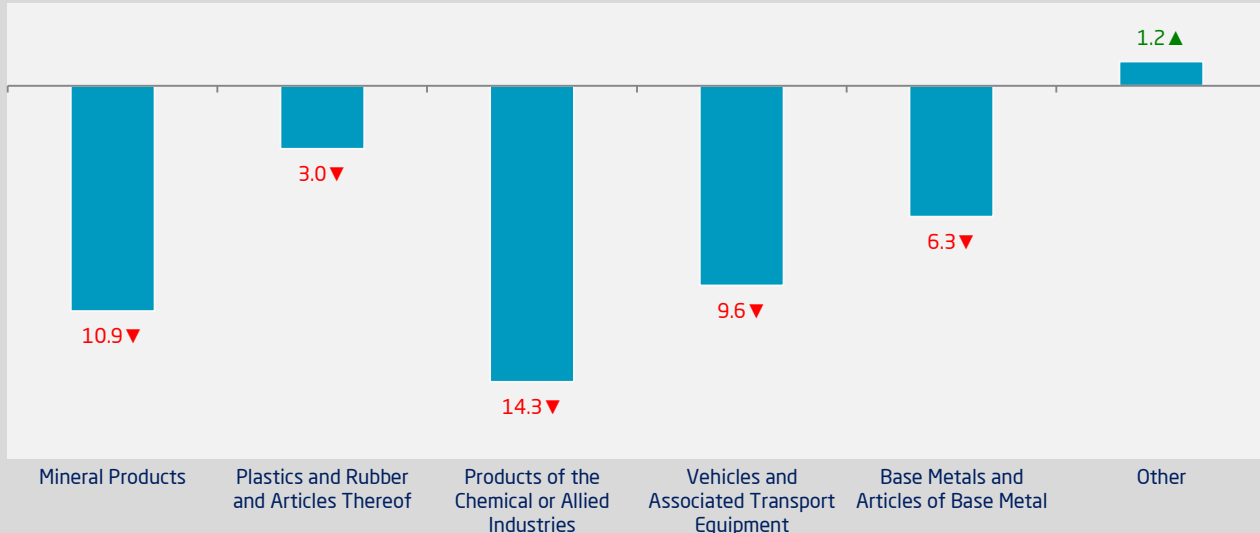
## 1.4. Exports by Section

Main Export Products (Million Riyals)				
Exported Products (by section of the Harmonized System)	2015	2016		
		Value	Change From Previous Year	Percentage Change (%)
Mineral Products	574817	512264	62553 ▼	10.9 ▼
Plastics and Rubber and Articles Thereof	57757	55999	1758 ▼	3.0 ▼
Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries	58819	50410	8409 ▼	14.3 ▼
Vehicles and Associated Transport Equipment	17456	15772	1684 ▼	9.6 ▼
Base Metals and Articles of Base Metal	15110	14155	955 ▼	6.3 ▼
Machinery and Mechanical Appliances; Electrical Equipment	10807	10449	358 ▼	3.3 ▼
Live Animals; Animal Products	5820	6032	212 ▲	3.6 ▲
Prepared Foodstuffs; Beverages and Vinegar; Tobacco	6287	5924	362 ▼	5.8 ▼
Pearls; Precious Stones; Imitation Jewellery	2599	4547	1948 ▲	75.0 ▲
Other	13842	12869	973 ▼	7.0 ▼
<b>Total</b>	<b>763313</b>	<b>688423</b>	<b>74890 ▼</b>	<b>9.8 ▼</b>

Main Export Products (Share in total exports, %)



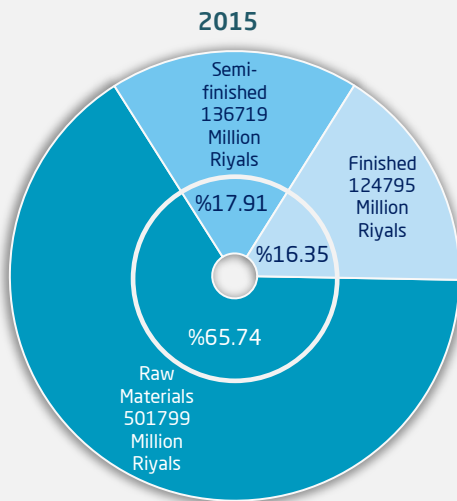
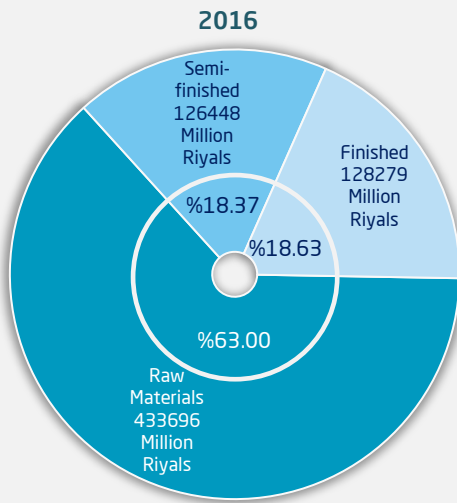
Annual Change in Main Export Products, 2016 (%)



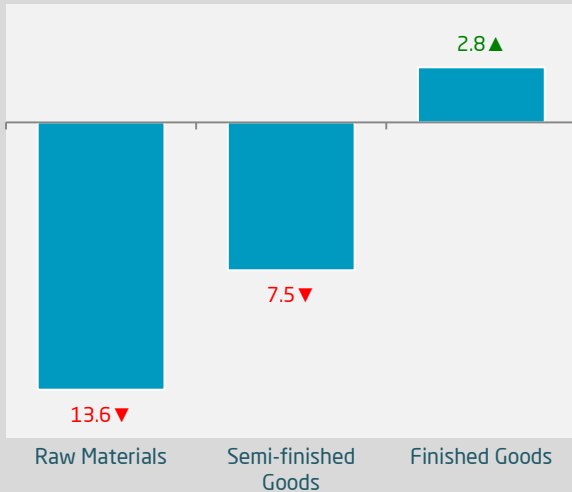


## 1.5. Exports by Nature and Utilization of Items

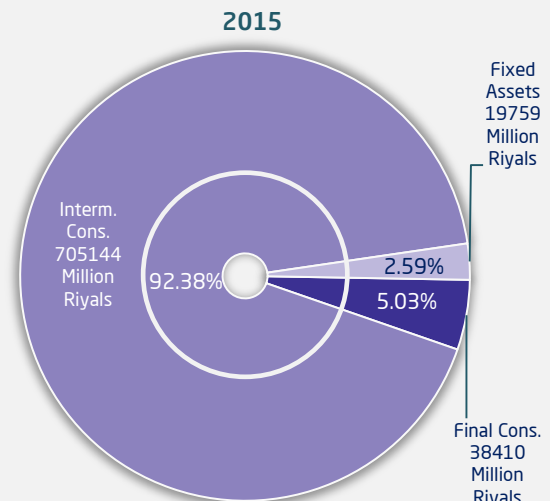
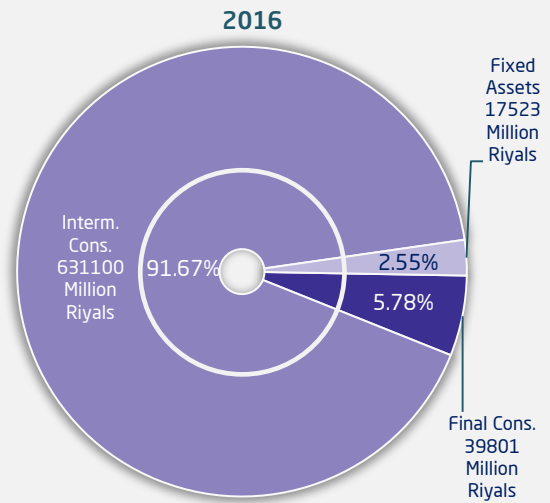
### Exports by Nature of Items



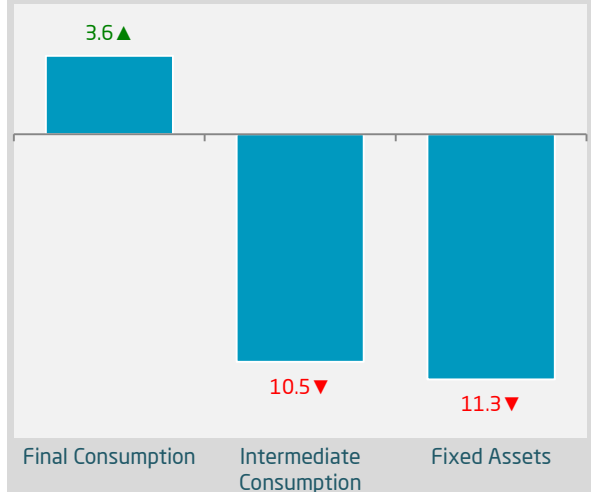
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### Exports by Utilization of Items



