

# Foreign trade turnover of goods in total and by countries in January - November 2024

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 **6.4 bn**  
balance in PLN

Foreign trade turnover<sup>1</sup> in January - November 2024 in exports at current prices amounted to PLN 1 394.8 bn, while in imports - PLN 1 388.5 bn. The positive balance reached the level of PLN 6.4 bn, while in the same period of 2023 year amounted to PLN 47.3 bn. In comparison to the corresponding period of last year exports decreased by 7.0%, and imports by 4.5%.

## Foreign trade turnover expressed in US dollars and in EUR

Exports expressed in USD amounted to 351.7 bn, while imports amounted to USD 350.1 bn (a decrease in exports of 0.6% and an increase in imports of 2.1%). The positive balance reached the level of USD 1.6 bn, while in the same period of 2023 amounted to USD 11.1 bn.

Exports expressed in EUR amounted to 323.4 bn, while imports amounted to EUR 321.9 bn (a decrease in exports of 1.2% and an increase in imports of 1.5%). The positive balance reached EUR 1.5 bn, compared to the positive balance of EUR 10.3 bn in the same period of 2023.

## Foreign trade turnover of goods in total and by groups of countries

Poland had the largest share in total exports with the developed countries – 86.5% (of which EU 74.2%) and in imports – 65.0% (of which EU 53.0%), in comparison with 86.8% (of which EU 75.1%) and 66.0% (of which EU 54.1%) in the corresponding period of 2023. However, the smallest share was observed with the countries of Central and Eastern Europe, which in total exports amounted to 5.3%, and in imports 2.1%, in comparison with 5.0% and 2.2% in January – November 2023.

The negative balance was recorded with the developing countries – minus PLN 342.1 bn (minus USD 86.3 bn, minus EUR 79.3 bn). The positive balance was obtained in turnover with other groups of countries, i.e. with developed countries PLN 304.0 bn (USD 76.8 bn, EUR 70.5 bn), of which with the EU countries the balance of PLN 298.1 bn (USD 75.3 bn, EUR 69.1 bn) and with Central and Eastern Europe PLN 44.4 bn (USD 11.2 bn, EUR 10.3 bn).

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Note. Due to the rounding of data, in some cases sums of components may slightly differ from the amount given in the item "total".

<sup>1</sup>Collection of data on foreign trade turnover is open. Data published formerly is updated according to new customs and INTRASTAT declarations.

**Table 1. Foreign trade turnover of goods in total and by groups of countries**

SPECIFICATION	I-XI 2024						2023	2024
	bn PLN	bn USD	bn EUR	I-XI 2023 = 100			I-XI	
				PLN	USD	EUR	structure in %	
<b>Exports</b>	<b>1394.8</b>	<b>351.7</b>	<b>323.4</b>	<b>93.0</b>	<b>99.4</b>	<b>98.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Developed countries	1206.9	304.3	279.8	92.7	99.1	98.5	86.8	86.5
of which EU	1034.3	260.8	239.8	91.8	98.2	97.5	75.1	74.2
of which euro-zone	815.4	205.6	189.0	91.3	97.7	97.1	59.5	58.5
Developing countries	114.9	29.0	26.6	93.5	99.9	99.4	8.2	8.2
Count. of Cent. and East. Europe	73.1	18.4	16.9	97.2	103.8	103.2	5.0	5.3
<b>Imports (country of origin)<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>1388.5</b>	<b>350.1</b>	<b>321.9</b>	<b>95.5</b>	<b>102.1</b>	<b>101.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Developed countries	902.9	227.6	209.3	94.2	100.7	100.1	66.0	65.0
of which EU	736.2	185.6	170.7	93.6	100.0	99.5	54.1	53.0
of which euro-zone	588.3	148.3	136.4	93.5	99.9	99.3	43.3	42.4
Developing countries	456.9	115.3	106.0	98.8	105.6	105.0	31.8	32.9
Count. of Cent. and East. Europe	28.7	7.2	6.6	89.0	95.6	95.0	2.2	2.1
<b>Balance</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.5</b>	.	.	.	.	.
Developed countries	304.0	76.8	70.5	.	.	.	.	.
of which EU	298.1	75.3	69.1	.	.	.	.	.
of which euro-zone	227.1	57.3	52.7	.	.	.	.	.
Developing countries	-342.1	-86.3	-79.3	.	.	.	.	.
Count. of Cent. and East. Europe	44.4	11.2	10.3	.	.	.	.	.

