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Introduction

This report presents the developments in merchandise exports and imports of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia for June 2019 as compared to the same period of the previous year, June 2018, according to the statistical methods and various classifications. The data for this report were collected from the Saudi Customs and the Ministry of Energy, Industry, and Mineral Resources.

The report includes statistics and data of Saudi Arabia' exports and imports during one month compared to the same period of the previous year. It shed light on key developments in the movement of the commodity exports and imports' value by using briefed tables and charts.

Because of the important role that oil exports play in Saudi economy, Exports are divided into oil exports and non-oil exports. So, non-oil exports and imports are presented in different classifications, as they might be classified according to sections, groups of countries, partner countries, transportation means, and custom ports. In addition, they are illustrated in detailed tables at the in a separate Excel file that can be downloaded from [GASTAT website](#)



It is worth mentioning that the results included in this report are primary, and they might be modified as long as there is an update to the information. Sometimes, differences in aggregates or percentages occur as a result of rounding numbers.

GASTAT is pleased to thank all those who contributed to this work including all concerned entities, where their cooperation has greatly impact the release of this bulletin. For comments or suggestions, kindly send them via e-mail: info@stats.gov.sa as they may improve the content of the bulletin and further develop future bulletins.

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Methodology

1. Data sources

The report of Saudi Arabia Commodity Exports and Imports depends on the administrative record data of Saudi Arabia Commodity Exports and Imports provided to GASTAT by concerned governmental entities in order to use them in calculating the indicators and release them in the report of Saudi Arabia Commodity Exports and Imports.

Administrative records data means data and information that are registered and updated by governmental entities concerned with commodity exports and imports, and resulted from the operation of official electronic registration and documentation of these entities.

2. Objectives

1. Supporting decision and policy makers, reserachers, and those who are concerned with updated and comprehensive statistics and indicators that are related to Saudi Arabia Commodity Exports and
2. Following up with the changes in the movement of exports and imports in Saudi Arabia and other great countries within two different periods of time.
3. Identifying the amount of surplus and deficit of the trade balance between Saudi Arabia and the other countries.
4. Identifying key imported and exported commodities from and to each country.
5. Developing important economic indicators for the components of national accounts and payment balance.
6. Contributing in creating a commercial policy to protect and encourage local commodities and industries compared with the competing imported ones.



3. Concepts and Definitions

3.1 Exports (Total):

Exports consist of exports of domestic goods (national exports) and exports of foreign goods (re-exports). Valuation is on Free-on-Board (FOB) basis.

3.2 National Exports:

Exports of all goods fully produced or manufactured in the country or undergone some modifications that lead to a change in their shapes and values.

3.3 Re-exports:

Refers to the sale of previously imported goods abroad without any clear modifications on them.

3.4 Oil Exports:

Exports of goods classified in Chapter 27 (mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation; bituminous substances; mineral waxes) of the Harmonized System (HS).

3.5 Non-oil Exports:

Total exports minus exports of goods classified in Chapter 27 (mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation; bituminous substances; mineral waxes) of the Harmonized System (HS).



3.6 Imports:

Refer to all goods entering the country after passing through the customs procedures to meet its local needs. Valuation is on Cost, Insurance, and Freight (CIF) basis.

3.7. Indicators

Indicator	Description
Trade Volume	The sum of exports and imports.
Trade Balance	The sum of exports and imports.
Monthly change	Change from the previous month.
Annual change	Change from the same month of the previous year.

4. Coverage

Spatial coverage:

The statistics of the commodity exports and imports cover all commodity exports and imports (oil and non-oil exports as well as commodity imports) through all customs ports in Saudi Arabia.

Temporal coverage:

The administrative record data in the commodity export and import statistics (monthly) is based on the period from the beginning of the Gregorian month till its end.



5. Used statistical classification:

The commodity export and import report data are based on the WCO's Commodity Description and Coding System (H.S.2017), which is a table describing and classifying commodities. The table includes subheadings, their numerical codes, sections and chapters, in accordance with the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System signed in Brussels.

6. Obtaining Data :

The General Authority for Statistics in coordination with the government entities concerned with commodity exports and imports obtained the report data of the commodity exports and imports of Saudi Arabia from the import and export inventory including all custom ports of Saudi Arabia, as follows:

- Data from the Ministry of Energy, Industry and Mineral Resources: A main source for oil exports.
- Data from Saudi Customs: A main source for non-oil commodity exports and imports.

