

## 24. External trade: commodity structure<sup>\*)</sup>

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| Period                           | Food | Crude materials, inedible, except fuels | Mineral fuels, lubricants and related products | Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes | Chemicals and related products | Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material | Machinery and transport equipment | Miscellaneous manufactured articles |
|----------------------------------|------|---|--|---|--------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| SITC Rev.3 Section (Code)        | 0,1  | 2                                       | 3  | 4   | 5                              | 6   | 7                                 | 8,9                                 |
| <b>EXPORTS</b>                   |      |   |  |   |                                |   |                                   |                                     |
| 1999                             | 3.8  | 3.8                                     | 2.9  | 0.1                                       | 7.4                            | 26.0  | 42.4                              | 13.6                                |
| 2000                             | 3.7  | 3.5                                     | 3.1  | 0.1                                       | 7.1                            | 25.4  | 44.5                              | 12.6                                |
| 2001                             | 3.4  | 3.0                                     | 3.0  | 0.1                                       | 6.4                            | 24.4  | 47.4                              | 12.3                                |
| 2002                             | 3.2  | 2.8                                     | 2.9  | 0.1                                       | 6.0                            | 23.4  | 49.6                              | 12.1                                |
| 2003                             | 3.3  | 2.8                                     | 2.9  | 0.1                                       | 5.9                            | 23.1  | 50.1                              | 11.9                                |
| 2004                             | 3.3  | 2.7                                     | 2.9  | 0.1                                       | 6.0                            | 22.6  | 50.9                              | 11.6                                |
| 2005 <sup>1)</sup>               | 3.8  | 2.5                                     | 3.1  | 0.1                                       | 6.4                            | 21.7  | 50.8                              | 11.6                                |
| 2006 <sup>2)</sup>               | 3.4  | 2.6                                     | 2.9  | 0.1                                       | 6.1                            | 20.8  | 53.2                              | 11.0                                |
| 2007 <sup>2)</sup>               |      |   |  |   |                                |   |                                   |                                     |
| 2004 - 1st quarter               | 3.0  | 2.8                                     | 2.7  | 0.1                                       | 5.9                            | 23.2  | 50.5                              | 11.8                                |
| 1st - 2nd quarter                | 3.1  | 2.9                                     | 2.8  | 0.1                                       | 5.8                            | 22.6  | 51.3                              | 11.6                                |
| 1st - 3rd quarter                | 3.3  | 2.8                                     | 2.9  | 0.1                                       | 6.0                            | 22.8  | 50.6                              | 11.7                                |
| 2005 <sup>1)</sup> - 1st quarter | 3.5  | 2.6                                     | 2.9  | 0.1                                       | 6.4                            | 23.2  | 49.9                              | 11.5                                |
| 1st - 2nd quarter                | 3.6  | 2.6                                     | 3.0  | 0.1                                       | 6.4                            | 22.6  | 50.1                              | 11.6                                |
| 1st - 3rd quarter                | 3.8  | 2.6                                     | 3.1  | 0.1                                       | 6.5                            | 22.3  | 50.0                              | 11.7                                |
| 2006 <sup>2)</sup> - 1st quarter | 3.3  | 2.3                                     | 2.8  | 0.1                                       | 6.1                            | 20.6  | 53.8                              | 11.0                                |
| 1st - 2nd quarter                | 3.3  | 2.5                                     | 2.9  | 0.1                                       | 6.1                            | 21.0  | 53.2                              | 10.9                                |
| 1st - 3rd quarter                | 3.4  | 2.6                                     | 3.0  | 0.1                                       | 6.2                            | 21.1  | 52.7                              | 11.0                                |
| 2007 <sup>2)</sup> - 1st quarter | 3.1  | 2.6                                     | 2.6  | 0.1                                       | 5.9                            | 20.7  | 54.6                              | 10.5                                |
| 1st - 2nd quarter                | 3.2  | 2.7                                     | 2.6  | 0.1                                       | 6.0                            | 21.0  | 53.9                              | 10.4                                |
