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EXTERNAL MERCHANDISE TRADE IN GEORGIA JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025 (PRELIMINARY RESULTS)



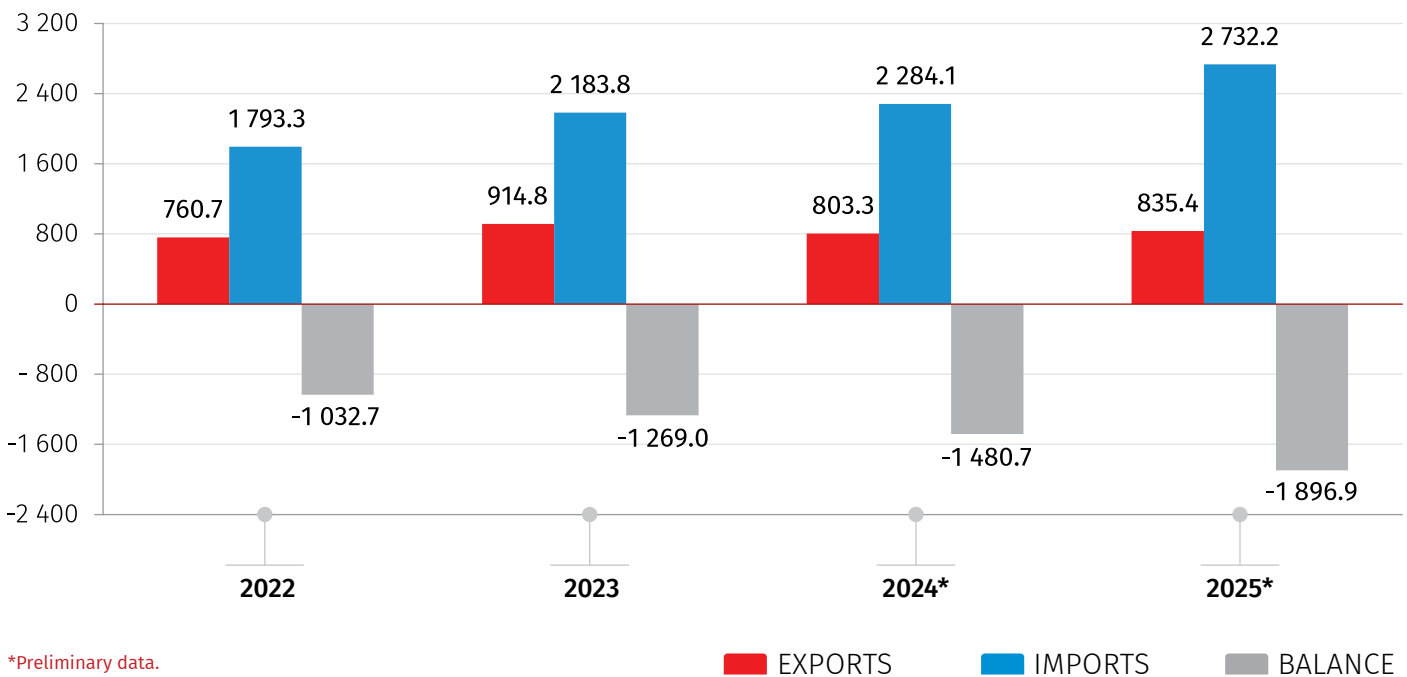
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**EXTERNAL MERCHANDISE TRADE OF GEORGIA
IN JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025
(PRELIMINARY)**

In January-February 2025 the external merchandise trade (excluding non-declared trade) of Georgia amounted to USD 3 567.6 million, 15.6 percent higher year-on-year. The exports equaled 835.4 million (4.0 percent higher), while the imports stood at USD 2 732.2 million (19.6 percent higher). The negative trade balance was USD 1 896.9 million in January-February 2025 and its share in external trade turnover constituted 53.2 percent.

The charts below reflect basic trends of the external merchandise trade of Georgia:

**GENERAL DATA ON EXTERNAL TRADE OF GEORGIA IN JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2022-2025
(MILLION US DOLLARS)**



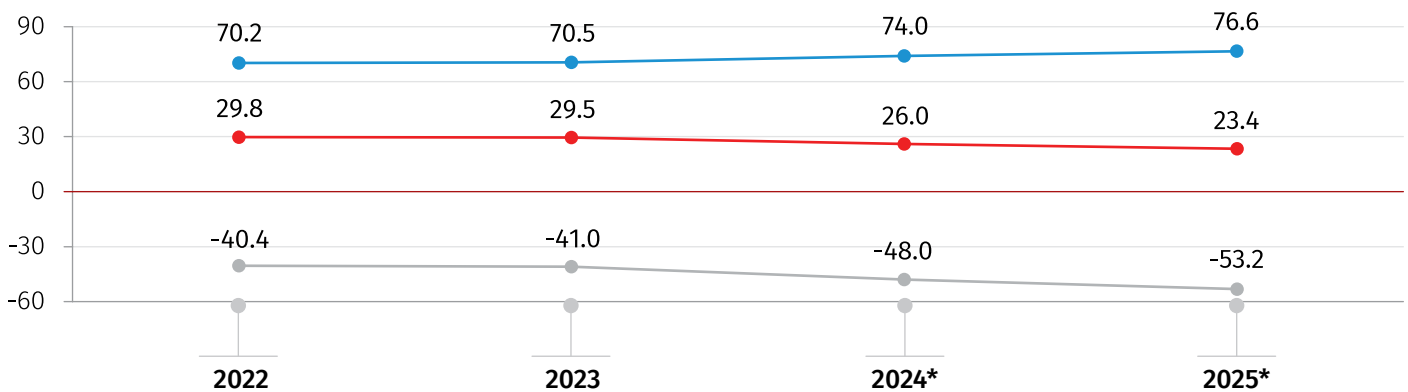
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SHARE OF EXTERNAL TRADE INDICATORS IN TURNOVER

JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2022-2025

(%)



*Preliminary data.

● EXPORT ● IMPORT ● BALANCE

The table below shows monthly data for 2023-2025 exports and imports in absolute values and their changes (in percentage) compared to the corresponding month of the previous year.

