

Merchandise trade in October 2020 showed mixed results as some economies experienced second and third waves of

Exports	Value, Bn\$		Monthly year-on-year growth (%)						
	Sep-20	Oct-20	Sep-19	Oct-19	Jun-20	Jul-20	Aug-20	Sep-20	Oct-20
China	240	237	-3	-1	1	7	9	10	11
European Union Extra-Trade	201	211	0	2	-10	-9	-9	3	-4
United States of America ¹	121	133	-4	-3	-24	-15	-15	-9	-7
Japan	57	62	-1	-5	-26	-18	-15	-3	3
United Kingdom	34	37	-9	1	-19	-15	-11	-12	-15
Korea, Republic of	48	45	-12	-15	-11	-7	-10	7	-4

Imports	Sep-20	Oct-20	Sep-19	Oct-19	Jun-20	Jul-20	Aug-20	Sep-20	Oct-20
China	203	179	-8	-6	3	-1	-2	13	5
European Union Extra-Trade	173	178	-4	-6	-13	-14	-10		-9
United States of America	213	226	-3	-7	-13	-8	-5	0	0
Japan	51	54	3	-11	-14	-21	-21	-16	-11
United Kingdom	65	64	15	11	-8	-16	-9	4	-5
Korea, Republic of	39	39	-6	-15	-11	-11	-16	2	-6

1. Data can be downloaded on our website data.wto.org by selecting the following indicators:

- Total merchandise exports - monthly
- Total merchandise imports - monthly
- Commercial services exports of selected economies - monthly
- Commercial services imports of selected economies - monthly

2. The publication is updated with the same frequency as the data release - around the 25th of the month.

3. The economies/territories shown in the publication represent a selection of our coverage of reporting economies (no longer including the United Kingdom).

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