### Annual Change in 2016 (%)



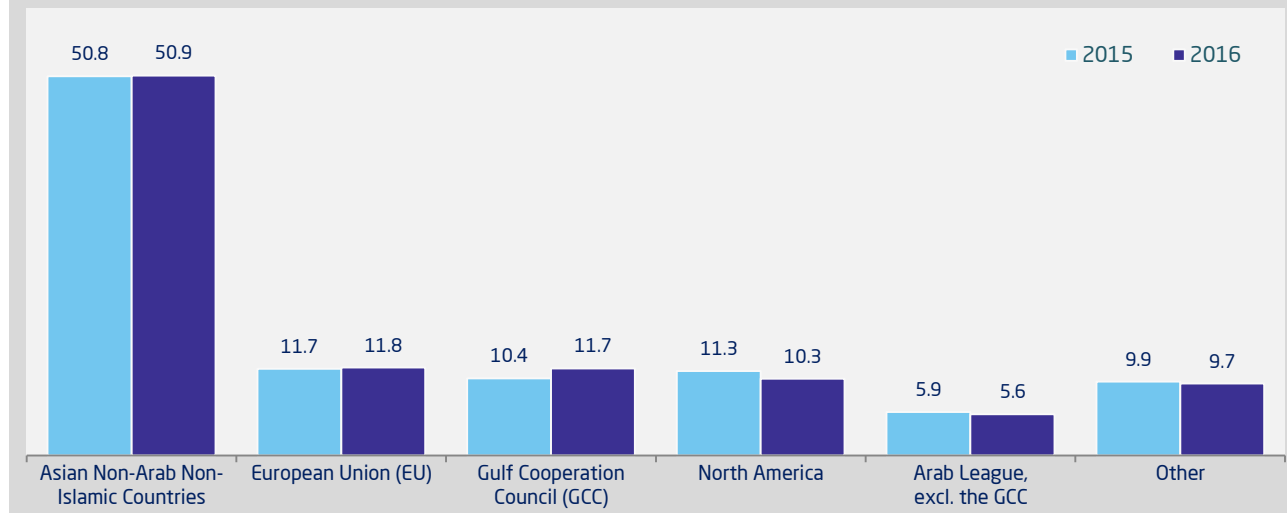




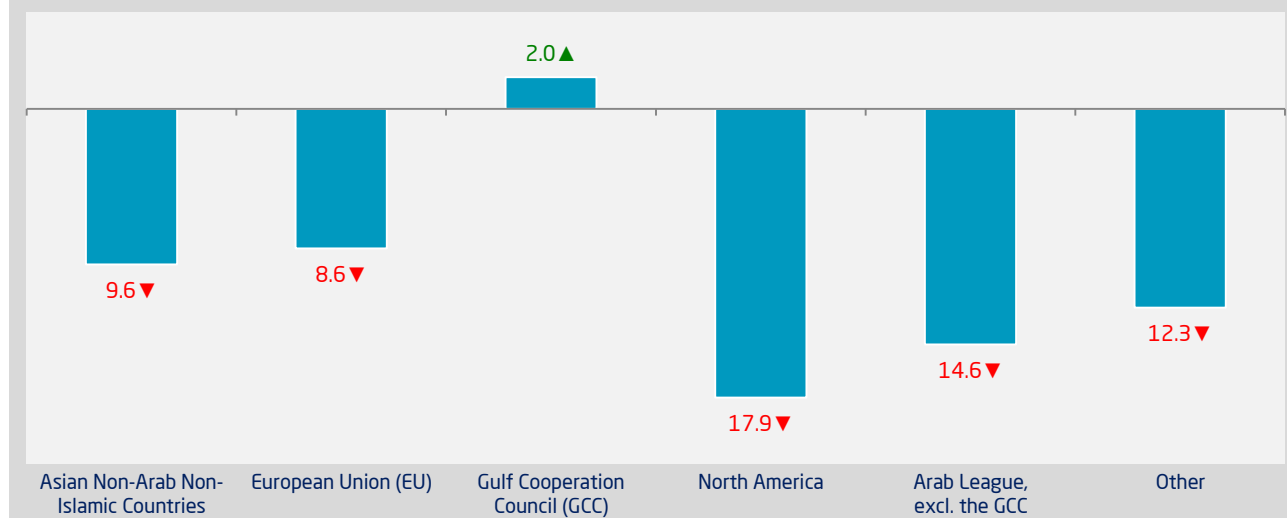
## 1.6. Exports by Country Group

Exports by Country Group (Million Riyals)				
Groups of Countries	2015	2016		
		Value	Change From Previous Year	Percentage Change (%)
Asian Non-Arab Non-Islamic Countries	388133	350739	37395▼	9.6▼
European Union (EU)	88997	81311	7686▼	8.6▼
Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC)	79009	80558	1548▲	2.0▲
North America	86533	71054	15479▼	17.9▼
Arab League, excl. the GCC	44836	38291	6545▼	14.6▼
Other	75804	66471	9333▼	12.3▼
<b>Total</b>	<b>763313</b>	<b>688423</b>	<b>74890▼</b>	<b>9.8▼</b>

Exports by Country Group (Share in Total Exports, %)



Annual Change in Exports by Country Group, 2016 (%)

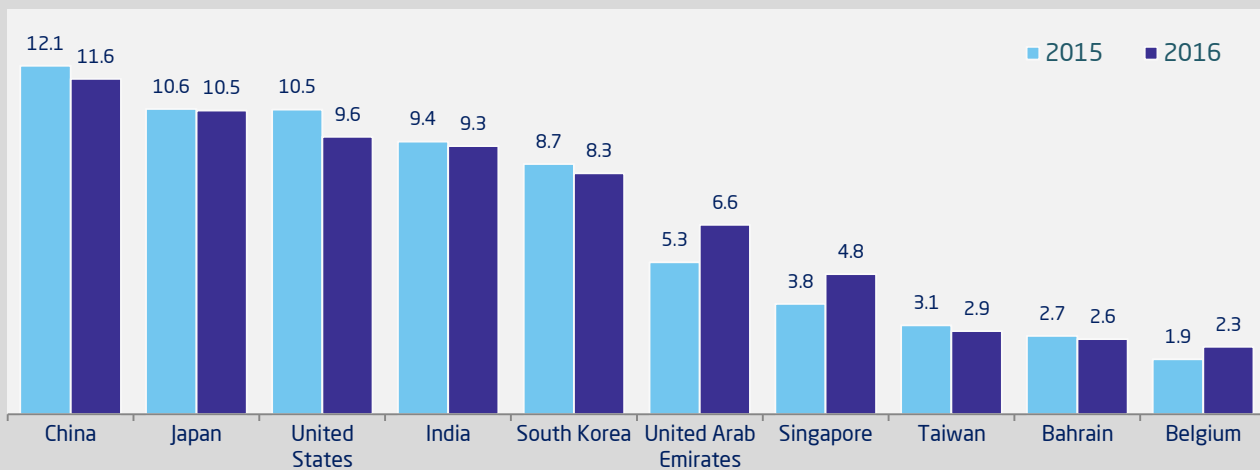




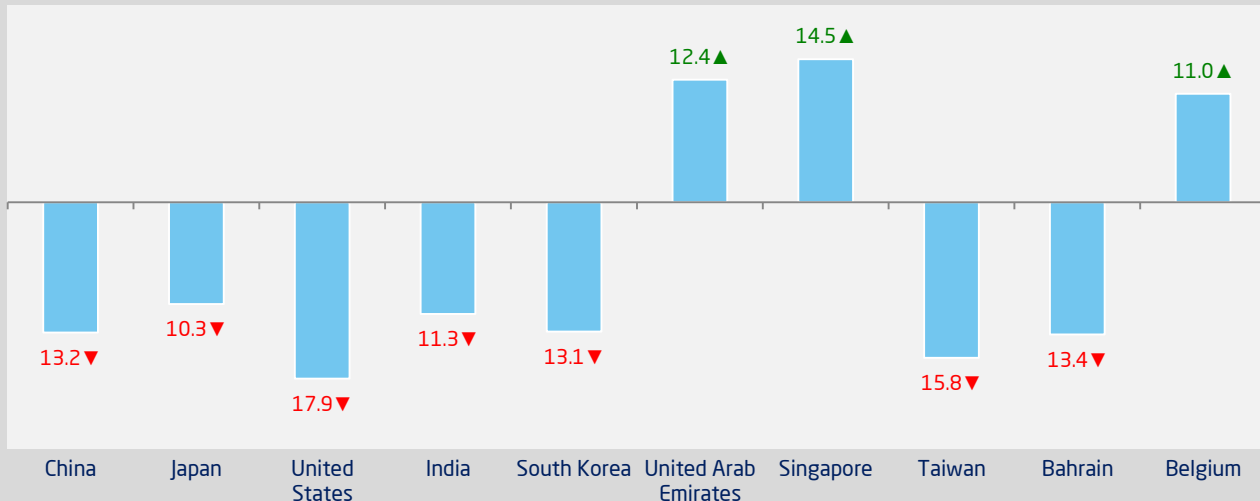
## 1.7. Top 10 Partner Countries for Exports

Top 10 Partner Countries for Exports (Million Riyals)				
Countries	2015	2016		
		Value	Change From Previous Year	Percentage Change (%)
China	92069	79916	12153▼	13.2▼
Japan	80683	72342	8340▼	10.3▼
United States	80525	66128	14397▼	17.9▼
India	72052	63880	8172▼	11.3▼
South Korea	66099	57432	8667▼	13.1▼
United Arab Emirates	40161	45154	4994▲	12.4▲
Singapore	29145	33377	4231▲	14.5▲
Taiwan	23524	19814	3710▼	15.8▼
Bahrain	20652	17884	2768▼	13.4▼
Belgium	14499	16093	1595▲	11.0▲
<b>Total</b>	<b>519408</b>	<b>472021</b>	<b>47387▼</b>	<b>9.1▼</b>
Share of the top 10 countries in total exports (%)		68.05	68.57	

Top 10 Partner Countries for Exports (Share in Total Exports, %)



Annual Change in Exports to the Top 10 Countries, 2016 (%)