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS OF GEORGIA

		EXPORTS		IMPORTS	
		THSD. US DOLLARS	CHANGES M-O-M (%)	THSD. US DOLLARS	CHANGES M-O-M (%)
2023	January	458 994.4	38.5	1 115 736.0	44.1
	February	455 767.2	6.2	1 068 066.7	4.8
	March	546 686.3	32.8	1 377 766.3	48.7
	April	500 111.6	20.5	1 224 353.3	24.2
	May	542 001.0	4.0	1 330 382.9	12.7
	June	549 993.7	22.6	1 342 790.7	21.5
	July	526 908.5	-1.2	1 324 559.5	13.0
	August	493 184.2	4.2	1 411 395.0	11.8
	September	526 038.1	0.5	1 382 040.8	21.6
	October	490 610.5	9.3	1 361 069.7	13.0
	November	481 753.5	-1.8	1 296 587.9	-1.1
	December	514 367.7	-7.5	1 368 847.9	-6.9

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		EXPORTS		IMPORTS	
		THSD. US DOLLARS	CHANGES M-O-M (%)	THSD. US DOLLARS	CHANGES M-O-M (%)
2024*	January	338 627.5	-26.2	1 102 421.5	-1.2
	February	464 708.9	2.0	1 181 654.4	10.6
	March	522 744.5	-4.4	1 227 531.6	-10.9
	April	437 193.1	-12.6	1 452 167.3	18.6
	May	501 302.9	-7.5	1 413 251.1	6.2
	June	580 823.6	5.6	1 360 000.7	1.3
	July	684 008.0	29.8	1 568 009.7	18.4
	August	641 687.1	30.1	1 455 591.9	3.1
	September	615 588.1	17.0	1 441 662.0	4.3
	October	681 712.8	39.0	1 549 667.0	13.9
	November	542 527.4	12.6	1 506 610.1	16.2
	December	549 436.1	6.8	1 689 099.3	23.4
2025*	January	403 853.1	19.3	1 628 829.7	47.8
	February	431 504.3	-7.1	1 103 379.5	-6.6

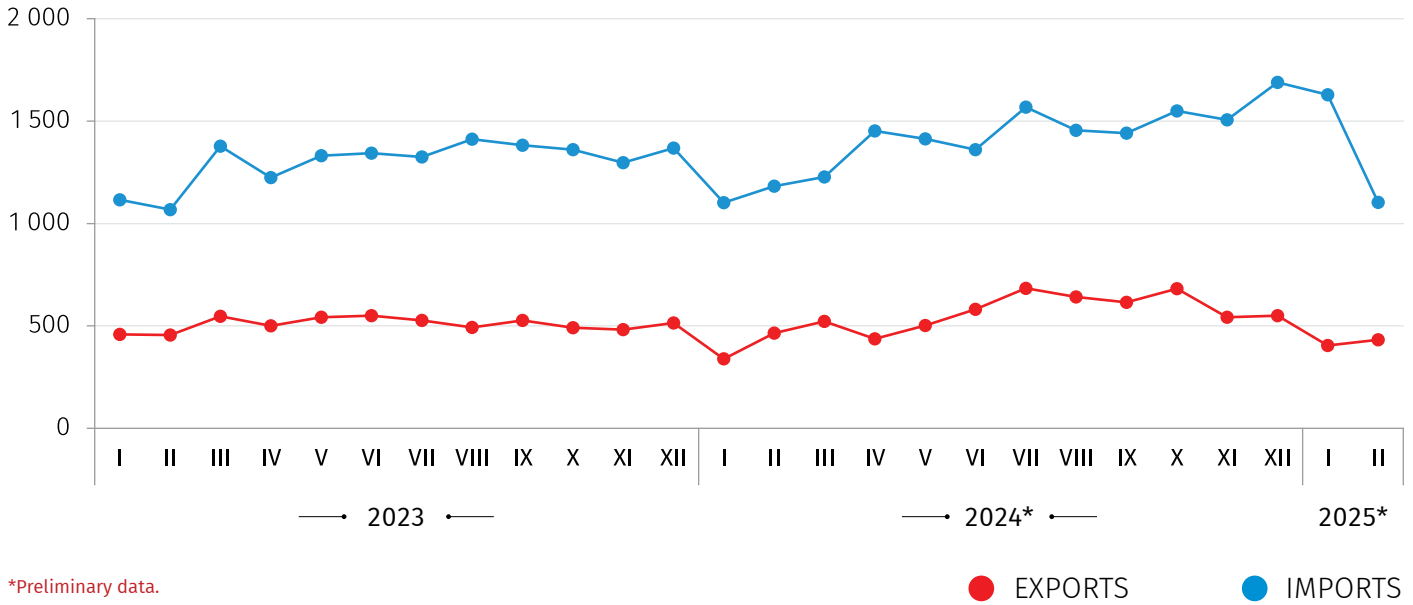
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EXPORTS AND IMPORTS DYNAMICS BY MONTHS, 2023-2025

(MILLION US DOLLARS)

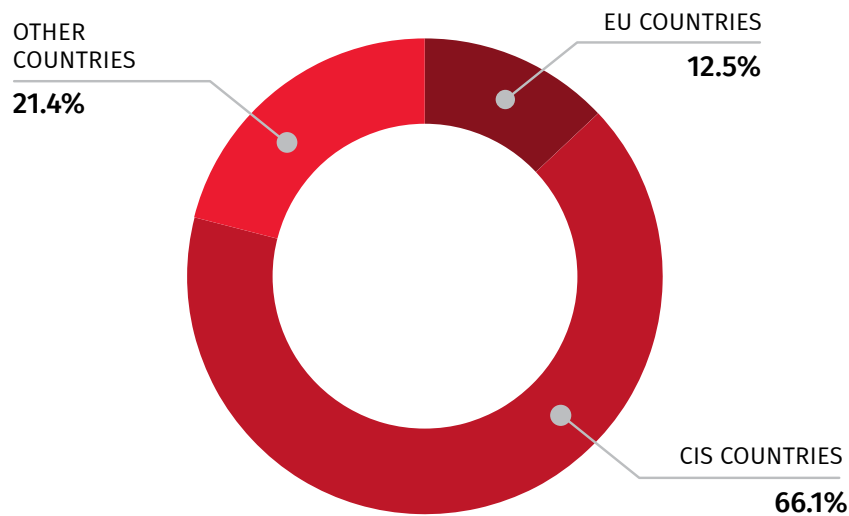


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● EXPORTS ● IMPORTS

The diagrams below show the share of the exports and imports of Georgia by country groups.