These data were saved in the databases of GASTAT, and were audited and reviewed in accordance with the scientific statistics method and quality standards recognized in coordination with the entity issuing the data.



7. Preparation and review of results:

After reviewing the collected data of the administrative records data in the previous steps, the results were calculated, extracted, uploaded and stored on the database. After that, the final review was carried out by specialists in foreign trade statistics using modern techniques and software designed for auditing purposes.

8. Data Dissemination:

First: Preparation of Results Designed for Publishing:

At this stage, GASTAT coordinated, organized and reviewed the data of the administrative records contained in the report. Tables, charts and indicators were then prepared and processed. Then, the metadata and the methodology were added to this report, which was prepared in Arabic and English.

Second: Preparation of Media materials and the announcement of bulletin release date:

After GASTAT published the release date of the report on its official website in the beginning of the Gregorian calendar, it prepared special media materials to announce its release through all media in addition to its various platforms on the social media sites. The announcement is made on the predetermined day of publishing. The publishing starts from the official website in different templates in the form of open data in Excel to ensure that it spreads and reaches all customers and those interested in the commodities exports and imports of Saudi Arabia, and to include it in the statistical library on the website.

Third: Communicating with clients and providing them with the bulletin:

GASTAT believes in the importance of communicating with the clients, therefore, once the report of the Commodity exports and imports of Saudi Arabia is released, it immediately communicates with the clients and provides them with the report. It also receives questions and queries from clients about the report and its results through various communication channels where clients can request data. Requests and enquiries are received through:

- * GASTAT official website www.stats.gov.sa
- * GASTAT official e-mail info@stats.gov.sa
- * Client support's email cs@stats.gov.sa
- * Official visits to GASTAT head office in Riyadh or to one of its branches in Saudi Arabia
- * Official letters
- * Statistical helpline (920020081)





9. Applied quality procedures:

The results of the commodity exports and imports report of Saudi Arabia is subject to many technical quality procedures to ensure the quality of the data. These include:

1. Review data from administrative records, verify their comprehensiveness and communicate with data providers if clarifications are needed on concerned data.
2. Verify outputs logic by comparing them with historical figures as well as its conformity with the actuality of the commodity exports and imports of Saudi Arabia.
3. The obligation in publishing the results according to the predetermined publication dates.

10. Users and benefits of the report:

The report on commodity exports and imports of Saudi Arabia benefits all governmental sectors related to the development work in Saudi Arabia. The most important beneficiaries of the report are the Ministry of Economy and Planning, the Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency and the National Accounts Statistics Department of GASTAT as well as international and regional organizations, researchers and planners concerned with commodity exports and imports. Data and indicators of commodity exports and imports are among the most important statistical products that contribute to the formulation of trade policy. It support and protect local goods from competitive imported goods. Moreover, the report contributes in identifying the amount of surplus or deficit in the balance of trade between Saudi Arabia and other countries, and building economic indicators that are important for the components of the national accounts and the balance of payments, which contributes to support decision-making in this field.

