



# T.R. MINISTRY OF TRADE

## FOREIGN TRADE DATA BULLETIN

### AUGUST 2026

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Table 1: Foreign Trade Statistics (Million Dollars)

| Foreign Trade  |                 | Export  | Import  | Foreign Trade Volume | Foreign Trade Balance | Exp./Imp. Ratio (%) |
|----------------|-----------------|---------|---------|----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| August         | 2025            | 21.701  | 25.984  | 47.685               | -4.283                | 83,5                |
|                | 2026            | 23.467  | 28.706  | 52.173               | -5.240                | 81,8                |
|                | Change %        | 8,1     | 10,5    | 9,4                  | 22,3                  | .                   |
| January-August | 2025            | 177.966 | 238.172 | 416.138              | -60.206               | 74,7                |
|                | 2026            | 185.006 | 250.791 | 435.798              | -65.785               | 73,8                |
|                | Change %        | 4,0     | 5,3     | 4,7                  | 9,3                   | .                   |
| Annualized     | 09.2024-08.2025 | 269.039 | 356.664 | 625.703              | -87.625               | 75,4                |
|                | 09.2025-08.2026 | 280.274 | 378.026 | 658.300              | -97.752               | 74,1                |
|                | Change %        | 4,2     | 6,0     | 5,2                  | 11,6                  | .                   |

In August 2026, compared to the same month of the previous year;

- Exports increased by 8.1 % to 23 billion 467 million dollars,
- Imports increased by 10.5 % to 28 billion 706 million dollars,
- Foreign trade volume increased by 9,4% to 52 billion 173 million dollars.

In the January - August period of 2026, compared to the same period of the previous year;

- Exports increased by 4,0% to 185 billion 6 million dollars,
- Imports increased by 5.3% to 250 billion 791 million dollars,
- Foreign trade volume increased by 4.7% to 435 billion 798 million dollars.

In August 2026, compared to the same month of the previous year;

- The ratio of exports to imports decreased by 1.7 points to 81.8%,
- Excluding energy data, the ratio of exports to imports increased by 2.2 points to 98.8 %,
- Excluding gold and energy data, the ratio of exports to imports decreased by 6.4 points to 95.0 %.

Chart 1: Monthly Foreign Trade (Billion Dollars)

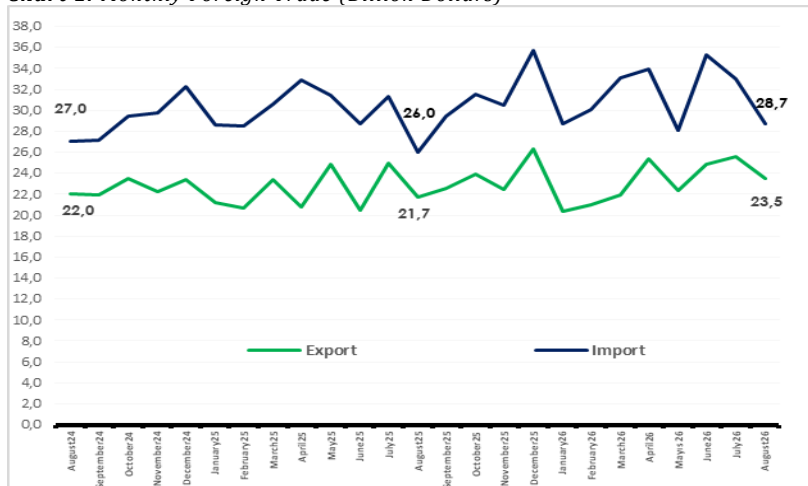


Chart 2: Export/Import Coverage Ratio

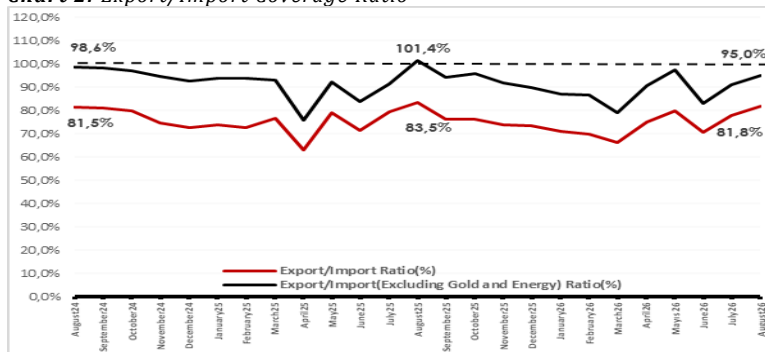
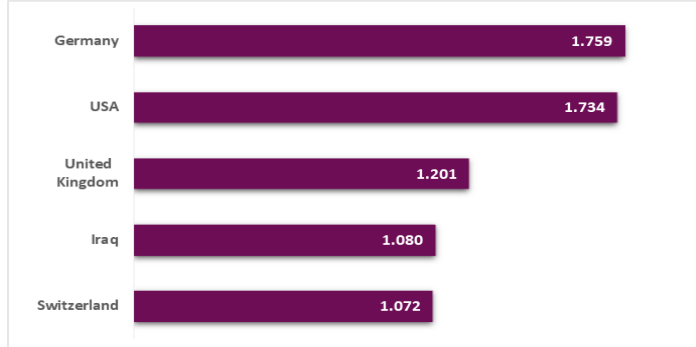