| 1st - 3rd quarter                | 3.5  | 2.7                                     | 2.7  | 0.1                                       | 6.1                            | 20.9  | 53.4                              | 10.6                                |
| <b>IMPORTS</b>                   |      |   |  |   |                                |   |                                   |                                     |
| 1999                             | 5.5  | 3.2                                     | 6.7  | 0.3                                       | 12.2                           | 21.1  | 39.4                              | 11.6                                |
| 2000                             | 4.6  | 3.2                                     | 9.6  | 0.2                                       | 11.2                           | 20.8  | 40.0                              | 10.4                                |
| 2001                             | 4.4  | 2.9                                     | 9.1  | 0.2                                       | 10.9                           | 20.2  | 42.2                              | 10.1                                |
| 2002                             | 4.6  | 2.9                                     | 7.6  | 0.2                                       | 11.2                           | 20.6  | 42.4                              | 10.6                                |
| 2003                             | 4.5  | 2.8                                     | 7.5  | 0.3                                       | 11.4                           | 20.1  | 42.8                              | 10.6                                |
| 2004                             | 4.7  | 3.0                                     | 7.0  | 0.2                                       | 11.1                           | 20.6  | 42.3                              | 10.9                                |
| 2005 <sup>1)</sup>               | 5.1  | 2.8                                     | 9.2  | 0.2                                       | 11.0                           | 20.5  | 40.3                              | 11.0                                |
| 2006 <sup>2)</sup>               | 4.8  | 2.7                                     | 9.5  | 0.2                                       | 10.4                           | 20.4  | 41.4                              | 10.6                                |
| 2007 <sup>2)</sup>               |      |   |  |   |                                |   |                                   |                                     |
| 2004 - 1st quarter               | 4.7  | 3.1                                     | 6.4  | 0.2                                       | 11.8                           | 20.9  | 42.3                              | 10.6                                |
| 1st - 2nd quarter                | 4.5  | 3.1                                     | 6.4  | 0.2                                       | 11.7                           | 21.1  | 42.3                              | 10.7                                |
| 1st - 3rd quarter                | 4.5  | 3.1                                     | 6.7  | 0.2                                       | 11.5                           | 21.2  | 42.0                              | 10.8                                |
| 2005 <sup>1)</sup> - 1st quarter | 5.2  | 3.4                                     | 8.1  | 0.2                                       | 11.6                           | 21.8  | 38.1                              | 11.6                                |
| 1st - 2nd quarter                | 5.1  | 3.1                                     | 8.3  | 0.2                                       | 11.4                           | 21.3  | 39.4                              | 11.1                                |
| 1st - 3rd quarter                | 5.1  | 2.9                                     | 8.8  | 0.2                                       | 11.3                           | 20.8  | 39.6                              | 11.1                                |
| 2006 <sup>2)</sup> - 1st quarter | 5.0  | 2.8                                     | 10.1   | 0.2                                       | 10.7                           | 20.2  | 40.4                              | 10.7                                |
| 1st - 2nd quarter                | 4.9  | 2.8                                     | 10.1   | 0.2                                       | 10.6                           | 20.5  | 40.5                              | 10.4                                |
| 1st - 3rd quarter                | 4.8  | 2.8                                     | 10.2   | 0.2                                       | 10.6                           | 20.5  | 40.3                              | 10.5                                |
| 2007 <sup>2)</sup> - 1st quarter | 4.8  | 2.5                                     | 7.9  | 0.1                                       | 10.6                           | 21.6  | 42.6                              | 9.8                                 |
| 1st - 2nd quarter                | 4.8  | 2.5                                     | 7.9  | 0.1                                       | 10.7                           | 21.9  | 42.4                              | 9.8                                 |
| 1st - 3rd quarter                | 4.9  | 2.5                                     | 8.1  | 0.1                                       | 10.6                           | 21.6  | 42.1                              | 10.1                                |

<sup>\*)</sup> 1997-2001 data are governed by methodology valid since 1 July 2000

<sup>1)</sup> 2006 data are final, referring to 28 August 2007 closing date

<sup>2)</sup> 2007 data are updated, referring to 28 November 2007 closing date