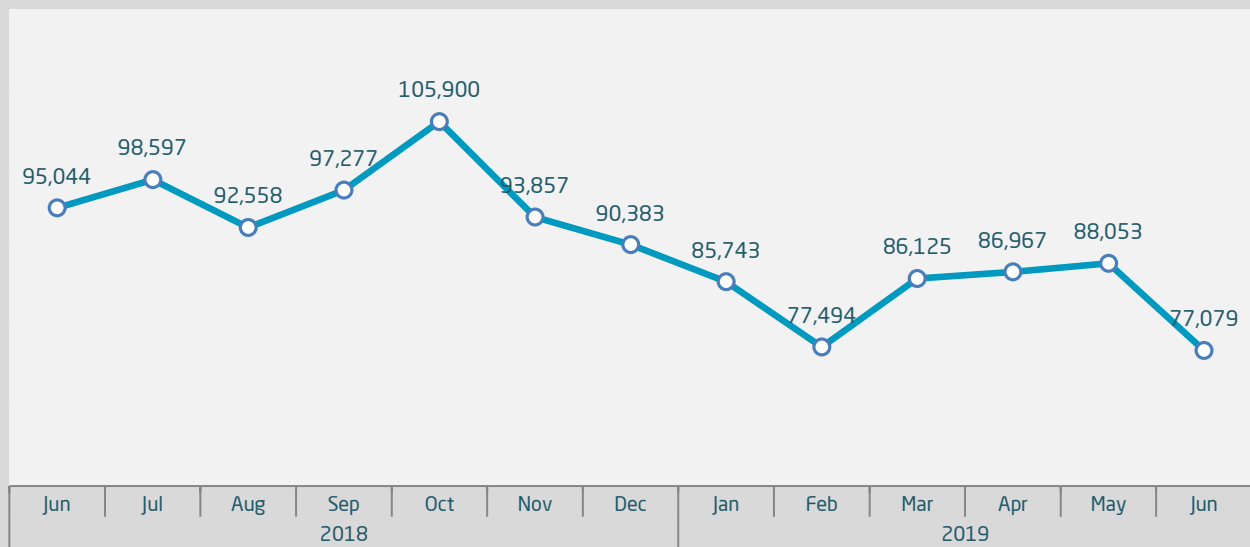




1. Merchandise Exports

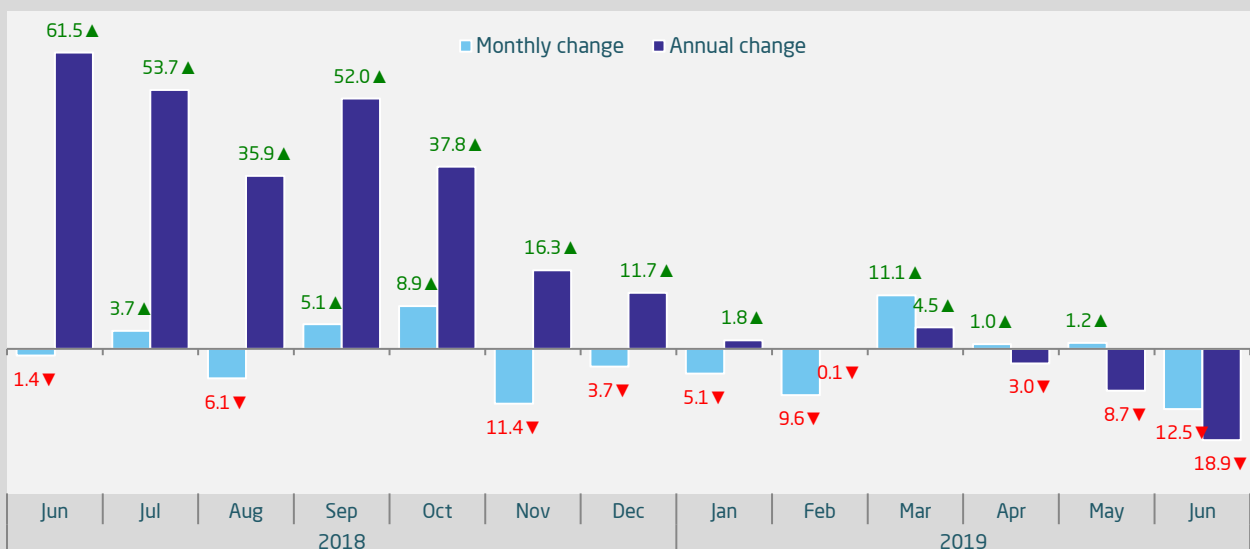
Total merchandise exports of Saudi Arabia amounted to 77 billion 79 million riyals in June 2019 compared to 95 billion 44 million riyals in June 2018, corresponding to a decrease of 17 billion 966 million riyals or 18.9% over that period. Merchandise exports in June 2019 were also lower than those in the preceding month (May 2019) by 10 billion 975 million riyals or 12.5%.