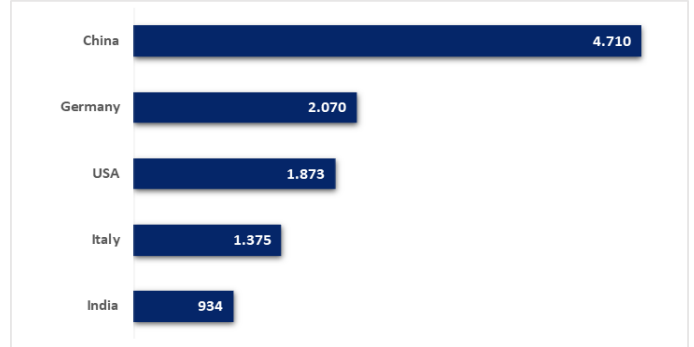


Chart 3: Top 5 Export Markets (Million Dollars, August 2026)



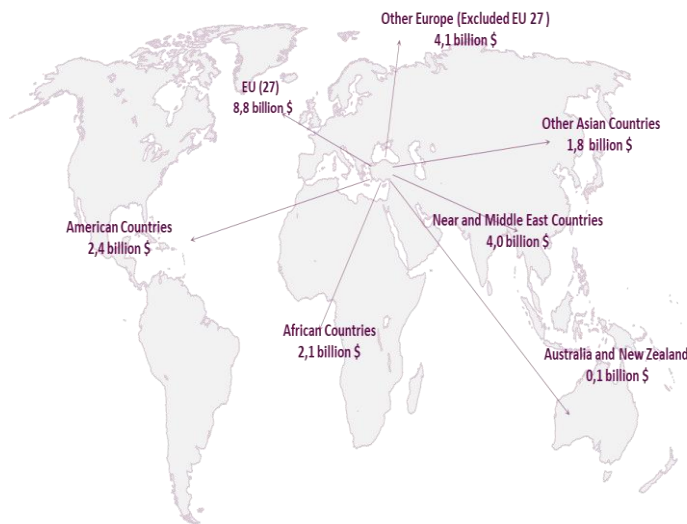
- The countries to which Türkiye exported the most in August are **Germany** (1 billion 759 million dollars), **USA** (1 billion 734 million dollars), and **United Kingdom** (1 billion 201 million dollars) respectively.
- In August, the share of the top 10 countries in total exports was 46.4%.

Chart 4: Top 5 Imported Sources (Million Dollars, August 2026)



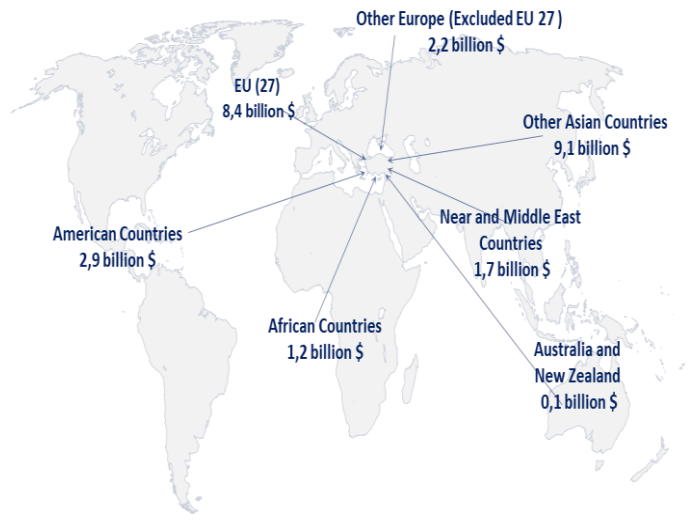
- The countries from which Türkiye imported the most in August are **China** (4 billion 710 million dollars), **Germany** (2 billion 70 million dollars), and **USA** (1 billion 873 million dollars), respectively.
- The share of the top 10 countries in total imports was 51.9%.

Chart 5: Exports by Country Groups (Billion Dollars, August 2026)



- The country groups to which Türkiye **exported** the most in August are **European Union (EU-27)** (8 billion 816 million dollars), **the other European countries** (4 billion 127 million dollars), and **the Near and Middle Eastern countries** (4 billion 16 million dollars), respectively.