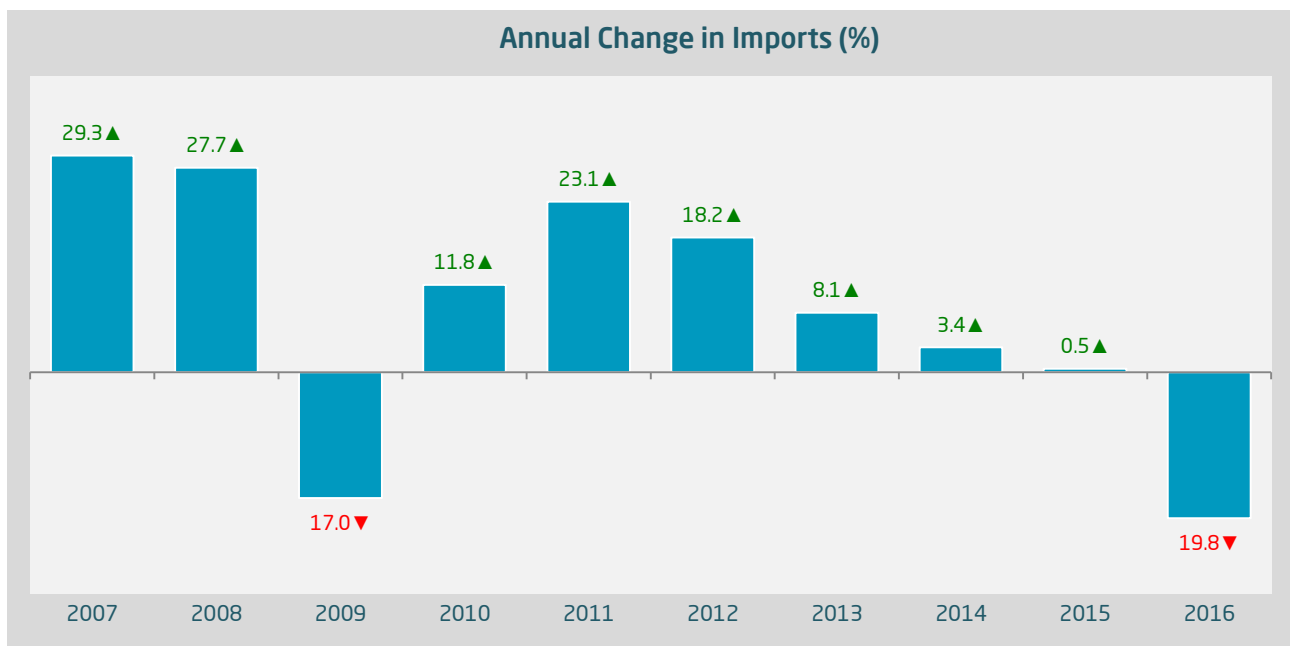
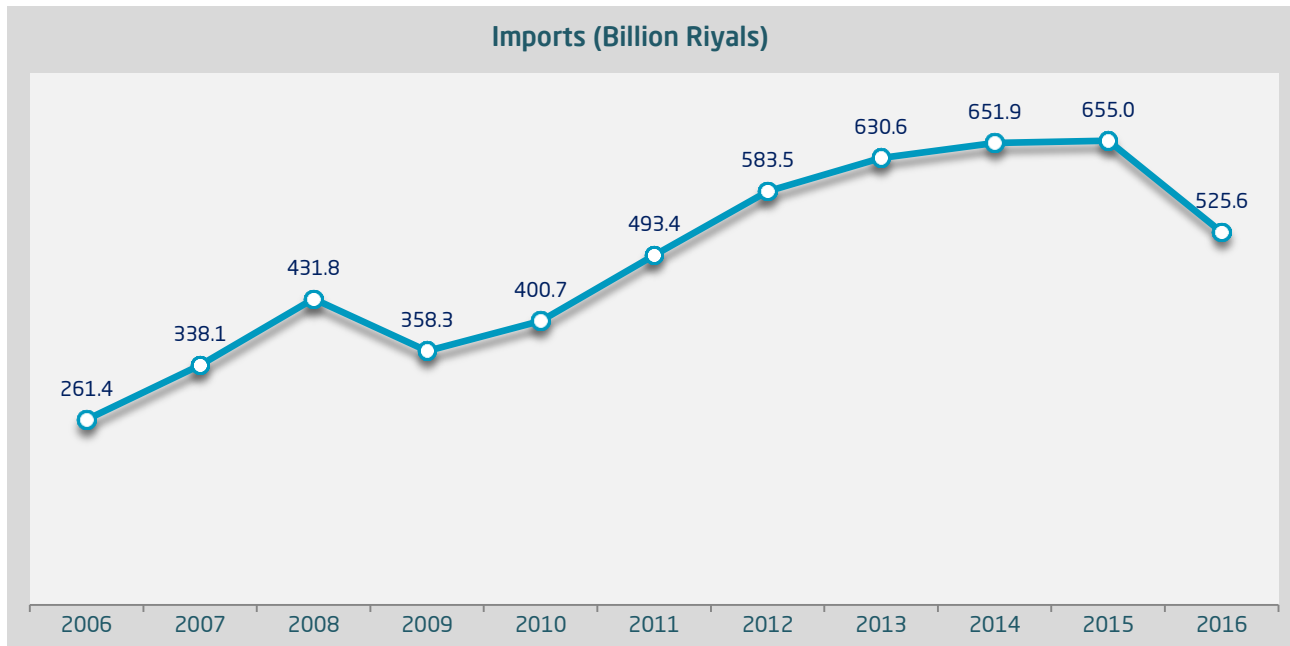




## 2. Merchandise Imports

### 2.1. Developments in Imports

Merchandise imports of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia amounted to 525.6 billion riyals in 2016 with an annual decrease of 129.4 billion riyals or 19.8% as compared to 655.0 billion riyals in 2015.

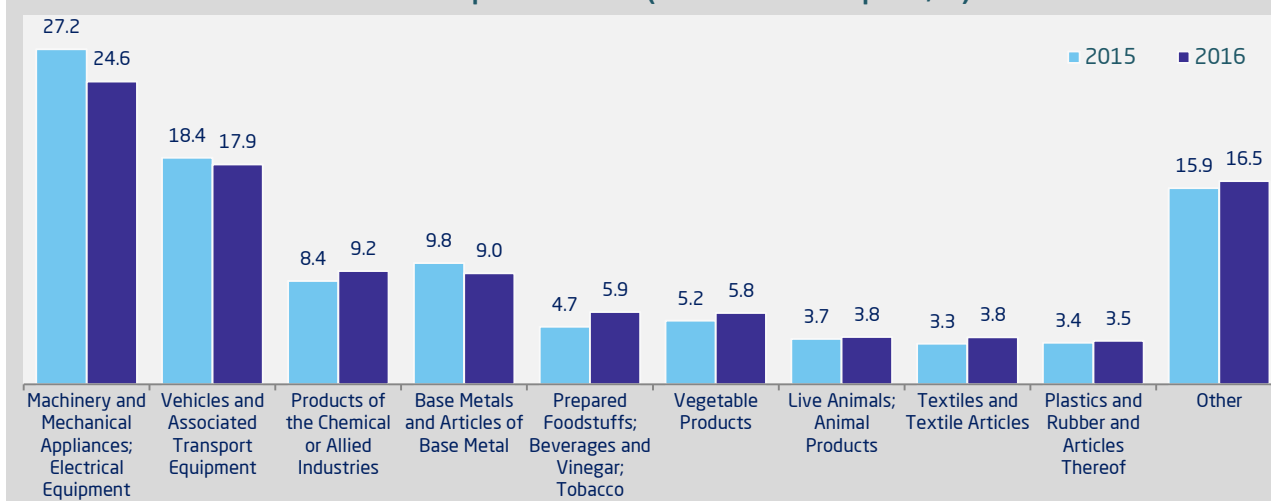


## 2.2. Imports by Section

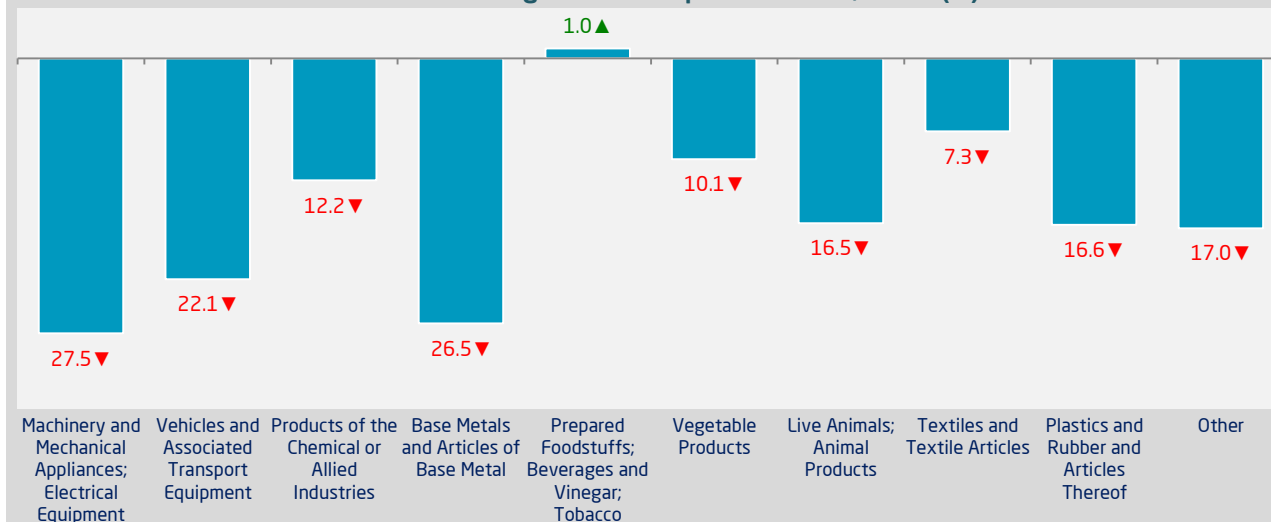
### Main Import Products (Million Riyals)

Imported Products (by section of the Harmonized System)	2015	2016		
		Value	Change From Previous Year	Percentage Change (%)
Machinery and Mechanical Appliances; Electrical Equipment	178321	129334	48987▼	27.5▼
Vehicles and Associated Transport Equipment	120516	93925	26591▼	22.1▼
Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries	55014	48312	6702▼	12.2▼
Base Metals and Articles of Base Metal	64473	47411	17062▼	26.5▼
Prepared Foodstuffs; Beverages and Vinegar; Tobacco	30540	30843	304▲	1.0▲
Vegetable Products	33857	30444	3413▼	10.1▼
Live Animals; Animal Products	24130	20159	3972▼	16.5▼
Textiles and Textile Articles	21627	20050	1578▼	7.3▼
Plastics and Rubber and Articles Thereof	22146	18465	3680▼	16.6▼
Other	104409	86693	17716▼	17.0▼
<b>Total</b>	<b>655033</b>	<b>525636</b>	<b>129397▼</b>	<b>19.8▼</b>

