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THE DOMESTIC EXPORTS IN JANUARY 2020

In January 2020 the exports of Georgia (excluding non-declared exports) equaled USD 262.6 million, 10.0 percent higher to the same month of previous year. Share of the domestic exports in total export constituted 67.4 percent and amounted to USD 177.1 million, 12.4 percent higher to the January 2019.

The charts below reflect basic trends of the indicators in 2015-2020:

TREND OF THE EXPORTS IN GEORGIA IN JANUARY 2015-2020

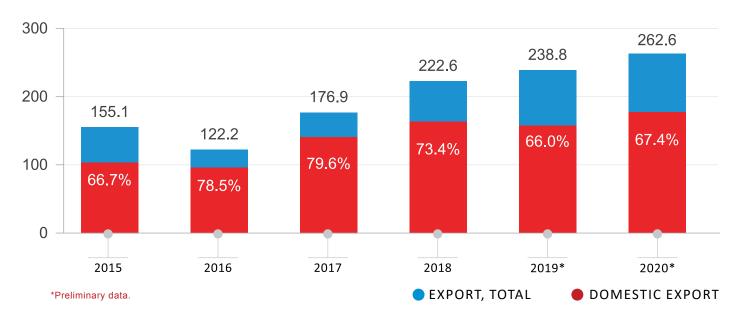
(MILL. USD)





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GEORGIAN EXPORT IN JANUARY 2015-2020 (MILL.USD)



The table below shows monthly data for 2018-2020 domestic exports in absolute values and their changes (in percentage) compared to the corresponding month of the previous year.

DOMESTIC EXPORTS OF GEORGIA

		MILL. USD	CHANGE (%)		
	January	163.3	15.9		
	February	161.7	12.3		
	March	203.2	16.5		
	April	153.0	-7.4		
	May	214.8	43.4		
2018	June	217.6	19.6		
2016	July	175.3	12.7		
	August	168.9	-3.4		
	September	203.7	7.8		
	October	188.5	3.2		
	November	168.8	2.3		
	December	202.5	9.8		



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		MILL. USD	CHANGE (%)
	January	157.6	-3.5
	February	182.5	12.8
	March	208.8	2.7
	April	185.1	21.0
	May	197.0	-8.3
2019*	June	182.8	-16.0
2019	July	187.3	6.9
	August	181.2	7.3
	September	194.5	-4.5
	October	196.5	4.2
	November	221.6	31.3
	December	237.8	17.4
2020*	January	177.1	12.4

In January 2020 the share of the top ten trading partners by domestic exports in the total domestic exports of Georgia amounted to 85.7 percent. The top partners were China (USD 43.3 million), Russia (USD 30.5 million) and Bulgaria (USD 23.8 million).



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TOP TRADING PARTNERS BY DOMESTIC EXPORTS

	JANUARY 2019*		JANUARY 2020*		CHANGE (%)
	MILL. US DOLLARS	SHARE IN TOTAL (%)	MILL. US DOLLARS	SHARE IN TOTAL (%)	
Total domestic exports	157.6	100.0	177.1	100.0	12.4
Of which:					
China	1.8	1.1	43.3	24.5	2,364.5
Russia	33.9	21.5	30.5	17.2	-10.0
Bulgaria	9.7	6.2	23.8	13.4	145.5
Turkey	20.7	13.2	17.9	10.1	-13.7
Ukraine	11.0	7.0	11.7	6.6	6.3
Switzerland	5.2	3.3	7.9	4.5	51.4
Peru	-	-	5.9	3.3	-
Armenia	3.8	2.4	4.2	2.4	9.9
Azerbaijan	9.5	6.0	3.8	2.2	-59.8
Lithuania (Lietuva)	1.8	1.1	2.7	1.6	55.3
Other countries	60.2	38.2	25.3	14.3	-57.9

^{*}Preliminary data.

In January 2020 copper ores and concentrates reclaimed the first place in the list of top export items, equaling USD 49.4 million, or 27.9 percent of total exports. The exports of precious metal ores and concentrates totaled USD 16.0 million and their share in the total exports amounted to 9.0 percent. The ferro-alloys exports occupied the third place standing at USD 15.4 million and constituting 8.7 percent of the total exports.



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MAJOR COMMODITY GROUPS BY DOMESTIC EXPORTS

	JANUARY 2019*		JANUARY 2020*		CHANGE (%)
	MILL. US DOLLARS	SHARE IN TOTAL (%)	MILL. US DOLLARS	SHARE IN TOTAL (%)	
Total domestic exports	157.6	100.0	177.1	100.0	12.4
Of which:					
Copper ores and concentrates	42.5	27.0	49.4	27.9	16.1
Precious metal ores and concentrates	-	-	16.0	9.0	-
Ferro-alloys	18.2	11.5	15.4	8.7	-15.1
Wine of fresh grapes	15.8	10.0	14.7	8.3	-6.9
Mineral or chemical fertilizers, nitrogenous	8.9	5.7	11.7	6.6	31.5
Gold unwrought or in semi-manufactured forms, or in powder form	6.3	4.0	7.9	4.5	25.9
Waters, natural or artificial mineral and aerated waters, not containing added sugar	7.8	5.0	7.4	4.2	-5.3
Undenatured ethyl alcohol, spirits, liqueurs and other spirituous beverages	3.8	2.4	5.7	3.2	48.2
T-shirts and other vests, knitted or crocheted	2.3	1.4	3.0	1.7	33.0
Flours, meals and pellets, unfit for human consumption; greaves	0.9	0.5	2.9	1.6	235.4
Other commodities	51.1	32.4	43.0	24.3	-15.9

^{*}Preliminary data.

Sources:

LEPL Revenue Service of Ministry of Finance of Georgia;



Electricity System Commercial Operator, JSC;

Georgian Gas Transportation Company, LTD.

Explanation of symbols:

- Not applicable;
- * Data are preliminary and subject to revisions;
- ... Data are confidential



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Notice:

- 1. The discrepancy between the totals and the sum in some cases can be explained by using rounded data;
- 2. Information does not cover the data of Simplified Customs Declarations (Form №4);
- 3. Information does not cover non-organized trade, also occupied territories of Abkhazian Autonomous Republic and Tskhinvali region;
- 4. According to the international methodology, there are some difference in coverage of trade flows between external merchandise trade statistics and customs statistics. Diplomatic, temporary, transit and analogous goods are excluded from the database of external merchandise trade statistics.

The preliminary data will be revised according to the Geostat's revision policy (based on the regular revision principle) as a result of adjusting data by respondents/administrative sources.

Domestic exports include export of goods produced in the country, as well as imported from abroad, the value of which has significantly changed as a result of domestic processing.

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