GEORGIAN EXPORT BY COUNTRY GROUPS IN JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025*

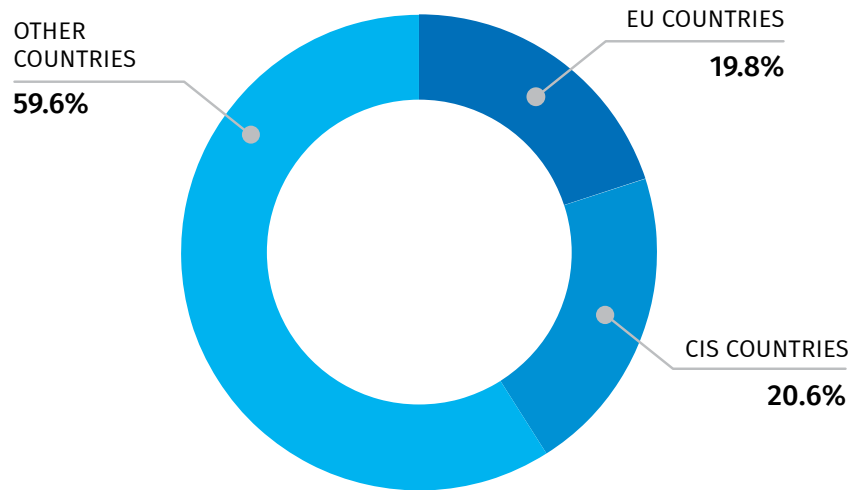


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Note: EU contains 27 countries.

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GEORGIAN IMPORT BY COUNTRY GROUPS IN JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025*



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In January-February 2025 the share of the top ten trading partners by exports in the total exports of Georgia amounted to 78.7 percent. The top partners were Kyrgyzstan (USD 166.6 million), Kazakhstan (USD 100.7 million) and Azerbaijan (USD 97.7 million).

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**TOP TRADING PARTNERS BY EXPORTS
IN JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025**

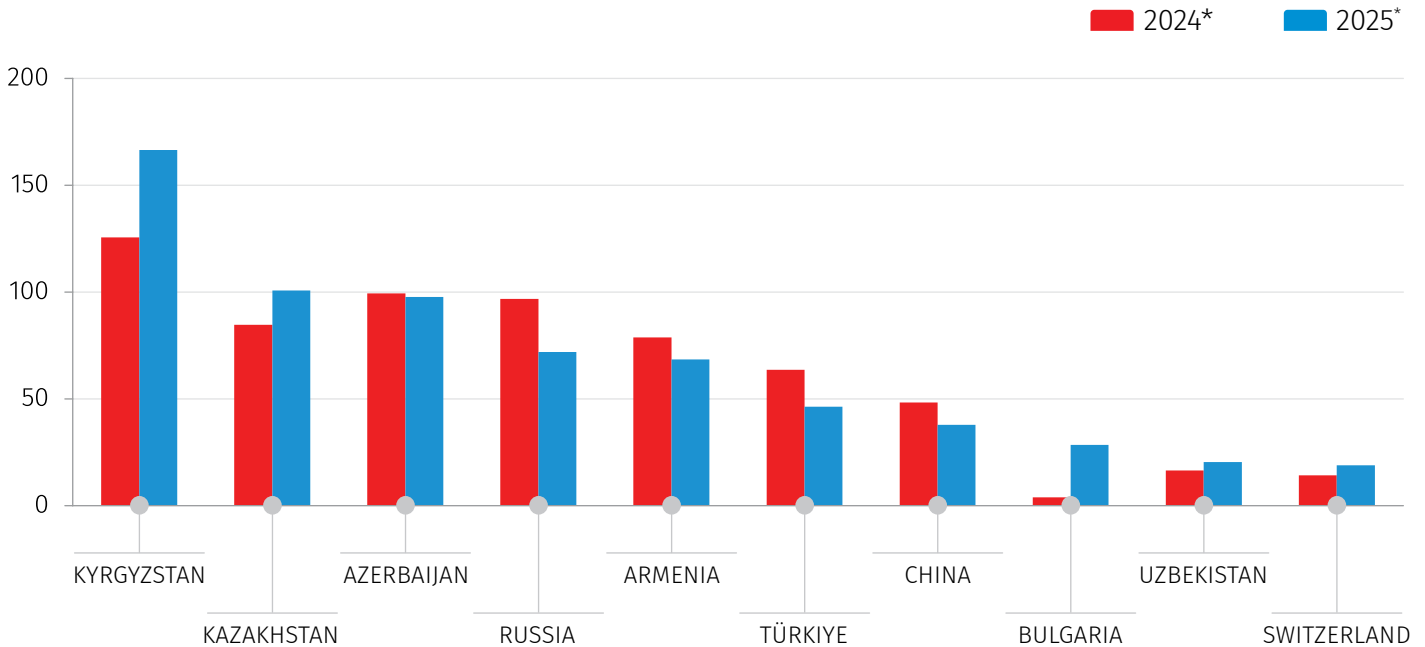
	JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2024*		JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025*		CHANGE (%)
	THSD. US DOLLARS	SHARE IN TOTAL (%)	THSD. US DOLLARS	SHARE IN TOTAL (%)	
TOTAL EXPORTS	803 336.4	100.0	835 357.4	100.0	4.0
Of which:					
Kyrgyzstan	125 558.5	15.6	166 567.3	19.9	32.7
Kazakhstan	84 614.8	10.5	100 684.7	12.1	19.0
Azerbaijan	99 444.7	12.4	97 702.4	11.7	-1.8
Russia	96 810.5	12.1	71 909.3	8.6	-25.7
Armenia	78 785.7	9.8	68 418.6	8.2	-13.2
Türkiye	63 640.6	7.9	46 381.0	5.6	-27.1
China	48 287.3	6.0	37 800.1	4.5	-21.7
Bulgaria	3 850.4	0.5	28 487.5	3.4	639.9
Uzbekistan	16 523.7	2.1	20 461.6	2.4	23.8
Switzerland	14 145.2	1.8	18 861.9	2.3	33.3
Other countries	171 675.0	21.4	178 082.8	21.3	3.7