### Main Import Products (Share in Total Imports, %)



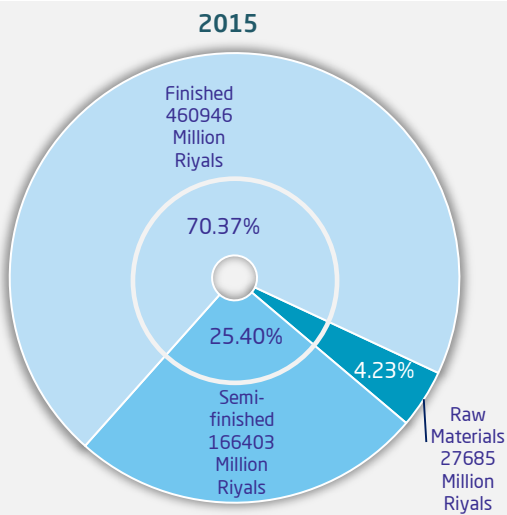
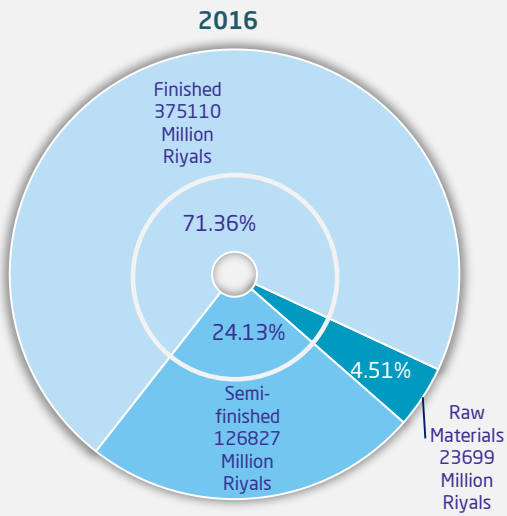
### Annual Change in Main Import Products, 2016 (%)



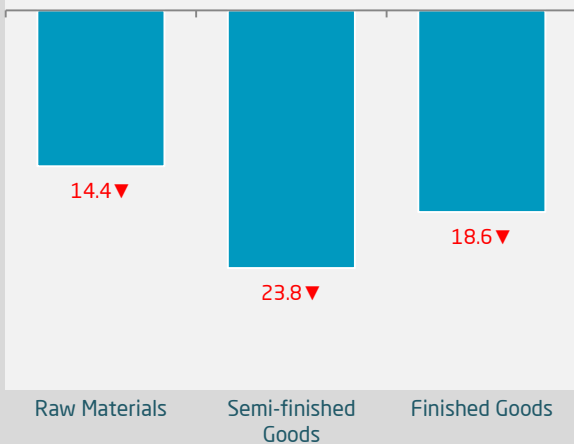


## 2.3. Imports by Nature and Utilization of Items

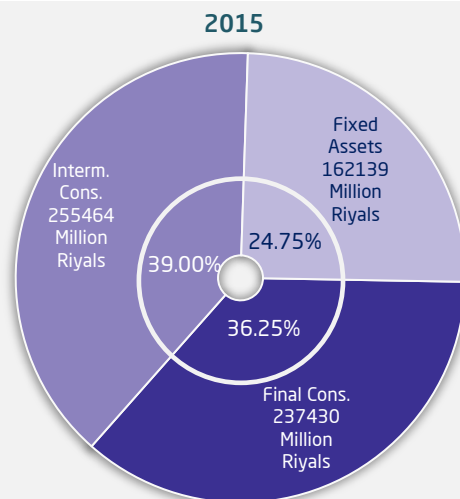
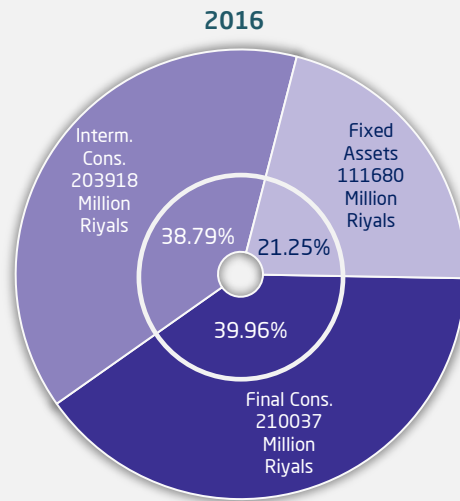
### Imports by Nature of Items



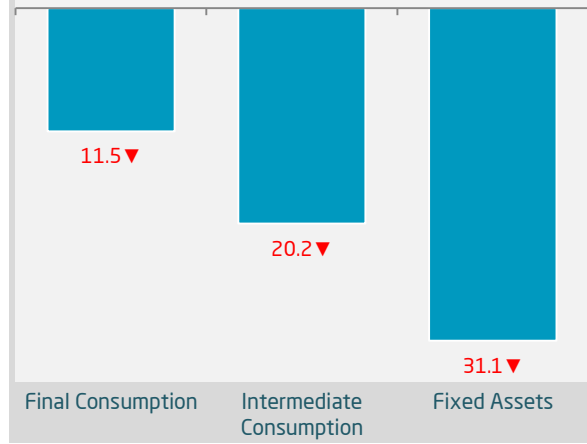
### Annual Change in 2016 (%)



### Imports by Utilization of Items



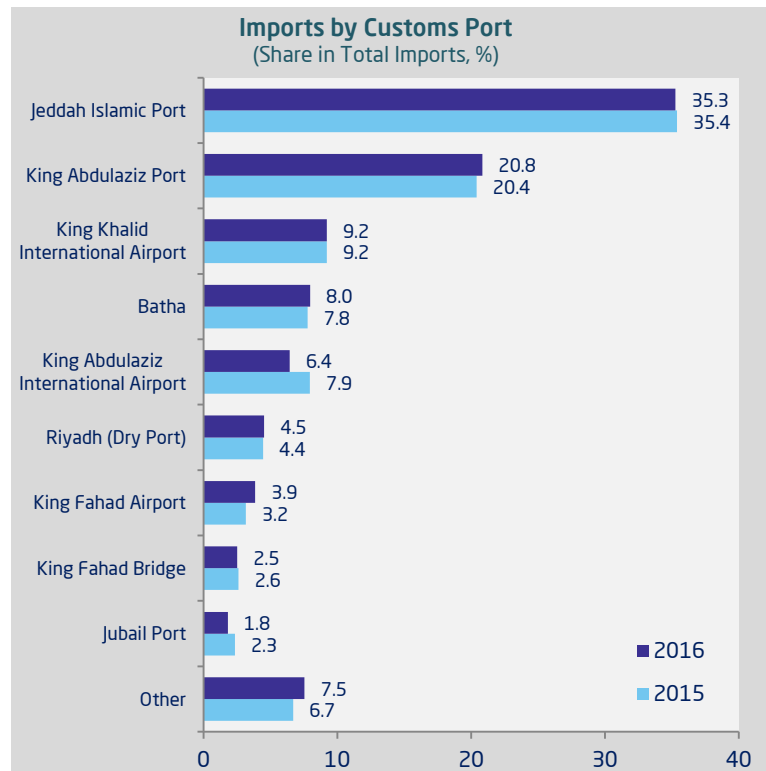
### Annual Change in 2016 (%)





## 2.4. Imports by Mode of Transport and Customs Port

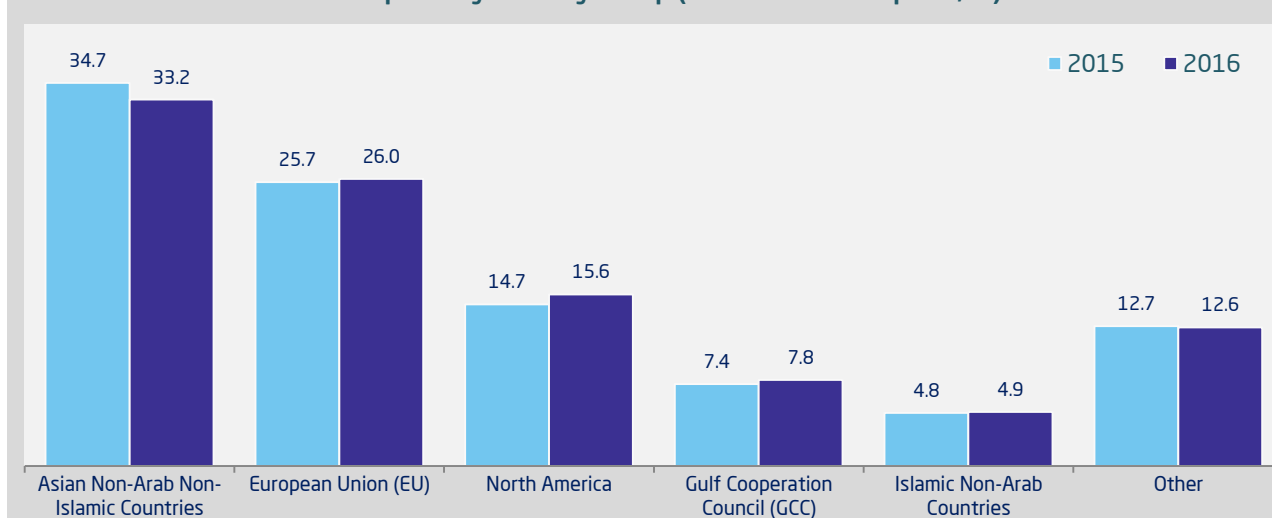
Imports by Mode of Transport and Customs Port (Million Riyals)				
Mode of Transport and Customs Port	2015	2016		
		Value	Change From Previous Year	Percentage Change (%)
<b>Sea</b>	<b>411486</b>	<b>333562</b>	<b>77924▼</b>	<b>18.9▼</b>
Jeddah Islamic Port	231819	185430	46389▼	20.0▼
King AbdulAziz Port	133766	109556	24210▼	18.1▼
Jubail Port	15318	9525	5794▼	37.8▼
Other Sea Ports	30583	29051	1531▼	5.0▼
<b>Air</b>	<b>133952</b>	<b>103158</b>	<b>30794▼</b>	<b>23.0▼</b>
King Khalid International Airport	60322	48418	11905▼	19.7▼
King Abdulaziz International Airport	52049	33888	18161▼	34.9▼
King Fahad Airport	20654	20243	410▼	2.0▼
Other Airports	927	609	318▼	34.3▼
<b>Land</b>	<b>109596</b>	<b>88916</b>	<b>20680▼</b>	<b>18.9▼</b>
Batha	50963	41842	9121▼	17.9▼
Riyadh (Dry Port)	29111	23838	5272▼	18.1▼
King Fahad Bridge	17087	13224	3862▼	22.6▼
Other Land Ports	12435	10011	2424▼	19.5▼
<b>Total</b>	<b>655033</b>	<b>525636</b>	<b>129397▼</b>	<b>19.8▼</b>