Exports, Monthly (Million Riyals)



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Change in Exports (%)

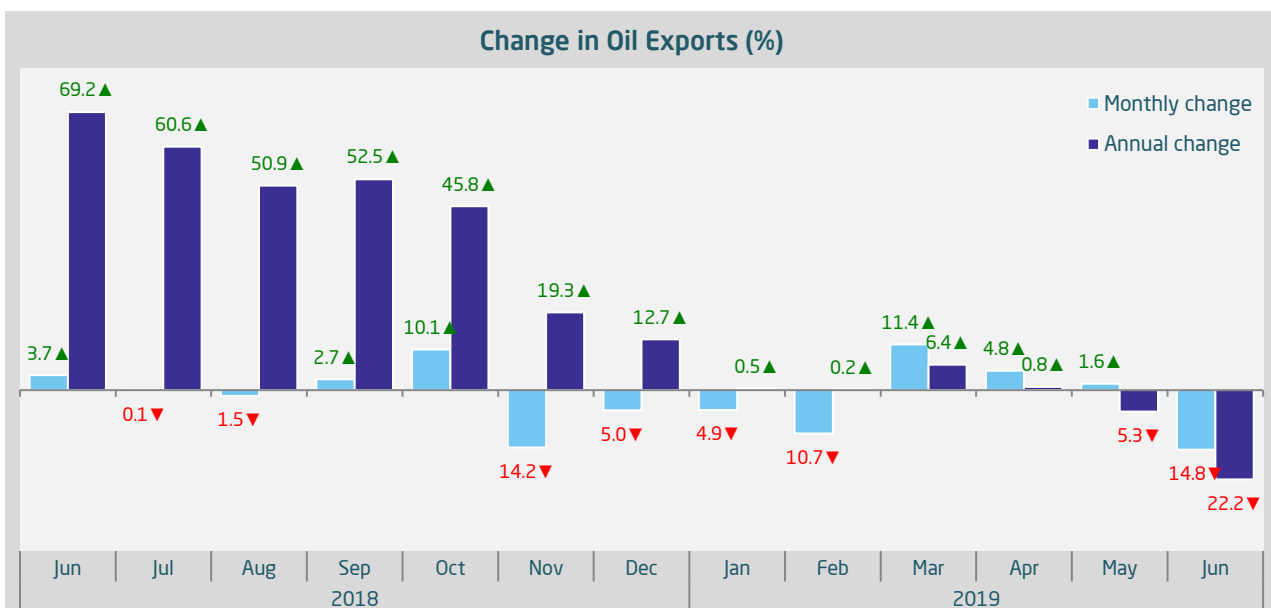
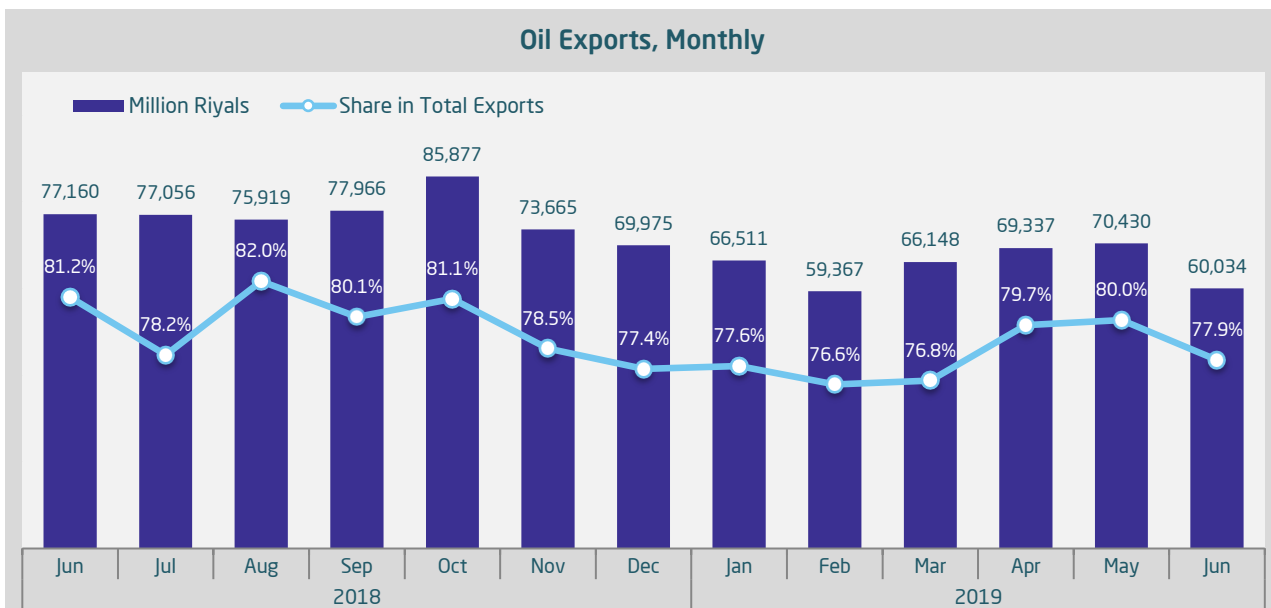