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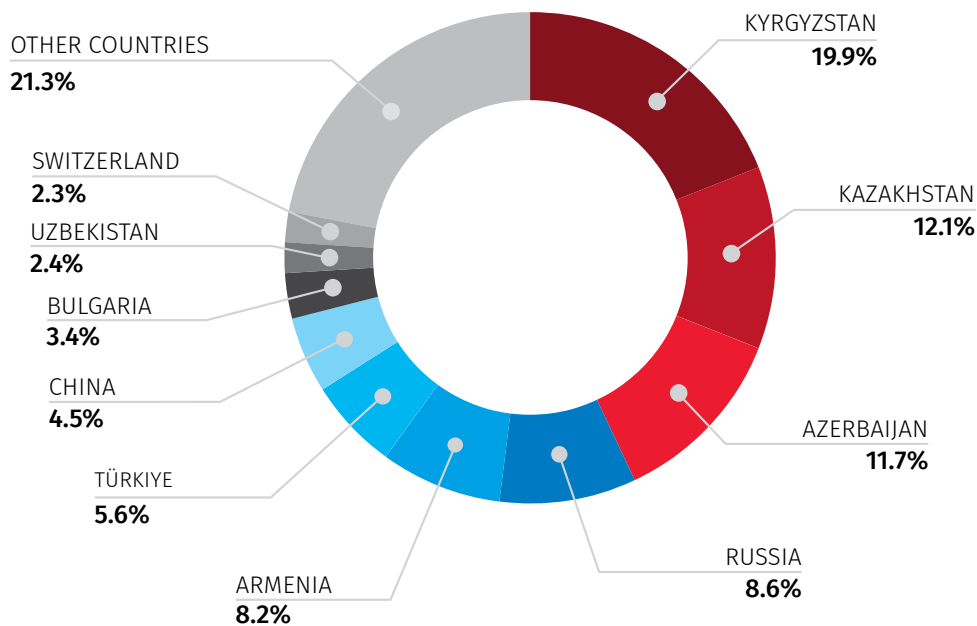
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TOP TRADING PARTNERS BY EXPORTS IN JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2024-2025 (MILLION US DOLLARS)



*Preliminary data.

SHARE OF THE TOP TRADING PARTNERS IN TOTAL EXPORTS IN JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025*



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In January-February 2025 the share of the top ten trading partners by imports in the total imports of Georgia amounted to 75.5 percent. The top partners were USA (USD 478.3 million), Russia (USD 344.3 million) and Türkiye (USD 337.9 million).

TOP TRADING PARTNERS BY IMPORTS IN JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025

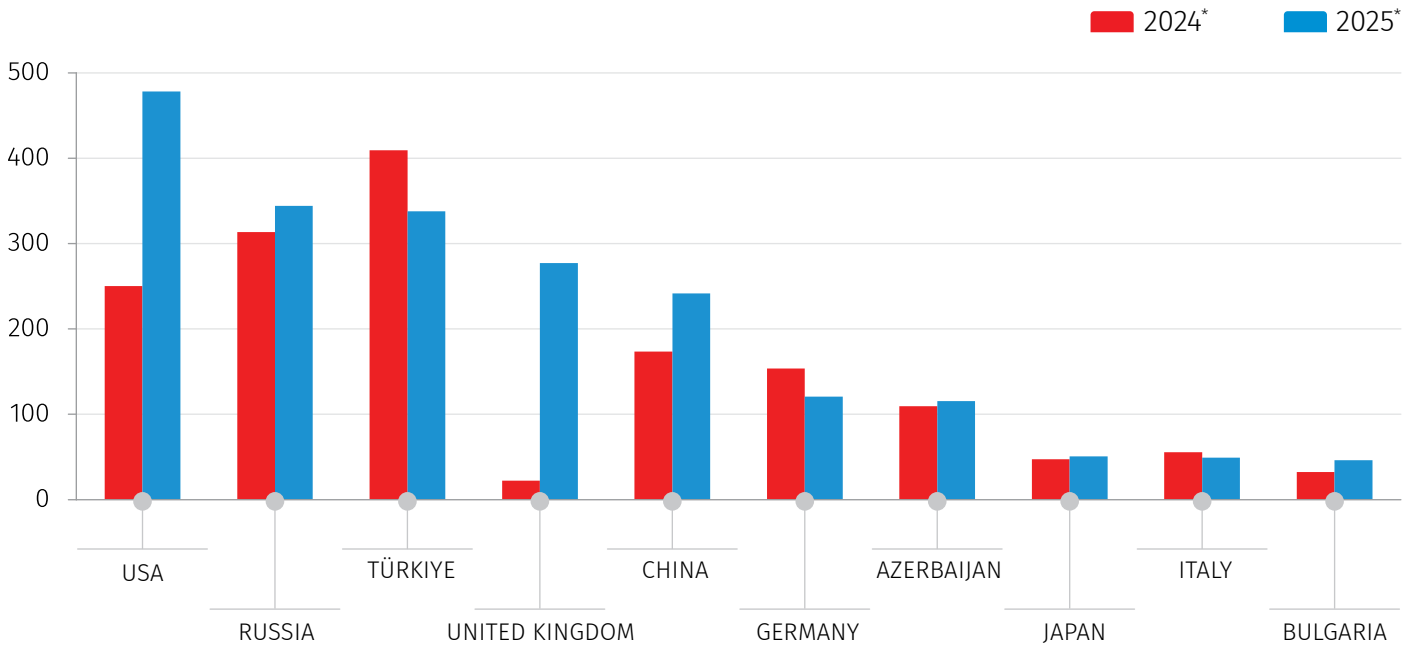
	JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2024*		JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025*		CHANGE (%)
	THSD. US DOLLARS	SHARE IN TOTAL (%)	THSD. US DOLLARS	SHARE IN TOTAL (%)	
TOTAL IMPORTS	2 284 075.9	100.0	2 732 209.2	100.0	19.6
Of which:					
USA	250 431.4	11.0	478 260.0	17.5	91.0
Russia	313 688.1	13.7	344 260.4	12.6	9.7
Türkiye	409 239.4	17.9	337 922.1	12.4	-17.4
United Kingdom	22 141.3	1.0	277 105.7	10.1	1 151.5
China	173 682.5	7.6	241 519.1	8.8	39.1
Germany	153 721.4	6.7	120 777.3	4.4	-21.4
Azerbaijan	109 502.8	4.8	115 492.7	4.2	5.5
Japan	47 444.0	2.1	50 606.3	1.9	6.7
Italy	55 622.8	2.4	49 087.7	1.8	-11.7
Bulgaria	32 462.0	1.4	46 444.6	1.7	43.1
Other countries	716 140.2	31.4	670 733.4	24.5	-6.3