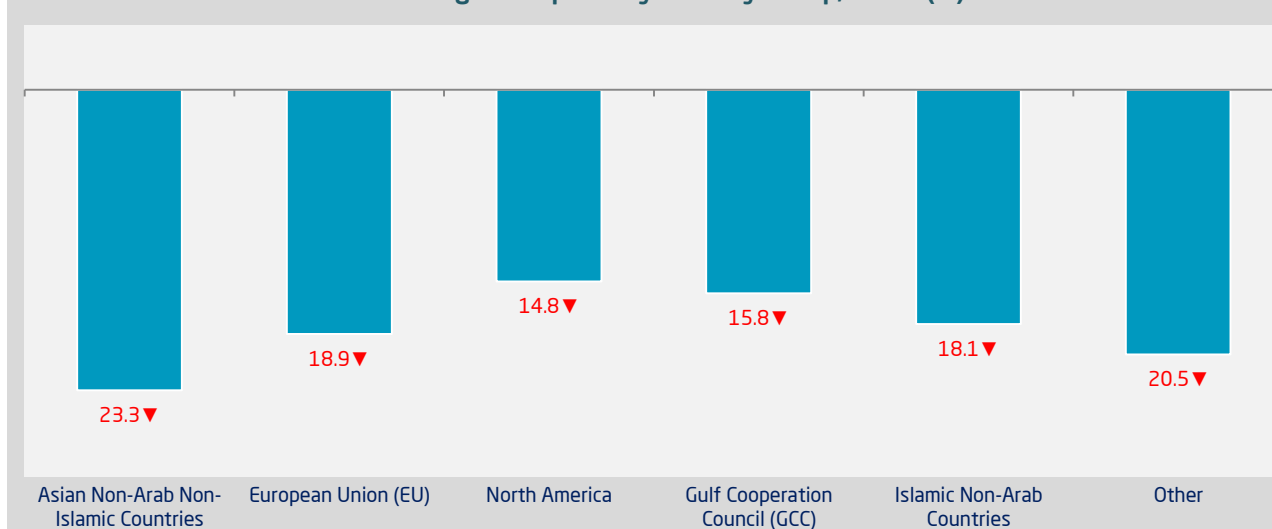
## 2.5. Imports by Country Group

Imports by Country Group (Million Riyals)				
Groups of Countries	2015	2016		
		Value	Change From Previous Year	Percentage Change (%)
Asian Non-Arab Non-Islamic Countries	227280	174404	52876 ▼	23.3 ▼
European Union (EU)	168483	136611	31872 ▼	18.9 ▼
North America	96000	81763	14238 ▼	14.8 ▼
Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC)	48714	41033	7681 ▼	15.8 ▼
Islamic Non-Arab Countries	31584	25853	5731 ▼	18.1 ▼
Other	82972	65973	17000 ▼	20.5 ▼
<b>Total</b>	<b>655033</b>	<b>525636</b>	<b>129397 ▼</b>	<b>19.8 ▼</b>

### Imports by Country Group (Share in Total Imports, %)



### Annual Change in Imports by Country Group, 2016 (%)

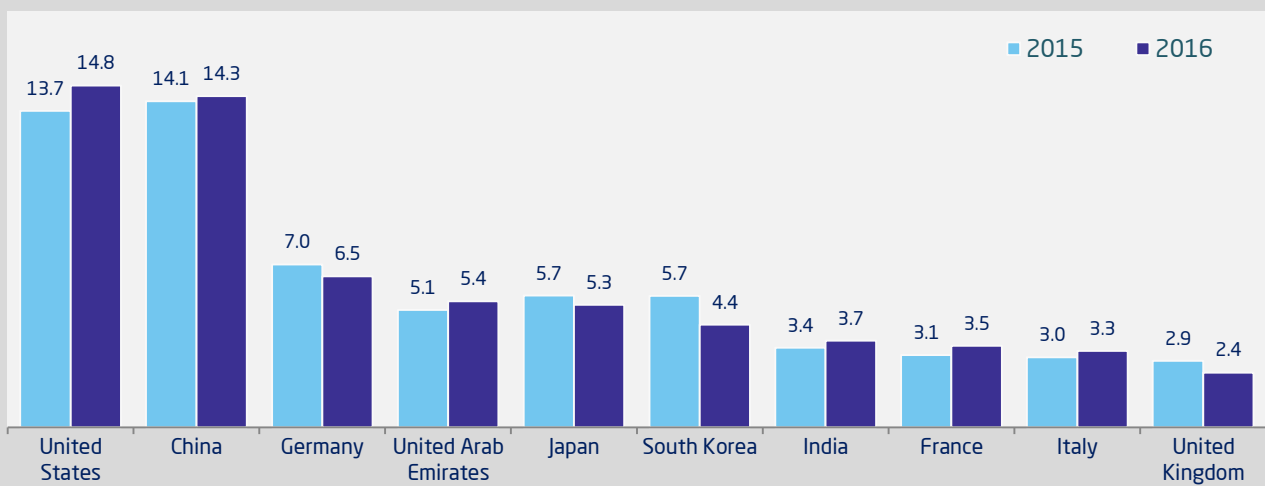




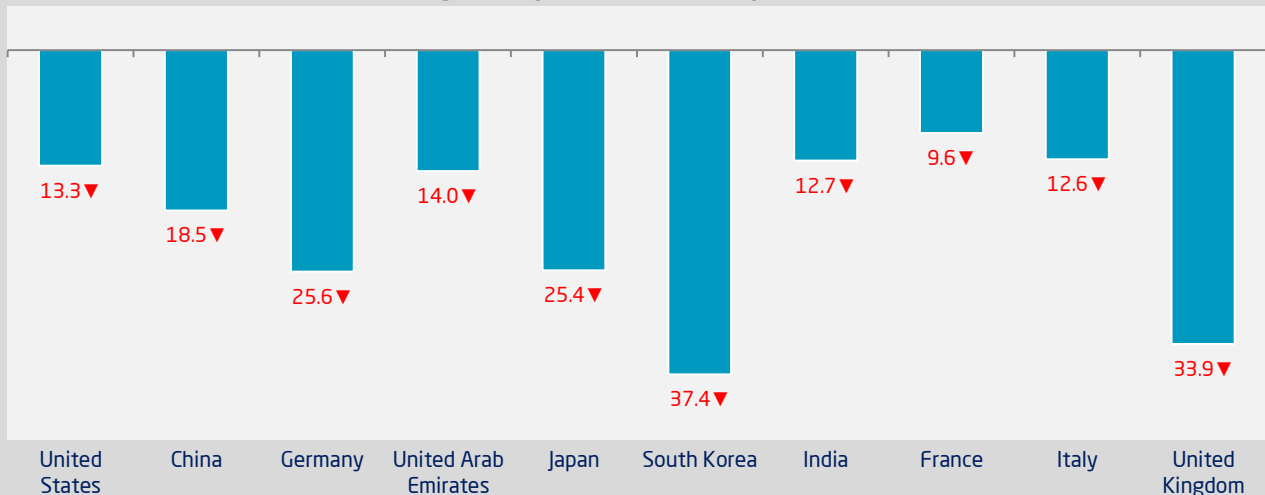
## 2.6. Top 10 Partner Countries for Imports

Top 10 Partner Countries for Imports (Million Riyals)				
Countries	2015	2016		
		Value	Change From Previous Year	Percentage Change (%)
United States	89678	77728	11950▼	13.3▼
China	92398	75309	17089▼	18.5▼
Germany	46116	34331	11785▼	25.6▼
United Arab Emirates	33264	28616	4648▼	14.0▼
Japan	37286	27821	9465▼	25.4▼
South Korea	37251	23328	13923▼	37.4▼
India	22532	19662	2870▼	12.7▼
France	20462	18507	1955▼	9.6▼
Italy	19835	17339	2496▼	12.6▼
United Kingdom	18799	12429	6371▼	33.9▼
<b>Total</b>	<b>417621</b>	<b>335070</b>	<b>82551▼</b>	<b>19.8▼</b>
Share of the top 10 countries in total imports (%)		63.76	63.75	

Top 10 Partner Countries for Imports (Share in Total Imports, %)



Annual Change in Imports from the Top 10 Countries, 2016 (%)







### 3. Trade Balance and Trade Volume

Merchandise exports and imports of Saudi Arabia amounted to 688.4 billion riyals and 525.6 billion riyals, respectively, leading to a trade surplus of 162.8 billion riyals in 2016, up 54.5 billion riyals or 50.3% as compared to the surplus of 108.3 billion riyals in 2015.

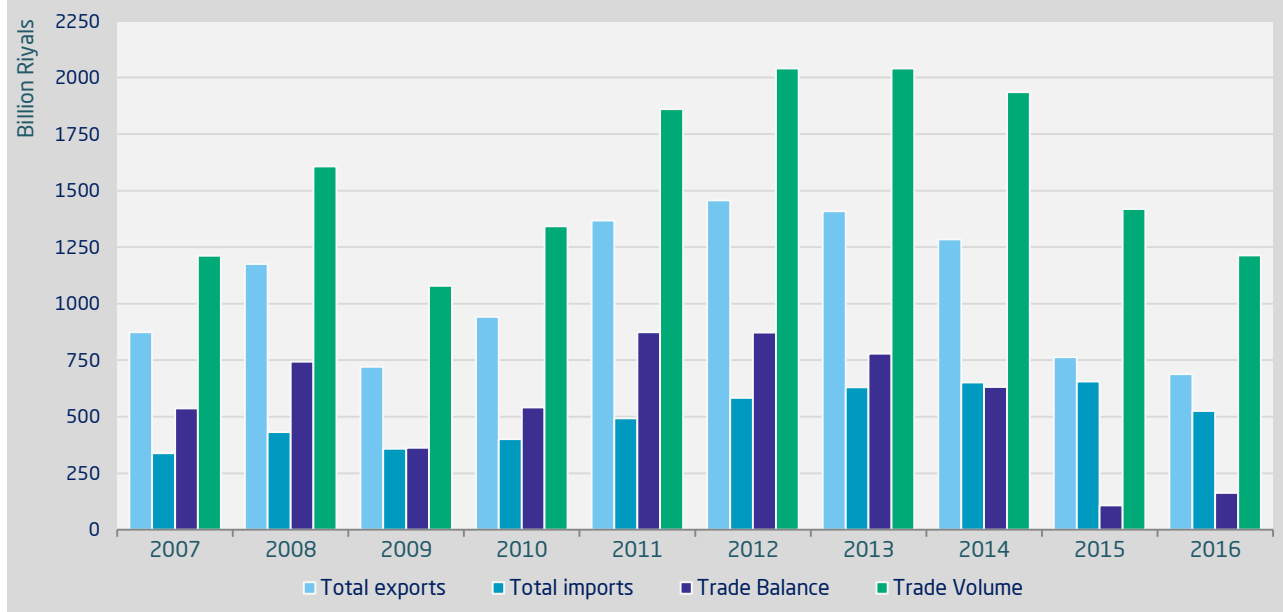
The volume of merchandise trade (exports plus imports) amounted to 1214 billion riyals in 2016 compared to 1418 billion in 2015, down 204 billion riyals or 14.4%.