1.1. Oil Exports

Oil exports of Saudi Arabia valued at 60 billion 34 million riyals in June 2019 compared to 77 billion 160 million riyals in June 2018, corresponding to a decrease of 17 billion 125 million riyals or 22.2% over that period. The share of oil exports in total merchandise exports also decreased from 81.2% in June 2018 to 77.9% in June 2019.

Compared to the previous month (May 2019), the value of oil exports decreased by 10 billion 395 million riyals or 14.8% in June 2019.



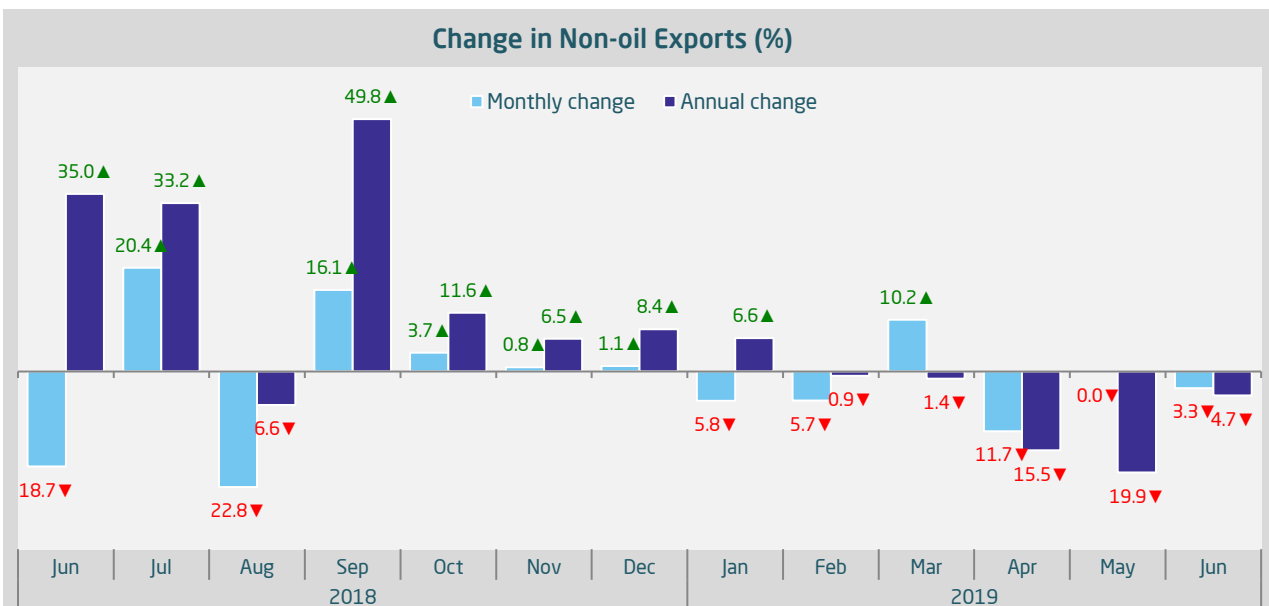
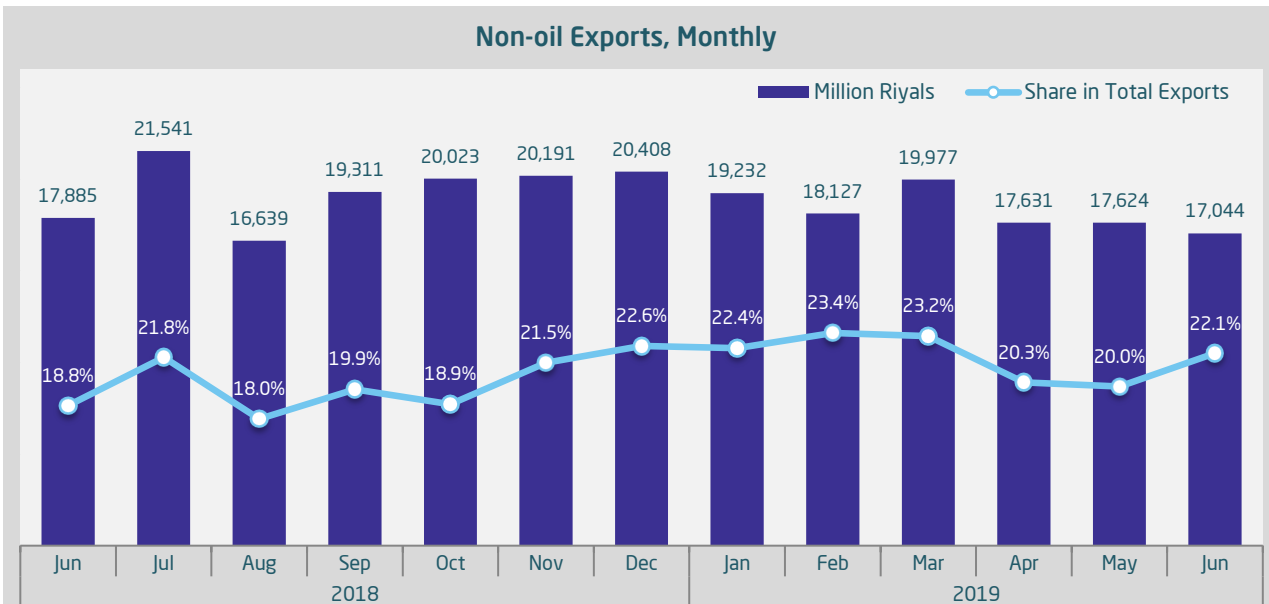