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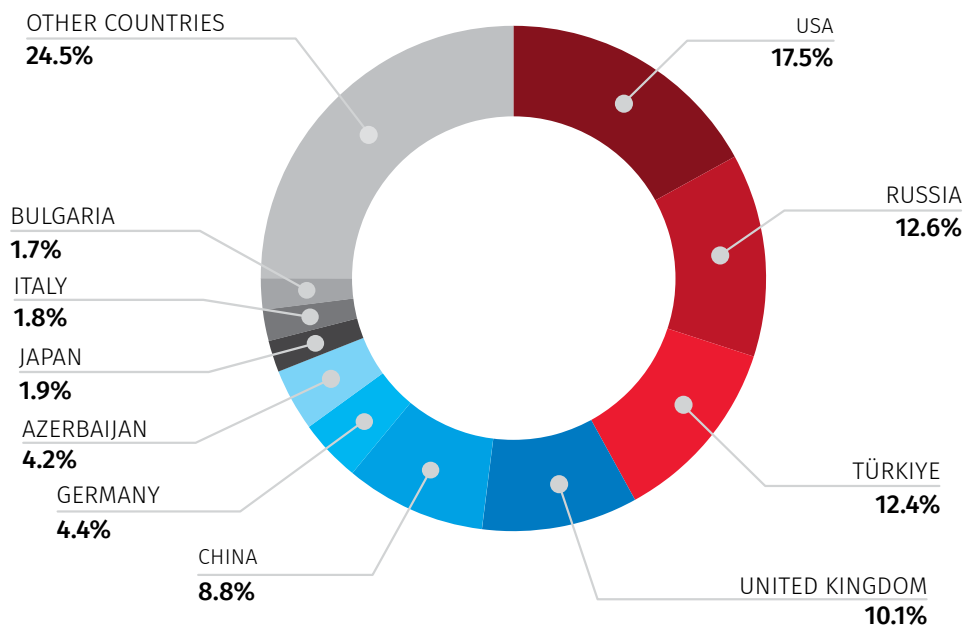
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TOP TRADING PARTNERS BY IMPORTS IN JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2024-2025 (MILLION US DOLLARS)



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SHARE OF THE TOP TRADING PARTNERS IN TOTAL IMPORTS IN JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025*



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In January-February 2025 the share of the top ten trading partners in the total external trade turnover of Georgia amounted to 71.9 percent. The top trading partners were USA (USD 486.9 million), Russia (USD 416.2 million) and Türkiye (USD 384.3 million).

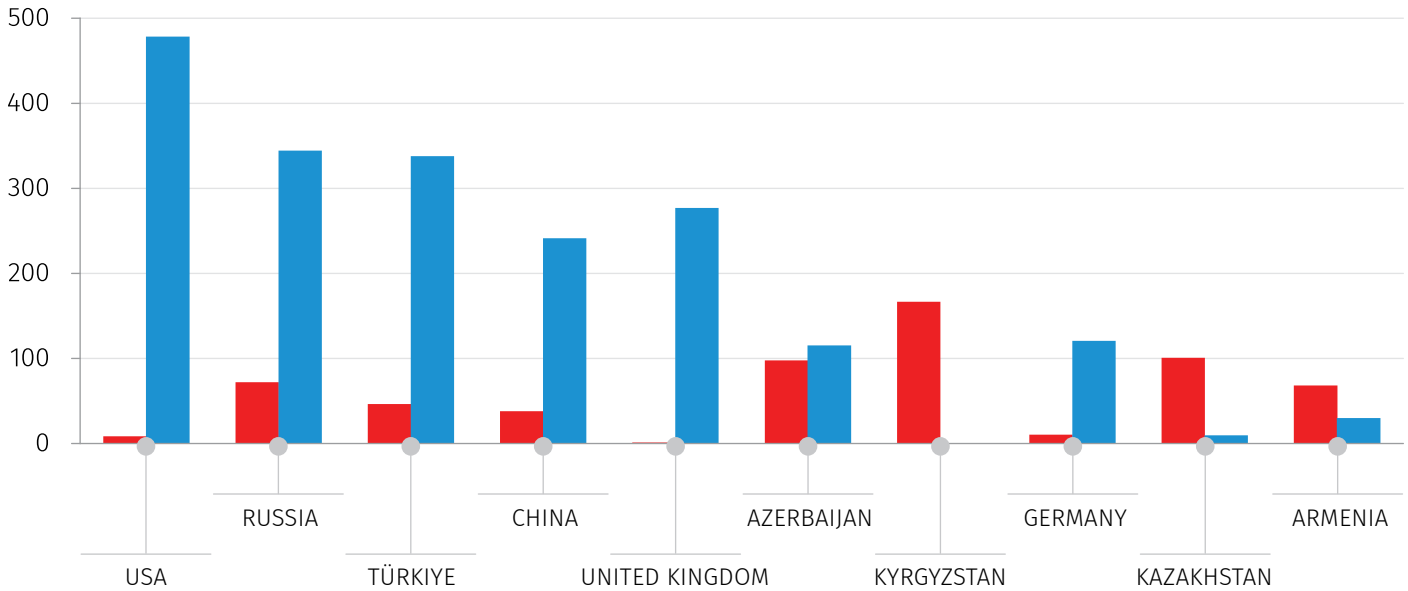
TOP TRADING PARTNERS BY TURNOVER IN JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025*