Exports, Imports, Trade Balance, and Trade Volume (Million SR.)

Year	Exports	Imports	Trade Balance	Trade Volume
2007	874,403	338,088	536,315	1,212,491
2008	1,175,482	431,753	743,729	1,607,235
2009	721,109	358,290	362,819	1,079,400
2010	941,785	400,736	541,050	1,342,521
2011	1,367,620	493,449	874,171	1,861,069
2012	1,456,502	583,473	873,029	2,039,975
2013	1,409,523	630,582	778,941	2,040,106
2014	1,284,122	651,876	632,246	1,935,997
2015	763,313	655,033	108,280	1,418,346
2016	688,423	525,636	162,787	1,214,059



Exports, Imports, Trade Balance, and Trade Volume

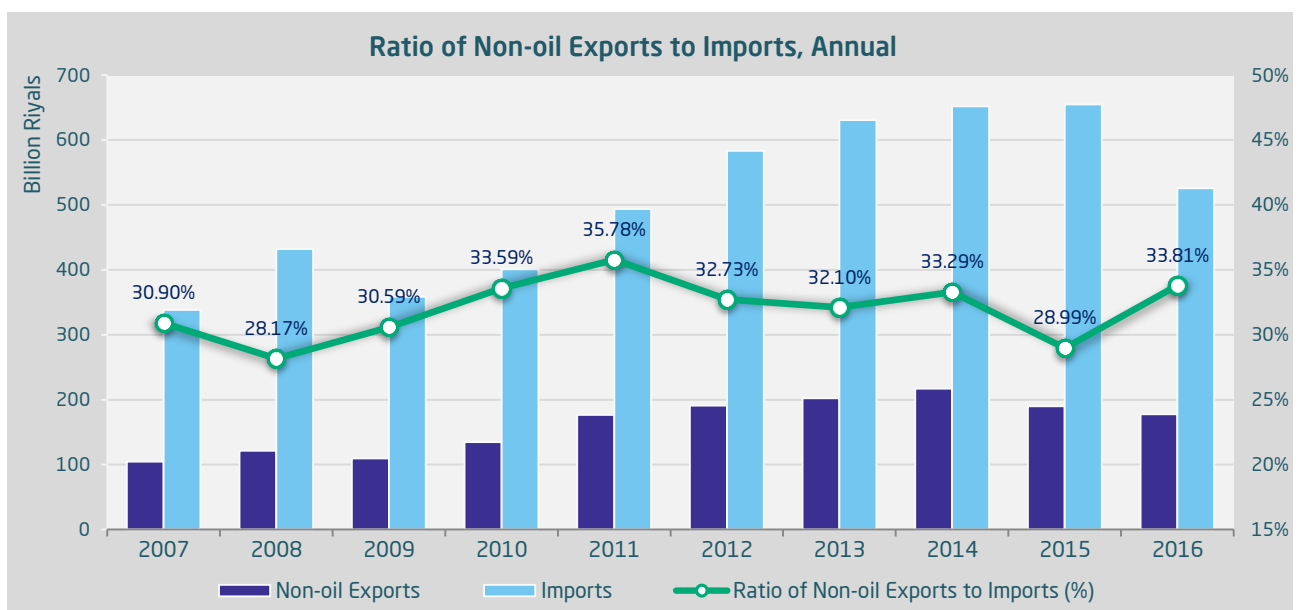




## 4. Ratio of Non-oil Exports to Imports

In 2016, non-oil exports amounted to 177.7 million riyals and accounted for 33.8% of the imports. The previous year, non-oil exports amounted to 189.9 million riyals and accounted for 29.0% of the imports.

Ratio of Non-oil Exports to Imports, Annual			
Year	Non-Oil Merchandise Exports	Merchandise Imports	Ratio of Non-oil Exports to Imports
	(Million Riyals)		(%)
2007	104,468	338,088	30.90
2008	121,622	431,753	28.17
2009	109,619	358,290	30.59
2010	134,610	400,736	33.59
2011	176,568	493,449	35.78
2012	190,952	583,473	32.73
2013	202,443	630,582	32.10
2014	217,030	651,876	33.29
2015	189,901	655,033	28.99
2016	177,694	525,636	33.81





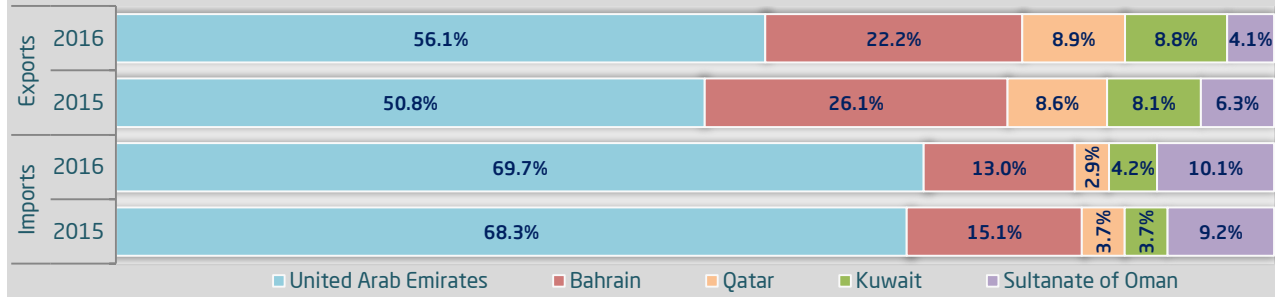
## 5. Trade between Saudi Arabia and GCC Countries

The Kingdom's exports of domestic goods to the GCC countries added up to 64223 million riyals in 2016 with an annual increase of 2043 million riyals or 3.3% as compared to 62180 million riyals in 2015. The Kingdom's imports of goods originated from the GCC countries amounted to 41033 million riyals in 2016 as compared to 48714 million riyals in 2015, down 7681 million riyals or 15.8%.

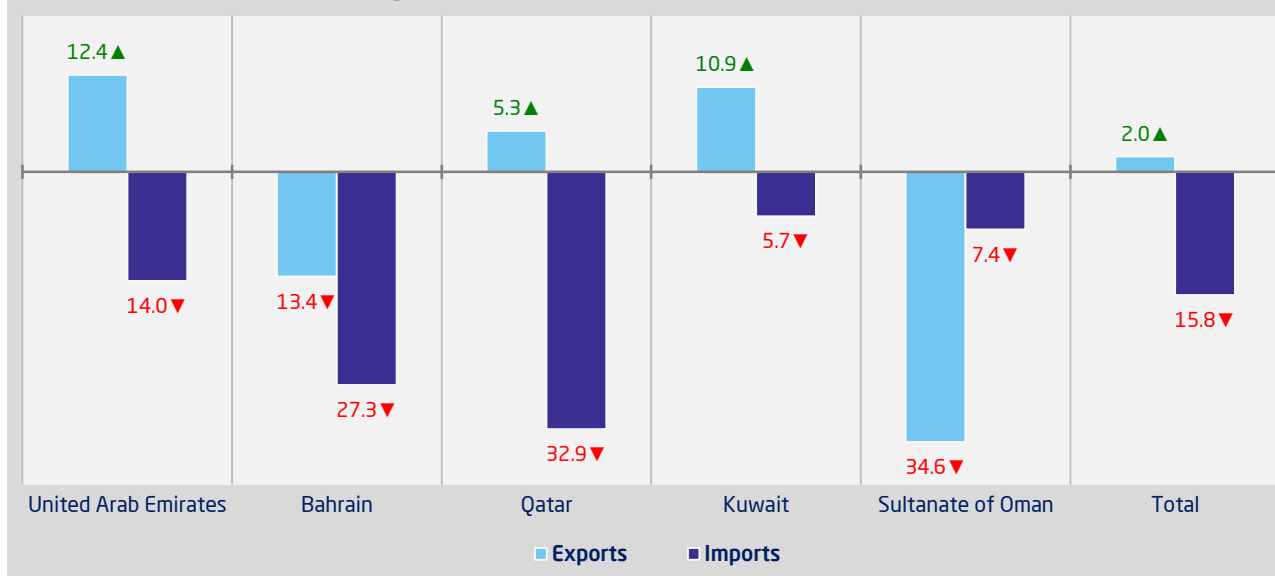
Saudi Arabia's Trade with GCC Countries (Million Riyals)

	Merchandise Exports						Merchandise Imports		Trade Balance	
	National Exports		Re-Exports		Total		2015	2016	2015	2016
	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016				
United Arab Emirates	28579	35317	11581	9837	40161	45154	33264	28616	6897	16538
Bahrain	17662	14750	2991	3134	20652	17884	7359	5353	13293	12532
Qatar	5627	5651	1171	1503	6798	7155	1803	1209	4995	5945
Kuwait	5591	5532	803	1557	6394	7089	1813	1710	4581	5379
Sultanate of Oman	4721	2972	284	303	5005	3275	4474	4144	530	-869
<b>Total</b>	<b>62180</b>	<b>64223</b>	<b>16830</b>	<b>16335</b>	<b>79009</b>	<b>80558</b>	<b>48714</b>	<b>41033</b>	<b>30296</b>	<b>39525</b>