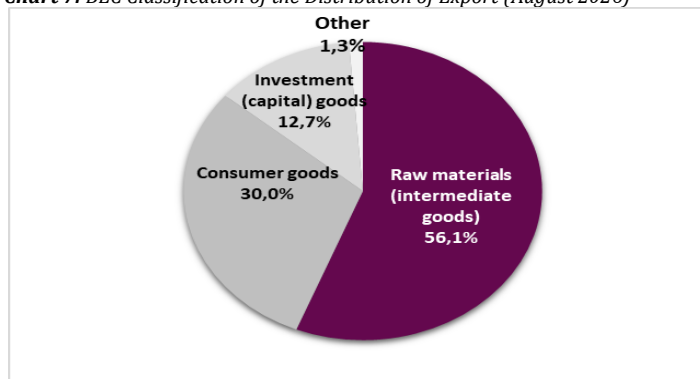
Chart 6: Imports by Country Groups (Billion Dollars, August 2026)



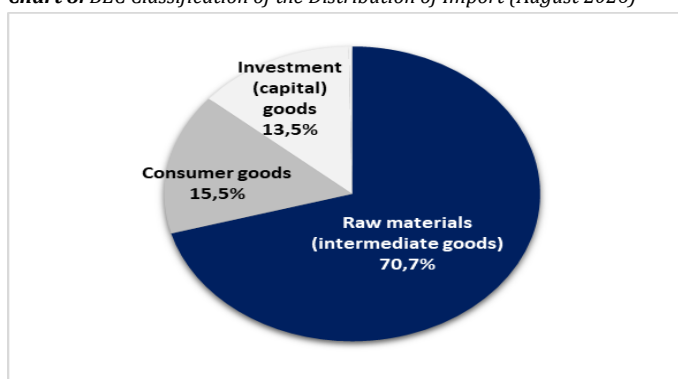
- The country groups from which Türkiye **imported** the most in August are **Asian countries** (9 billion 63 million dollars), **European Union (EU-27)** (8 billion 439 million dollars), and **the other countries** (3 billion 138 million dollars), respectively.



**Chart 7: BEC Classification of the Distribution of Export (August 2026)**



**Chart 8: BEC Classification of the Distribution of Import (August 2026)**



In August, top **exports** according to the BEC classification;

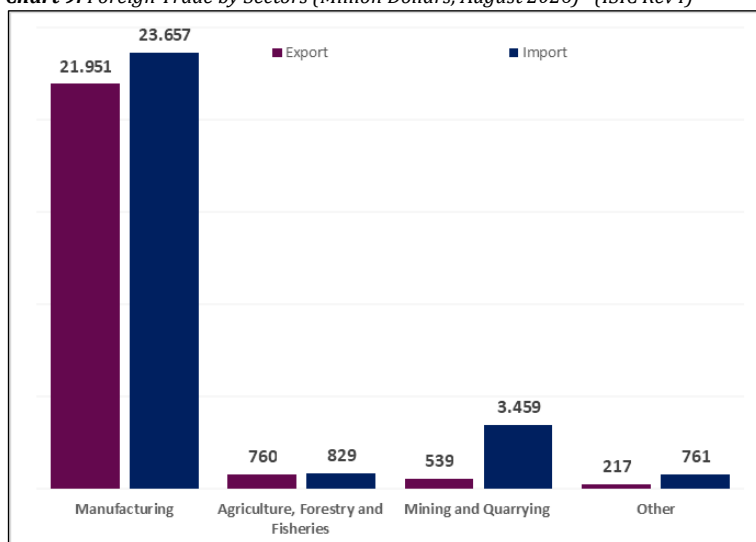
- "Raw materials (intermediate goods)" increased by 19.7% to 13 billion 154 million dollars,
- "Consumer goods" decreased by 2.3% to 7 billion 41 million dollars,
- "Investment (capital) goods" decreased by 2.3% to 2 billion 978 million dollars.

In August, top **imports** according to the BEC classification;

- "Raw materials (intermediate goods)" increased by 14.5% to 20 billion 287 million dollars,
- "Consumer goods" increased by 4.1% to 4 billion 451 million dollars.
- "Investment (capital) goods" decreased by 0.7% to 3 billion 886 million dollars,

- The share of **exports** by sectors in August, respectively; the **manufacturing industry** was 93.5% (21 billion 951 million dollars), the **agriculture, forestry and fishing sector** was 3.2% (760 million dollars), the **mining and quarrying sector** was 2.3% (539 million dollars).
- The share of **imports** by sectors in August, respectively; the **manufacturing industry** was 82.4% (23 billion 657 million dollars), the **mining and quarrying sector** was 12.0% (3 billion 459 million dollars), the **agriculture, forestry and fisheries sector** was 2.9% (829 million dollars).

**Chart 9: Foreign Trade by Sectors (Million Dollars, August 2026) (ISIC Rev4)**



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