**Foreign trade turnover by major countries**

In January - November 2024 among the main trade partners of Poland decreases in exports were observed compared to January - November 2023, except Ukraine where exports increased by 9.7%. As for imports in January - November 2024, in comparison with the same period of 2023, the main trade partners reported decreases except the United States (an increase of 11.6%), Saudi Arabia (of 1.7%), France (of 1.6%) and Spain (of 0.9%).

The turnover with the top ten of Polish trade partners in exports accounted for 66.4% (66.4% in the same period of 2023 year), while in total imports – 61.3% (in comparison with 60.6% in January - November 2023).

The share of Germany in exports in comparison with the corresponding period of 2023 year decreased by 1.0 pp and amounted to 27.1%, while in imports decreased by 0.6 pp and accounted for 19.3%. The positive balance amounted to PLN 109.3 bn (USD 27.6 bn, EUR 25.3 bn) in comparison with PLN 131.8 bn (USD 31.1 bn, EUR 28.7 bn) in the same period of 2023.

<sup>2</sup> Country of origin is the country where the commodity was produced or processed and in this form entered the Polish customs zone.

**Table 2. Foreign trade turnover by major countries**

SPECIFICATION	I-XI 2024						2023	2024
	bn	bn	bn	I-XI 2023 = 100			I-XI	
	PLN	USD	EUR	PLN	USD	EUR	structure in %	
<b>EXPORTS</b>								
1. Germany	377.9	95.3	87.6	89.7	95.9	95.3	28.1	27.1
2. Czechia	85.5	21.5	19.8	89.8	96.1	95.5	6.3	6.1
3. France	85.0	21.4	19.7	92.1	98.5	97.9	6.2	6.1
4. United Kingdom	74.2	18.7	17.2	99.6	106.4	105.8	5.0	5.3
5. Netherlands	64.2	16.2	14.9	95.1	101.6	101.0	4.5	4.6
6. Italy	63.5	16.0	14.7	91.8	98.2	97.6	4.6	4.6
7. Ukraine	51.0	12.9	11.8	109.7	117.1	116.4	3.1	3.7
8. United States	45.8	11.5	10.6	99.3	106.0	105.4	3.1	3.3
9. Spain	40.6	10.2	9.4	98.1	105.0	104.3	2.8	2.9
10. Slovakia	37.2	9.4	8.6	90.9	97.3	96.7	2.7	2.7
<b>IMPORTS (country of origin)</b>								
1. Germany	268.6	67.7	62.3	92.8	99.1	98.5	19.9	19.3
2. China	199.6	50.4	46.3	99.3	106.3	105.6	13.8	14.4
3. United States	69.4	17.5	16.1	111.6	119.2	118.5	4.3	5.0
4. Italy	65.4	16.5	15.1	91.9	98.2	97.6	4.9	4.7
5. Netherlands	54.0	13.6	12.5	91.5	97.8	97.2	4.1	3.9
6. France	48.4	12.2	11.2	101.6	108.7	108.0	3.3	3.5
7. Czechia	44.7	11.3	10.4	94.8	101.3	100.8	3.3	3.2
8. South Korea	39.7	10.0	9.2	96.6	103.3	102.7	2.8	2.9
9. Saudi Arabia	30.9	7.8	7.2	101.7	108.8	108.3	2.1	2.2
10. Spain	30.9	7.8	7.2	100.9	107.9	107.2	2.1	2.2

Imports from the United Kingdom in January - November 2024 amounted to PLN 23.7 bn, USD 6.0 bn and EUR 5.5 bn

#### Imports by country of consignment – total and groups of counties

The highest turnover in imports by country of consignment Poland recorded with the developed countries - PLN 1 057.2 bn, of which with the EU - PLN 944.3 bn, compared to PLN 1 112.9 bn, of which with the EU - PLN 991.4 bn in the same period of 2023.