Distribution of Saudi Arabia's Trade with GCC Countries (Share in Total)



Annual Change in Saudi Arabia's Trade with GCC Countries, 2016 (%)



## Appendix

## 1- Exports and Imports of Saudi Arabia by Section

Merchandise Exports and Imports by Section* (Million Riyals)					
Section	Description	Exports		Imports	
		2015	2016	2015	2016
1	Live animals; animal products	5,819.6	6,031.7	24,130.4	20,158.6
2	Vegetable products	1,385.1	1,413.8	33,857.3	30,444.5
3	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	920.2	989.3	3,401.1	3,629.1
4	Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	6,286.8	5,924.4	30,539.5	30,843.1
5	Mineral products	574,817.3	512,264.4	9,405.9	10,714.9
6	Products of the chemical or allied industries	58,818.7	50,410.1	55,014.3	48,312.4
7	Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof	57,756.7	55,999.2	22,145.6	18,465.3
8	Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins and articles thereof; saddlery and harness; travel goods, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silk-worm gut)	304.2	259.0	2,151.2	2,060.6
9	Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal; cork and articles of cork; manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting materials; basketware and wickerwork	205.8	180.7	6,413.9	4,611.5
10	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof	2,961.4	2,705.8	8,193.0	6,933.0
11	Textiles and textile articles	2,259.4	1,892.2	21,627.4	20,049.5
12	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith; artificial flowers; articles of human hair	76.8	111.4	3,830.4	3,950.1
13	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials; ceramic products; glass and glassware	1,934.5	1,939.1	8,860.4	7,257.1
14	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewellery; coin	2,599.1	4,547.4	21,785.1	11,152.3
15	Base metals and articles of base metal	15,110.0	14,155.1	64,473.1	47,411.0
16	Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles	10,806.8	10,448.9	178,321.1	129,333.7
17	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment	17,455.8	15,772.3	120,516.0	93,925.0
18	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; clocks and watches; musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof	792.9	845.8	16,914.7	13,370.2
19	Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof	1,402.2	374.6	8,212.8	10,525.7
20	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	1,394.8	1,333.0	15,129.8	12,345.7
21	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	204.8	824.8	110.5	142.7
	<b>Total</b>	<b>763,313.1</b>	<b>688,423.0</b>	<b>655,033.4</b>	<b>525,636.0</b>

\* Sections of the Harmonized System (HS)

## 2- Merchandise Exports of Saudi Arabia by Country

Exports by Country <sup>1</sup> (Million Riyals)			
	Country	2015	2016
1	China	92069.1	79916.1
2	Japan	80682.7	72342.4
3	U.S.A	80524.9	66128.1
4	India	72052.1	63879.8
5	South Korea	66099.1	57432.5
6	United Arab Emirates	40160.8	45154.4
7	Singapore	29145.2	33376.6
8	Taiwan	23523.6	19813.8
9	Bahrain	20652.3	17884.4
10	Belgium	14498.6	16093.4
11	Thailand	13896.4	14379.0
12	Egypt	15181.2	13974.2
13	Netherlands	13007.0	13594.9
14	France	15836.8	12634.7
15	Spain	13529.7	11076.8
16	South Africa	10220.4	10701.4
17	Italy	12519.8	10375.1
18	Jordan	11788.7	8690.8
19	Turkey	10338.5	8581.7
20	Indonesia	9879.5	8285.2
21	Pakistan	10096.6	7934.0
22	Qatar	6797.6	7154.5
23	Malaysia	7894.1	7149.9
24	Kuwait	6394.0	7089.1
25	Brazil	6068.9	5452.0
26	United Kingdom	6899.3	5245.0
27	Philippines	6003.8	5075.3
28	Canada	6008.2	4926.3
29	Kenya	2865.7	3657.9
30	Poland	1735.6	3613.4
31	Sultanate of Oman	5004.7	3275.4
32	Greece	3879.5	3244.0
33	Vietnam	2636.0	2604.8
34	Djibouti	2991.8	2593.1
35	Bangladesh	2268.4	2538.1
36	Iraq	1841.1	2263.6
37	Republic of Yemen	2216.5	2203.2
38	Algeria	2113.7	2157.0
39	Portugal	2577.8	1947.6
40	Sudan	1920.4	1807.2
41	Lebanon	1444.6	1506.4
42	New Zealand	1287.8	1412.1
43	Morocco	3292.3	1345.3
44	Germany	1311.4	1317.6
45	Australia	1595.2	1201.7
46	Switzerland	423.8	1181.9

Exports by Country <sup>1</sup> (Million Riyals)			
	Country	2015	2016
47	Tanzania	2022.2	1018.6
48	Hong Kong	1238.5	997.1
49	Gibraltar	3218.2	906.6
50	Mozambique	1933.2	885.0
51	Argentina	550.7	854.4
52	Tunisia	935.5	774.7
53	Nigeria	629.6	698.6
54	Peru	556.6	491.9
55	Libya	545.0	444.5
56	Madagascar	56.3	428.6
57	Sweden	517.2	426.7
58	Croatia	230.3	418.1
59	Sri Lanka	300.8	379.5
60	Mexico	140.9	359.2
61	Bulgaria	120.4	304.3
62	Myanmar	275.1	303.9
63	Ethiopia	272.1	286.0
64	Estonia	266.2	285.1
65	Syria	253.0	259.8
66	Cote d'Ivoire	253.9	255.9
67	Ghana	262.7	233.6
68	Togo	230.4	172.2
69	Somalia	208.6	168.0
70	Nepal	110.5	157.7
71	Guinea	115.5	151.6
72	Lithuania	11.8	141.5
73	Malta	1693.5	131.2
74	Guatemala	164.8	128.9
75	Ukraine	59.7	127.0
76	Cyprus	24.5	114.8
77	Colombia	166.8	113.3
78	Slovenia	50.3	113.0
79	Angola	72.3	105.0
80	Senegal	124.8	99.5
81	Congo, The Democratic Republic	103.5	89.1
82	Uganda	68.4	87.6
83	Mauritania	79.3	64.9
84	Chile	287.7	64.0
85	Seychelles	1.0	63.2
86	Eritrea	28.2	62.4
87	Georgia	57.0	61.9
88	Netherlands Antilles	1.9	58.4
89	Ecuador	115.5	55.2
90	Austria	39.9	49.4
91	Russian Federation	70.3	47.4
92	Cameroon	62.5	44.0
93	Liberia	52.8	41.3
94	Romania	25.8	40.6
95	Mauritius	56.2	39.5

<sup>1</sup> Country ranking is based on year 2016. "0.0" indicates a value less than 50 thousands while a dash (-) indicates nil.



Exports by Country <sup>1</sup> (Million Riyals)			
	Country	2015	2016
96	Palestine	21.2	33.7
97	Czech Republic	36.6	28.6
98	Ireland	18.9	28.0
99	Finland	41.7	27.7
100	Dominican Republic	21.6	25.1
101	Norway	29.1	24.0
102	Sierra Leone	17.3	21.3
103	Denmark	95.0	19.4
104	Uruguay	37.9	19.4
105	Hungary	6.4	18.2
106	Slovakia	17.5	17.3
107	Afghanistan	19.5	17.2
108	Paraguay	17.8	15.8
109	Kazakhstan	45.7	15.2
110	Costa Rica	10.6	13.6
111	El Salvador	25.1	13.4
112	Dominica	19.8	13.3
113	Benin	24.0	13.3
114	Gambia	13.7	11.5
115	Mali	10.9	11.0
116	Papua	-	11.0
117	New Caledonia	26.5	10.8
118	Namibia	15.9	10.6
119	Marshall Islands	3.8	9.9
120	Niger	6.5	9.7
121	Sao Tome and Principe	4.0	9.3
122	Zambia	10.5	8.7
123	Bahamas	-	8.6
124	Chad	16.7	8.5
125	Azerbaijan	15.9	8.3
126	Albania	3.9	8.3
127	North Korea	22.0	7.8
128	Turkmenistan	55.8	7.5
129	Cambodia	4.3	6.6

Exports by Country <sup>1</sup> (Million Riyals)			
	Country	2015	2016
130	Congo	7.0	6.5
131	Maldives	17.5	6.4
132	Guinea-Bissau	39.1	6.3
133	Haiti	13.4	5.8
134	Brunei Darussalam	5.7	5.5
135	Malawi	5.2	5.0
136	Comoros	3.3	4.6
137	Uzbekistan	5.7	4.1
138	Gabon	5.7	3.9
139	Honduras	2.0	3.8
140	Nicaragua	2.7	3.5
141	Luxembourg	2.8	3.1
142	Venezuela	90.9	2.6
143	Serbia	1.8	2.5
144	Iceland	6.6	2.4
145	Swaziland	0.1	2.2
146	Iran	462.2	2.2
147	Anguilla	-	2.1
148	Reunion	1.9	2.0
149	Rwanda	3.1	1.8
150	Trinidad & Tobago	2.5	1.7
151	Belarus	7.6	1.7
152	Cuba	5.7	1.5
153	Bosnia & Herzegovina	1.8	1.3
154	Burundi	1.7	1.3
155	South Sudan	8.8	1.2
156	Kyrgyzstan	1.0	1.2
157	Armenia	2.0	1.2
158	Latvia	1.5	1.0
159	Mongolia	7.7	1.0
	Other Countries	43.3	5.1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>763313.1</b>	<b>688423.0</b>

