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External Trade in Goods of the Countries of the Commonwealth of Independent States ¹⁾

(bln. US dollars)

	I half-year						I half-year 2017 as % of I half-year 2016 (in current prices)		
	2016			2017					
	total	of which		total	of which		total	of which	
		mutual trade of the CIS countries	trade with the other countries of the world		mutual trade of the CIS countries	trade with the other countries of the world		mutual trade of the CIS countries	trade with the other countries of the world
Balance of the external trade	314,5	59,9	254,6	398,6	75,4	323,2	126,7	125,9	126,9
Exports	182,0	30,8	151,2	234,5	39,0	195,5	128,8	126,7	129,2
Imports	132,5	29,1	103,4	164,1	36,4	127,7	123,8	125,1	123,5
Trade balance	49,5	1,7	47,8	70,4	2,6	67,8			

Nota bene: Data on Ukraine from the web-site of official national statistical service

¹⁾ Data on the whole Commonwealth excluding Turkmenistan, Republic of Uzbekistan. Information on countries of the Commonwealth includes volume of exports-imports with these countries.

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Total Volume of Export-Import Operations in Goods of the Countries of the Commonwealth of Independent States in I Half-year 2017

(mln. US dollars)

	Exports	As % of I half-year 2016 (in current prices)	Imports	As % of I half-year 2016 (in current prices)	Trade balance	
					I half-year	
					2016	2017
Azerbaijan	5268,7	140,1	3409,7	84,3	-285,8	1859,0
Armenia	993,9	121,0	1821,2	125,8	-626,4	-827,3
Belarus ¹⁾	13533,0	121,3	15558,5	119,8	-1833,9	-2025,5
Kazakhstan	23167,0	138,3	13552,7	119,0	5364,4	9614,3
Kyrgyzstan	804,6	130,1	1994,7	107,2	-1242,8	-1190,1
Moldova	1028,2	113,6	2181,4	116,8	-962,9	-1153,2
Russia ¹⁾	168559,4	128,7	101805,0	127,2	50894,0	66754,4
Tajikistan	458,5	104,4	1246,7	83,1	-1060,9	-788,2
Ukraine ¹⁾	20652,0	124,2	22533,7	129,9	-727,5	-1881,7
Total - CIS	234465,3	128,8	164103,6	123,8	49518,2	70361,7

¹⁾ According to the methodology of the *balance of payments* commodity trade balance of Russia with the CIS countries in I half-year 2017 was positive and amounted to 59.6 bln. US dollars, in Belarus and Ukraine according to the data from National banks – negative and amounted to 1,0 and 3,2 bln. US dollars respectively.

**Volume of Mutual Trade in Goods of the Countries
of the Commonwealth of Independent States
in I Half-year 2017**

(mln. US dollars)

	Exports	As % of I half-year 2016 (in current prices)	Imports	As % of I half-year 2016 (in current prices)	Trade balance	
					I half-year	
					2016	2017
Azerbaijan	469,1	149,9	987,7	100,3	-672,2	-518,6
Armenia	233,3	124,6	588,7	120,6	-300,9	-355,4
Belarus	8193,6	125,7	9587,6	119,8	-1479,0	-1394,0
Kazakhstan	3826,5	136,4	6357,2	133,0	-1974,7	-2530,7
Kyrgyzstan	351,1	127,3	915,8	112,3	-540,0	-564,7
Moldova	216,9	115,6	542,8	114,9	-284,9	-325,9
Russia	22267,4	125,4	11713,3	128,9	8663,8	10554,1
Tajikistan	192,5	145,6	771,9	96,3	-669,2	-579,4
Ukraine	3263,8	124,6	4909,7	134,4	-1033,1	-1645,9
Total - CIS	39014,2	126,7	36374,7	125,1	1709,8	2639,5

**Export-Import Operations in Goods of the Countries
of the Commonwealth of Independent States
with the Other Countries of the World
in I Half-year 2017**

(mln. US dollars)

	Exports	As % of I half-year 2016 (in current prices)	Imports	As % of I half-year 2016 (in current prices)	Trade balance	
					I half-year	
					2016	2017
Azerbaijan	4799,6	139,2	2422,0	79,1	386,4	2377,6
Armenia	760,6	119,9	1232,5	128,4	-325,5	-471,9
Belarus	5339,4	115,1	5970,9	119,6	-354,9	-631,5
Kazakhstan	19340,5	138,7	7195,5	108,9	7339,1	12145,0
Kyrgyzstan	453,5	132,3	1078,9	103,2	-702,8	-625,4
Moldova	811,3	113,0	1638,6	117,4	-678,0	-827,3
Russia	146292,0	129,2	90091,7	126,9	42230,2	56200,3
Tajikistan	266,0	86,6	474,8	67,9	-391,7	-208,8
Ukraine	17388,2	124,2	17624,0	128,7	305,6	-235,8
Total - CIS	195451,1	129,2	127728,9	123,5	47808,4	67722,2

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