**Table 3. Imports by country of consignment – total and groups of counties**

SPECIFICATION	I-XI 2024						2023	2024
	bn	bn	bn	I-XI 2023 = 100			I-XI	
	PLN	USD	EUR	PLN	USD	EUR	structure in %	
<b>Imports</b> (country of consignment) <sup>3</sup>	<b>1388.5</b>	<b>350.1</b>	<b>321.9</b>	<b>95.5</b>	<b>102.1</b>	<b>101.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Developed countries	1057.2	266.5	245.1	95.0	101.5	100.9	76.6	76.1
of which EU	944.3	238.1	218.9	95.2	101.8	101.2	68.2	68.0
of which euro-zone	770.0	194.1	178.5	94.9	101.4	100.8	55.9	55.5
Developing countries	303.3	76.5	70.3	98.2	105.0	104.4	21.3	21.9
Countries of Cent. and East. Europe	27.9	7.0	6.5	89.2	95.9	95.2	2.1	2.0
<b>Balance</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>.</b>	<b>.</b>	<b>.</b>	<b>.</b>	<b>.</b>
Developed countries	149.7	37.8	34.7	.	.	.	.	.
of which EU	90.0	22.8	20.9	.	.	.	.	.
of which euro-zone	45.4	11.5	10.5	.	.	.	.	.
Developing countries	-188.5	-47.6	-43.7	.	.	.	.	.
Countries of Cent. and East. Europe	45.2	11.4	10.5	.	.	.	.	.

**Imports by country of consignment – countries**

The share of Germany in imports by country of consignment in comparison with imports by country of origin was higher by 6.0 pp, the share of the Netherlands by 2.6 pp, Belgium by 1.9 pp, Czechia by 1.1 pp and France by 0.6 pp.

**Table 4. Imports by country of consignment – countries**

SPECIFICATION	I-XI 2024						2023	2024
	bn	bn	bn	I-XI 2023 = 100			I-XI	
	PLN	USD	EUR	PLN	USD	EUR	structure in %	
<b>IMPORTS (country of consignment)</b>								
1. Germany	350.8	88.4	81.3	94.5	100.9	100.4	25.6	25.3
2. China	126.2	31.9	29.3	102.6	109.8	109.1	8.5	9.1
3. Netherlands	90.3	22.8	20.9	93.6	100.0	99.4	6.6	6.5
4. Italy	64.4	16.2	14.9	90.1	96.3	95.8	4.9	4.6
5. Czechia	59.0	14.9	13.7	97.4	104.1	103.5	4.2	4.3
6. Belgium	57.3	14.4	13.3	97.1	103.7	103.1	4.1	4.1
7. France	56.6	14.3	13.1	102.3	109.5	108.8	3.8	4.1
8. United States	42.2	10.6	9.8	101.0	107.9	107.3	2.9	3.0
9. Spain	35.3	8.9	8.2	101.5	108.5	107.8	2.4	2.5
10. South Korea	30.2	7.6	7.0	87.0	93.0	92.5	2.4	2.2

Imports from China in January - November 2024 according by country of consignment in comparison with imports by country of origin was lower by 5.3 pp