	EXPORTS		IMPORTS		TURNOVER	
	THSD. US DOLLARS	SHARE IN TOTAL (%)	THSD. US DOLLARS	SHARE IN TOTAL (%)	THSD. US DOLLARS	SHARE IN TOTAL (%)
TOTAL	835 357.4	100.0	2 732 209.2	100.0	3 567 566.6	100.0
Of which:						
USA	8 599.6	1.0	478 260.0	17.5	486 859.6	13.6
Russia	71 909.3	8.6	344 260.4	12.6	416 169.7	11.7
Türkiye	46 381.0	5.6	337 922.1	12.4	384 303.2	10.8
China	37 800.1	4.5	241 519.1	8.8	279 319.2	7.8
United Kingdom	1 285.4	0.2	277 105.7	10.1	278 391.1	7.8
Azerbaijan	97 702.4	11.7	115 492.7	4.2	213 195.2	6.0
Kyrgyzstan	166 567.3	19.9	264.4	0.0	166 831.7	4.7
Germany	10 350.3	1.2	120 777.3	4.4	131 127.7	3.7
Kazakhstan	100 684.7	12.1	9 516.3	0.3	110 201.1	3.1
Armenia	68 418.6	8.2	29 844.8	1.1	98 263.5	2.8
Other countries	225 658.5	27.0	777 246.4	28.4	1 002 904.9	28.1

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TOP TRADING PARTNERS BY TURNOVER IN JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025*
(MILLION US DOLLARS)



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EXPORTS

IMPORTS

In January-February 2025 motor cars claimed the first place in the list of top export items, equaling USD 285.2 million with 34.1 percent of total exports. The exports of precious metal ores and concentrates totaled USD 39.7 million and their share in the total exports amounted to 4.7 percent. The exports of spirituous beverages occupied the third place standing at USD 29.4 million and constituting 3.5 percent of the total exports.

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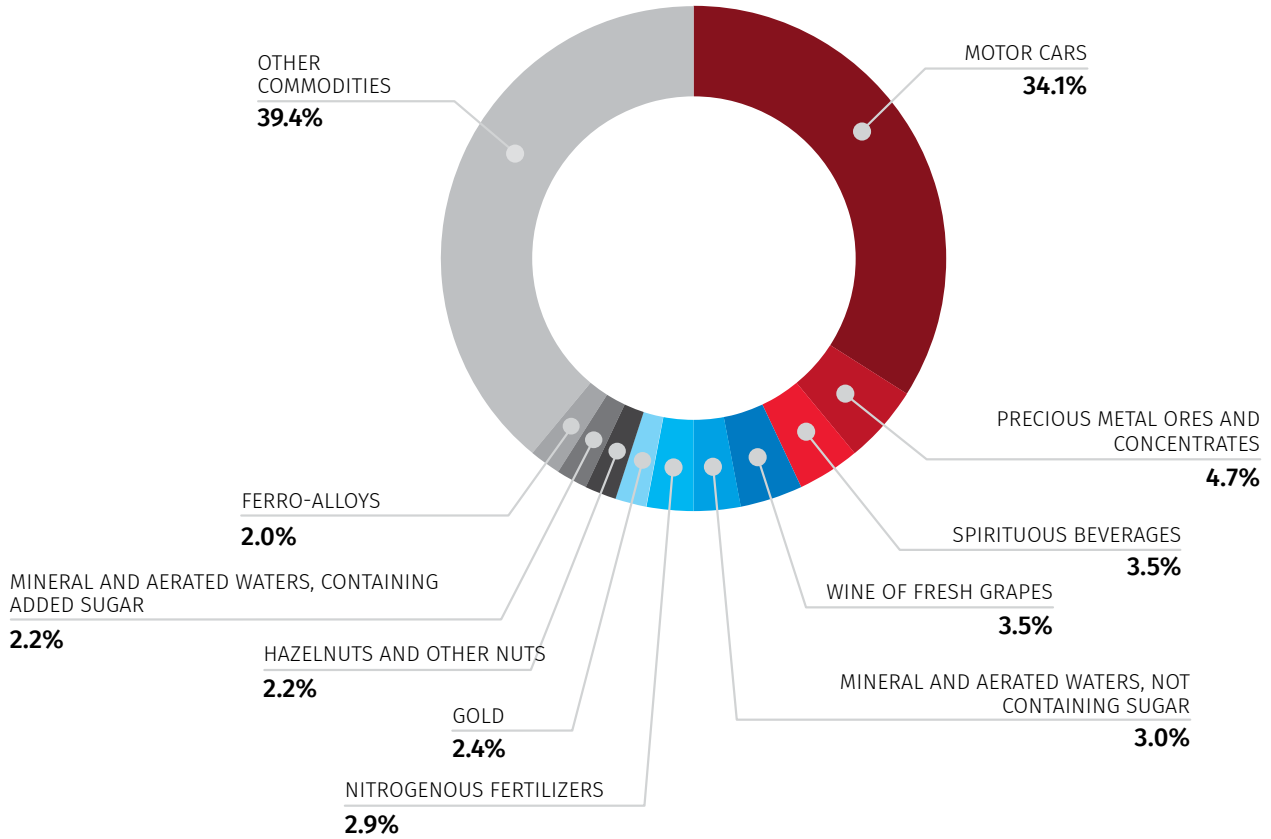
MAJOR COMMODITY GROUPS BY EXPORTS

	JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2024*		JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025*		CHANGE (%)
	THSD. US DOLLARS	SHARE IN TOTAL (%)	THSD. US DOLLARS	SHARE IN TOTAL (%)	
TOTAL EXPORTS	803 336.4	100.0	835 357.4	100.0	4.0
Of which:					
Motor cars	262 592.0	32.7	285 186.6	34.1	8.6
Precious metal ores and concentrates	33 817.3	4.2	39 657.9	4.7	17.3
Spirituous beverages	35 104.6	4.4	29 399.0	3.5	-16.3
Wine of fresh grapes	47 605.7	5.9	29 354.3	3.5	-38.3
Natural or artificial mineral and aerated waters, not containing sugar	21 750.3	2.7	25 398.4	3.0	16.8
Nitrogenous fertilizers	21 442.7	2.7	23 996.0	2.9	11.9
Gold unwrought or in semi-manufactured forms, or in powder form	14 021.4	1.7	19 809.9	2.4	41.3
Hazelnuts and other nuts	12 810.9	1.6	18 589.3	2.2	45.1
Waters, mineral and aerated waters, containing added sugar	14 127.3	1.8	18 206.5	2.2	28.9
Ferro-alloys	42 146.1	5.2	16 629.9	2.0	-60.5
Other commodities	297 918.0	37.1	329 129.6	39.4	10.5

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**SHARE OF MAJOR COMMODITY GROUPS BY EXPORTS
IN JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025***



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The top import commodities in January-February 2025 were Paintings, drawings and pastels (executed entirely by hand), whose imports equaled USD 481.1 million (17.6 percent of the total imports). The motor cars followed in the list with USD 326.8 million (12.0 percent of imports). The Petroleum and petroleum oils were third in the top import commodity list with USD 202.1 million (7.4 percent of imports).

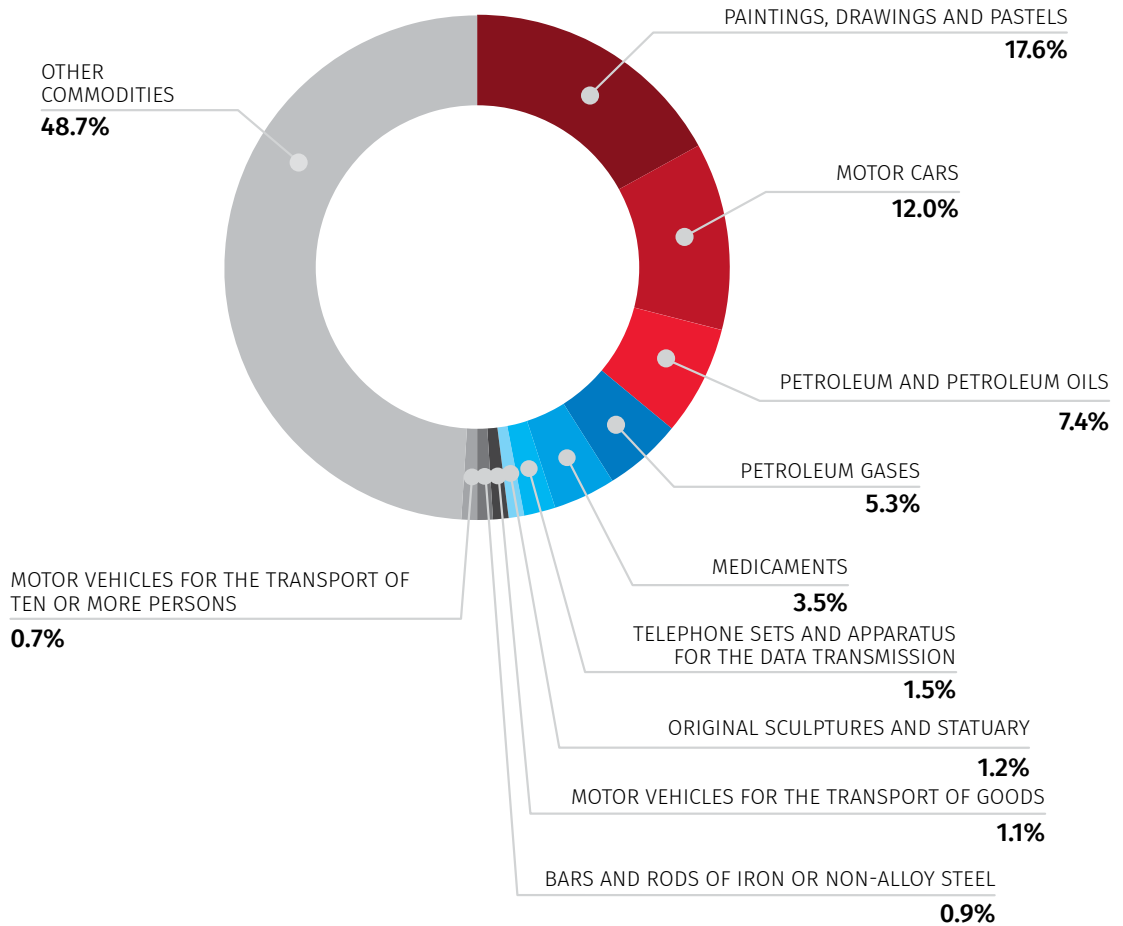
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	JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2024*		JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025*		CHANGE (%)
	THSD. US DOLLARS	SHARE IN TOTAL (%)	THSD. US DOLLARS	SHARE IN TOTAL (%)	
TOTAL IMPORTS	2 284 075.9	100.0	2 732 209.2	100.0	19.6
Of which:					
Paintings, drawings and pastels, executed entirely by hand	89.9	0.0	481 080.4	17.6	534 924.9
Motor cars	391 438.0	17.1	326 798.0	12.0	-16.5
Petroleum and petroleum oils	187 058.2	8.2	202 070.0	7.4	8.0
Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons	127 232.0	5.6	145 391.3	5.3	14.3
Medicaments put up in measured doses	103 235.4	4.5	95 714.6	3.5	-7.3
Telephone sets and apparatus for the transmission or reception of data (including wired/wireless networks)	58 900.8	2.6	40 858.2	1.5	-30.6
Original sculptures and statuary, in any material	55.5	0.0	33 398.4	1.2	60 117.6
Motor vehicles for the transport of goods	31 633.4	1.4	31 301.6	1.1	-1.0
Other bars and rods of iron or non-alloy steel	32 929.5	1.4	24 909.7	0.9	-24.4
Motor vehicles for the transport of ten or more persons	18 578.6	0.8	20 297.3	0.7	9.3
Other commodities	1 332 924.6	58.4	1 330 389.8	48.7	-0.2

