

Exports and imports by economic area and selected countries

Region/country	Swiss Exports			Swiss Imports			Surplus
	Million CHF		Share in %	Million CHF		Share in %	Million CHF
	1999	2000	2000	1999	2000	2000	2000
EU European Union	73,796	80,034	58.8	93,409	103,806	74.5	- 23,772
Germany	27,231	29,174	21.5	37,251	40,584	29.1	- 11,410
France	11,093	11,956	8.8	14,419	14,246	10.2	- 2,290
Italy	9,588	10,461	7.7	11,626	12,950	9.3	- 2,489
Great Britain	6,604	7,689	5.7	6,786	8,129	5.9	- 440
Austria	3,871	4,158	3.1	4,691	4,945	3.5	- 787
Netherlands	3,799	4,152	3.1	6,077	7,894	5.7	- 3,742
Spain	3,493	3,773	2.8	2,046	2,418	1.7	1,355
Belgium/Luxemburg	2,615	2,928	2.2	1,677	3,844	2.8	- 916
Sweden	1,597	1,647	1.2	1,838	1,915	1.4	268
Denmark	995	1,048	0.8	1,117	1,140	0.8	92
Greece	853	849	0.6	126	146	0.1	703
Portugal	839	828	0.6	489	514	0.4	314
Finland	709	808	0.6	984	1,243	0.9	- 435
Ireland	510	563	0.4	2,337	3,308	2.4	- 2,745
Other industrialized nations	22,175	26,199	19.3	12,410	15,453	11.1	10,746
USA	14,678	17,427	12.8	7,702	10,288	7.4	7,139
Japan	4,853	5,767	4.2	3,438	3,926	2.8	1,841
Transitional economies	5,066	6,186	4.6	5,281	8,623	6.2	- 2,437
Poland	1,007	1,132	0.8	269	371	0.3	791
Hungary	628	657	0.5	467	625	0.4	32
Russian Federation	355	556	0.4	1,677	3,844	2.8	- 3,288
Czech Republic	672	758	0.6	462	604	0.4	154
China (excl. Hong Kong)	990	1,403	1.0	1,800	2,301	1.7	- 898
Newly industrialized nations	11,632	14,466	10.6	4,456	5,930	4.3	8,536
Hong Kong	2,912	3,841	2.8	656	894	0.6	2,947
Taiwan	1,328	1,527	1.1	802	1,088	0.8	439
Israel	1,392	1,440	1.0	467	503	0.4	937
Developing countries	1,392	9,130	6.7	4,500	5,590	4.0	3,541
OPEC countries	2,633	3,134	2.3	1,383	2,276	1.6	859
Total	120,725	136,015	100.0	120,057	139,402	100.0	- 3,387
NAFTA 1)	16,465	19,670	14.5	8,515	11,058	7.9	8,612
MERCOSUR 2)	1,612	1,761	1.3	520	970	0.7	791
ASEAN 3)	2,879	3,509	2.6	1,367	1,677	1.2	1,832

1) USA, Canada, Mexico

2) Brasil, Argentina, Uruguay, Paraguay, Chile, Bolivia

3) Myanmar, Thailand, Malaysia, Brunei, Singapore, Laos, Vietnam, Philippines, Indonesia, Cambodia

Source: Swiss Customs Administration; OSEC, Swiss Foreign Trade 2001/2002