### 3- Merchandise Imports of Saudi Arabia by Country

Imports by Country <sup>2</sup> (Million Riyals)			
Country	2015	2016	
1 U.S.A	89678.2	77727.7	
2 China	92397.9	75308.9	
3 Germany	46115.8	34331.0	
4 United Arab Emirates	33264.1	28616.3	
5 Japan	37286.0	27820.8	
6 South Korea	37250.6	23327.7	
7 India	22532.1	19662.5	
8 France	20462.3	18507.2	
9 Italy	19834.7	17338.9	
10 United Kingdom	18799.2	12428.7	
11 Turkey	12744.5	12063.9	
12 Thailand	14059.4	11211.2	
13 Brazil	11888.5	10518.1	
14 Spain	9586.7	9787.7	
15 Switzerland	15316.1	9144.5	
16 Egypt	8719.4	7932.6	
17 Vietnam	11249.6	6981.8	
18 Indonesia	9559.2	6295.8	
19 Netherlands	6616.3	5593.9	
20 Taiwan	7294.2	5585.7	
21 Belgium	6413.4	5572.4	
22 Bahrain	7359.1	5352.6	
23 Australia	7159.0	5144.2	
24 Sweden	5481.5	4528.8	
25 Ireland	5506.4	4400.1	
26 Sultanate of Oman	4474.3	4144.5	
27 Malaysia	4694.4	4051.7	
28 Jordan	3772.5	4041.6	
29 Canada	6322.1	4034.8	
30 Austria	6249.1	3880.5	
31 Poland	3776.1	3778.6	
32 Argentina	2111.7	3109.4	
33 South Africa	4572.2	3103.4	
34 Mexico	4387.4	3087.1	
35 Denmark	3149.1	2931.3	
36 Ukraine	3477.2	2723.3	
37 Russian Federation	4635.5	2709.3	
38 Singapore	2926.3	2343.3	
39 Czech Republic	2732.5	2123.8	
40 Sudan	2560.2	1958.7	
41 Congo, The Democratic Republic	2270.9	1841.8	
42 Pakistan	2118.8	1828.4	
43 Kuwait	1813.3	1710.3	
44 Greece	1031.7	1649.5	
45 Finland	2902.2	1589.8	

Imports by Country <sup>2</sup> (Million Riyals)			
Country	2015	2016	
46 New Zealand	1951.9	1535.7	
47 Lebanon	1613.3	1456.8	
48 Romania	2037.6	1411.8	
49 Bangladesh	1345.4	1383.2	
50 Hungary	1748.9	1359.0	
51 Qatar	1802.9	1209.2	
52 Somalia	1195.5	1147.9	
53 Philippines	1104.0	1059.4	
54 Portugal	965.1	844.5	
55 Morocco	858.0	775.7	
56 Norway	842.7	764.6	
57 Lithuania	1047.4	682.7	
58 Ethiopia	752.9	664.1	
59 Croatia	177.4	651.2	
60 Slovakia	657.3	604.1	
61 Zambia	940.1	599.7	
62 Chile	661.6	584.7	
63 Bulgaria	725.9	515.4	
64 Ecuador	299.7	428.3	
65 Syria	369.1	423.1	
66 Sri Lanka	447.4	369.2	
67 Estonia	379.8	330.7	
68 Latvia	237.9	330.6	
69 Guatemala	316.9	294.2	
70 Cambodia	239.2	293.2	
71 Slovenia	344.2	278.7	
72 Kenya	253.8	274.9	
73 Republic of Yemen	569.8	243.1	
74 Luxembourg	190.5	197.6	
75 Myanmar	188.8	180.9	
76 Tunisia	209.0	180.3	
77 Puerto Rico	147.3	175.9	
78 Bosnia & Herzegovina	92.7	121.6	
79 Djibouti	117.7	107.9	
80 Cyprus	115.8	104.5	
81 Peru	89.5	98.2	
82 Malta	139.2	96.6	
83 Costa Rica	125.1	95.5	
84 Georgia	19.6	94.6	
85 Hong Kong	160.7	88.1	
86 Colombia	68.7	58.9	
87 Tanzania	44.0	58.3	
88 Uruguay	52.7	56.7	
89 Serbia	114.4	54.5	
90 Sierra Leone	40.3	40.3	
91 Palestine	37.8	37.8	
92 Algeria	33.1	35.9	
93 Kazakhstan	92.7	33.3	
94 Dominica	35.8	31.4	
95 Jamaica	0.4	30.5	

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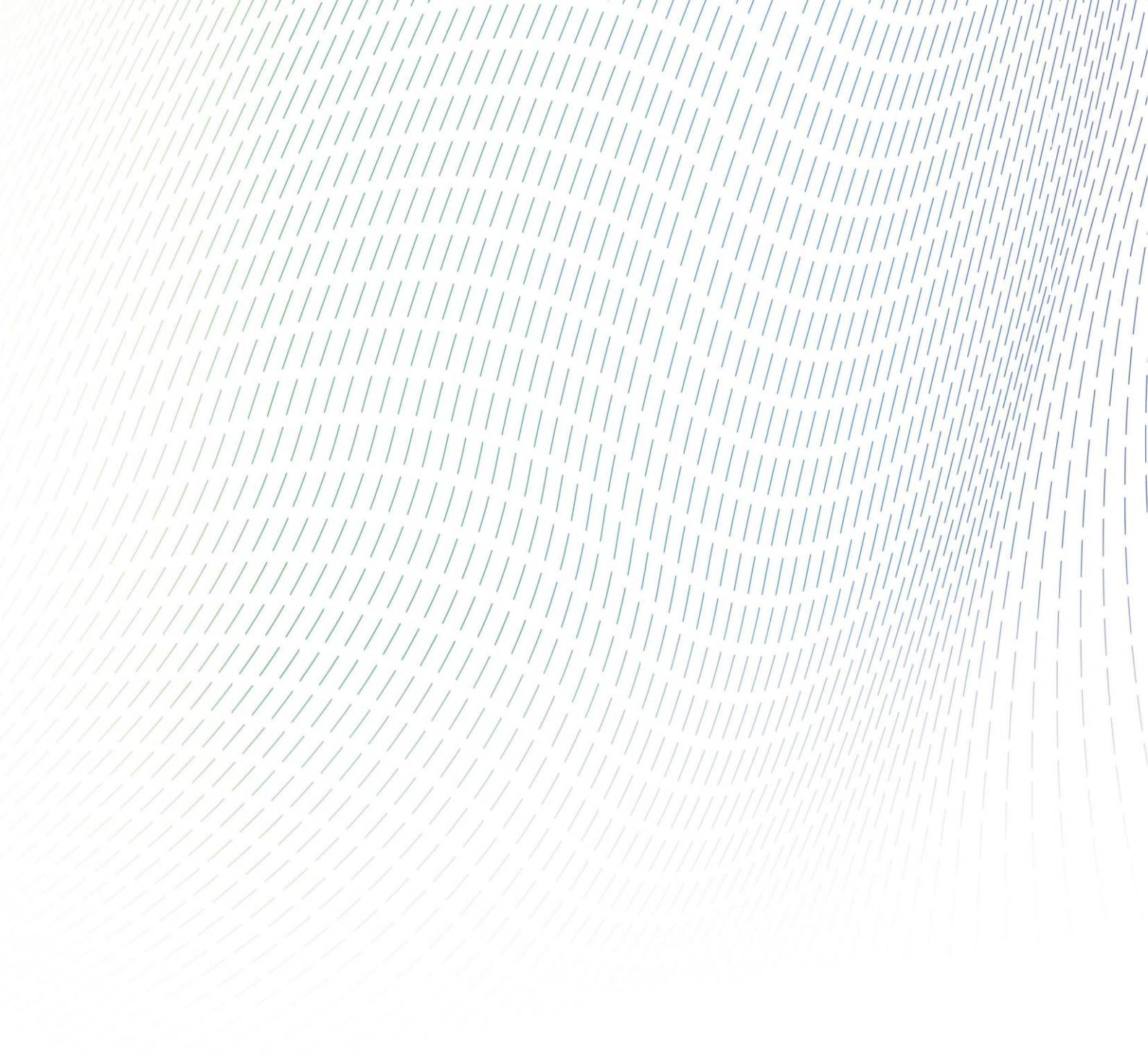
Country	2015	2016
96 North Korea	93.4	28.5
97 San Marino	23.0	24.8
98 Uzbekistan	26.0	23.8
99 Iraq	10.1	23.3
100 Ghana	19.8	21.0
101 Madagascar	22.1	19.6
102 Nigeria	21.6	19.3
103 Mozambique	49.8	18.8
104 Mauritius	12.9	17.7
105 Mongolia	5.0	16.7
106 Paraguay	11.9	16.4
107 Dominican Republic	17.0	16.3
108 Afghanistan	2.8	15.8
109 Cameroon	25.5	15.4
110 Swaziland	5.4	13.9
111 Gabon	23.1	13.7
112 Belarus	10.2	13.7
113 Iran	778.4	12.9
114 Congo	5.8	12.7
115 Aruba	8.8	12.6
116 Honduras	19.9	12.6
117 Moldova	4.3	11.0
118 Armenia	4.9	10.5
119 Namibia	10.1	9.7
120 Comoros	4.0	9.2
121 Macedonia	10.8	8.8
122 Cuba	7.8	8.7
123 Zimbabwe	5.3	8.6
124 Maldives	9.5	8.4
125 Mauritania	25.2	7.9
126 Fiji	3.4	7.8
127 Benin	2.4	6.7
128 Uganda	5.3	4.9
129 Liechtenstein	10.5	4.8

Imports by Country<sup>2</sup> (Million Riyals)

Country	2015	2016
130 Nicaragua	2.9	4.8
131 Monaco	7.3	4.7
132 Albania	26.7	4.6
133 Cote d'Ivoire	8.6	4.0
134 El Salvador	3.0	3.9
135 Bolivia	1.8	3.4
136 Lesotho	5.4	3.3
137 Nepal	2.5	3.1
138 Haiti	2.9	2.9
139 Macao	3.1	2.7
140 Iceland	4.5	2.6
141 Rwanda	1.7	2.4
142 Burundi	-	2.1
143 Seychelles	0.4	2.0
144 Angola	0.0	2.0
145 Niger	0.2	1.9
146 Central African Republic	1.6	1.9
147 Venezuela	2.1	1.8
148 Antigua and Barbuda	0.1	1.6
149 Virgin Islands, British	1.4	1.6
150 Kyrgyzstan	1.3	1.5
151 Bahamas	1.0	1.5
152 Trinidad & Tobago	1.7	1.5
153 Saint Helena	0.2	1.3
154 Malawi	1.1	1.3
155 South Sudan	0.4	1.1
156 Laos	1.6	1.1
157 Guyana	2.3	1.0
158 Netherlands Antilles	3.1	1.0
Other Countries	1096.1	771.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>655033.4</b>	<b>525636.0</b>







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