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SHARE OF MAJOR COMMODITY GROUPS BY IMPORTS IN JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025*



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TOP TRADING PARTNERS BY TURNOVER

USA

EXPORTS OF MAJOR COMMODITY GROUPS TO USA



	JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2024*		JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025*	
	THSD. US DOLLARS	TONS	THSD. US DOLLARS	TONS
TOTAL EXPORTS	6 401.5		8 599.6	
Of which:				
Tubes, pipes and hollow profiles, seamless, of iron or steel	832.5	853.9	2 133.1	1 996.9
Parts of aircrafts	1 045.3	3.4	1 648.0	5.7
Wine of fresh grapes	617.9	101.8	1 358.7	193.8
Fruit and vegetable juices	1 003.6	686.7	709.0	529.9
Natural or artificial mineral and aerated waters, not containing sugar	334.1	571.1	347.5	567.9
Other commodities	2 568.0		2 403.4	

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IMPORTS OF MAJOR COMMODITY GROUPS FROM USA



	JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2024*		JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025*	
	THSD. US DOLLARS	TONS	THSD. US DOLLARS	TONS
TOTAL IMPORTS	250 431.4		478 260.0	
Of which:				
Paintings, drawings and pastels, executed entirely by hand	0.9	0.0	227 958.5	5.2
Motor cars (Unit)	230 615.1	18 675	193 495.5	15 301
Original sculptures and statuary, in any material	44.2	0.0	30 663.5	19.1
Hazelnuts and other nuts	970.4	235.9	4 699.1	651.8
Motor vehicles for the transport of goods (Unit)	262.8	33	1 821.5	70
Other commodities	18 538.0		19 621.8	

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RUSSIA

EXPORTS OF MAJOR COMMODITY GROUPS TO RUSSIA



	JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2024*		JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025*	
	THSD. US DOLLARS	TONS	THSD. US DOLLARS	TONS
TOTAL EXPORTS	96 810.5		71 909.3	
Of which:				
Wine of fresh grapes	35 978.4	13 205.9	16 071.7	5 643.7
Spirituuous beverages	16 424.0	4 384.2	12 934.6	3 058.3
Natural or artificial mineral and aerated waters, not containing sugar	11 677.3	21 779.3	12 804.5	23 579.6
Fruit, nuts and other edible parts of plants, otherwise prepared or preserved	894.8	167.4	6 224.6	865.9
Potatoes	-	-	5 343.4	13 610.1
Other commodities	31 836.1		18 530.3	

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IMPORTS OF MAJOR COMMODITY GROUPS FROM RUSSIA



	JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2024*		JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025*	
	THSD. US DOLLARS	TONS	THSD. US DOLLARS	TONS
TOTAL IMPORTS	313 688.1		344 260.4	
Of which:				
Petroleum and petroleum oils	90 134.3	120 942.3	112 639.7	157 249.6
Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons	64 362.0	244 896.9	85 987.0	326 718.1
Other bars and rods of iron or non-alloy steel	17 844.5	29 288.6	16 676.1	32 573.8
Machinery, plant or laboratory equipment, whether or not electrically heated	8.1	0.5	9 821.2	1 828.0
Wheat and meslin	11 894.7	47 520.9	8 160.8	32 811.5
Other commodities	129 444.4		110 975.6	

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TÜRKIYE

EXPORTS OF MAJOR COMMODITY GROUPS TO TÜRKIYE



	JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2024*		JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025*	
	THSD. US DOLLARS	TONS	THSD. US DOLLARS	TONS
TOTAL EXPORTS	63 640.6		46 381.0	
Of which:				
T-shirts knitted	11 918.7	284.0	13 088.5	244.8
Ferro-alloys	18 858.8	19 692.3	3 761.3	3 689.5
Men's or boys' suits, ensembles, trousers, knitted or crocheted	6 028.9	209.2	3 581.3	117.3
Aluminium waste and scrap	1 969.9	1 058.6	2 781.2	1 257.2
Copper waste and scrap	355.4	46.8	2 745.8	345.1
Other commodities	24 508.9		20 422.9	

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IMPORTS OF MAJOR COMMODITY GROUPS FROM TÜRKIYE



	JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2024*		JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2025*	
	THSD. US DOLLARS	TONS	THSD. US DOLLARS	TONS
TOTAL IMPORTS	409 239.4		337 922.1	
Of which:				
Medicaments put up in measured doses	43 690.9	1 060.6	23 790.4	627.0
Other tubes, pipes and hollow profiles, of iron or steel	8 555.9	9 794.7	9 449.3	11 617.0
Motor cars (Unit)	3 232.3	132	7 917.1	178
Washing and cleaning preparations	7 746.6	7 001.8	7 504.7	7 339.1
Particle board and similar board of wood or other ligneous materials	4 530.3	10 603.0	7 263.0	17 603.3
Other commodities	341 483.2		281 997.7	

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EXTERNAL TRADE BALANCE

	NUMBER OF COUNTRIES	EXTERNAL TRADE BALANCE MIL. US DOLLARS
NEGATIVE TRADE BALANCE		
January-February 2024*	91	1 779.2
January-February 2025*	86	2 243.2
POSITIVE TRADE BALANCE		
January-February 2024*	30	298.4
January-February 2025*	34	346.4
TOTAL		
January-February 2024*	121	-1 480.7
January-February 2025*	120	-1 896.9

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SOURCES:

-  LEPL Revenue Service of Ministry of Finance of Georgia;
-  Georgian State Electrosystem, JSC;
-  Electricity System Commercial Operator, JSC;
-  Georgian Gas Transportation Company, LTD.

EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS:

- Not applicable;
- 0.0 Negligible magnitude;
- * 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 differences 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.**

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