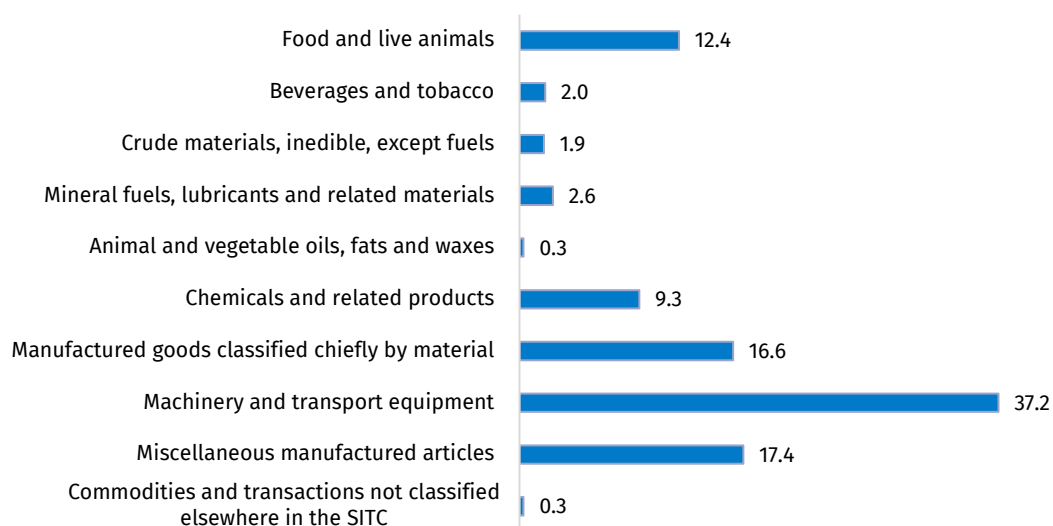
<sup>3</sup> Country of consignment is the country from which the goods were introduced into the Polish territory irrespective of their origin.

In January - November 2024 trade turnover in goods according to the SITC nomenclature compared to the same period of 2023 decreased in exports in all commodity sections. However, imports recorded increases in 2 commodity sections.

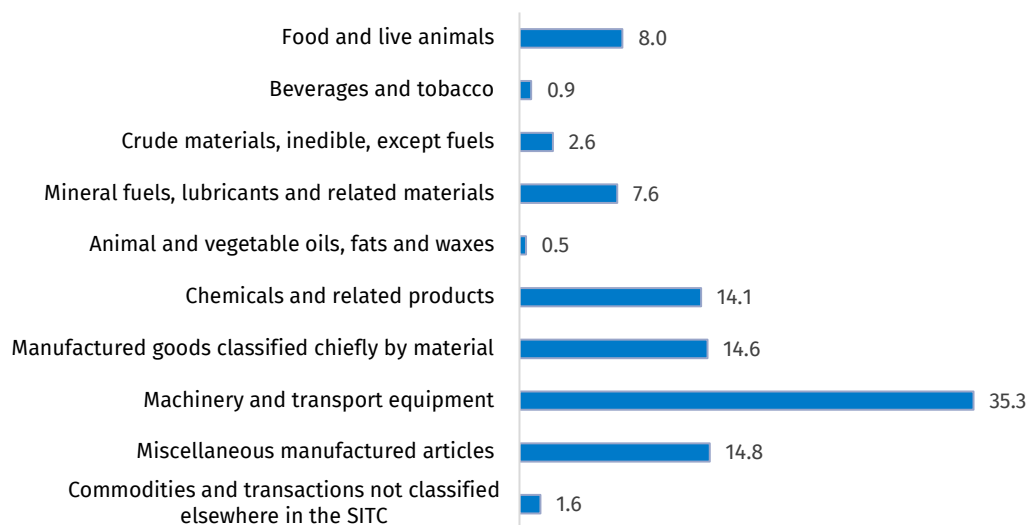
Exports decreased in mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials (by 20.4%), animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes (by 12.7%), machinery and transport equipment (by 9.5%), manufactured goods classified chiefly by material (by 8.5%), crude materials, inedible, except fuels (by 6.4%), commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in the SITC (by 5.6%), chemicals and related products (by 5.0%), beverages and tobacco (by 3.6%), food and live animals (by 3.0%), and miscellaneous manufactured articles (by 1.9%).

In imports an increase concerned miscellaneous manufactured articles (by 5.3%) and food and live animals (by 1.5%). The largest decreases were recorded in mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials (by 19.0%), commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in the SITC (by 18.2%), animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes (by 8.8%), manufactured goods classified chiefly by material (by 7.6%), crude materials, inedible, except fuels (by 4.5%), chemicals and related products (by 4.4%), machinery and transport equipment (by 3.6%) and beverages and tobacco (by 0.8%).

**Chart 1. Composition of exports by sections according to SITC nomenclature in January - November 2024**








**Chart 2. Composition of imports by sections according to SITC nomenclature in January - November 2024**



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