1.2. Non-oil Merchandise Exports

1.2.1. Developments in Non-oil Exports

Non-oil exports of Saudi Arabia amounted to 17 billion 44 million riyals in June 2019 compared to 17 billion 885 million riyals in June 2018, corresponding to a decrease of 840 million riyals or 4.7% over that period. The share of non-oil exports in total merchandise exports, however, increased from 18.8% in June 2018 to 22.1% in June 2019.

Compared to the previous month (May 2019), the value of non-oil exports decreased by 580 million riyals or 3.3% in June 2019.



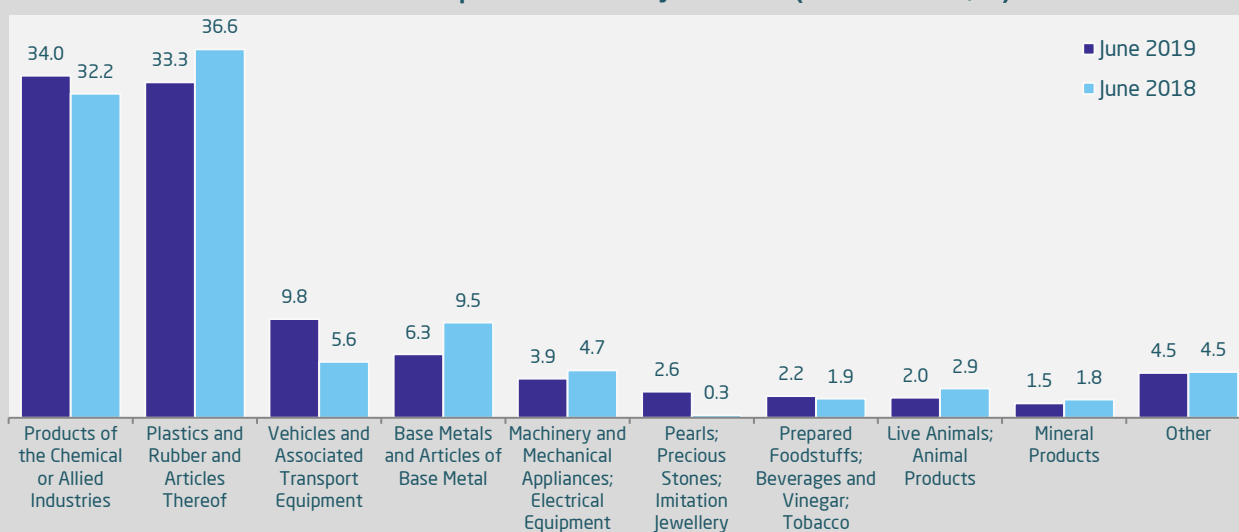


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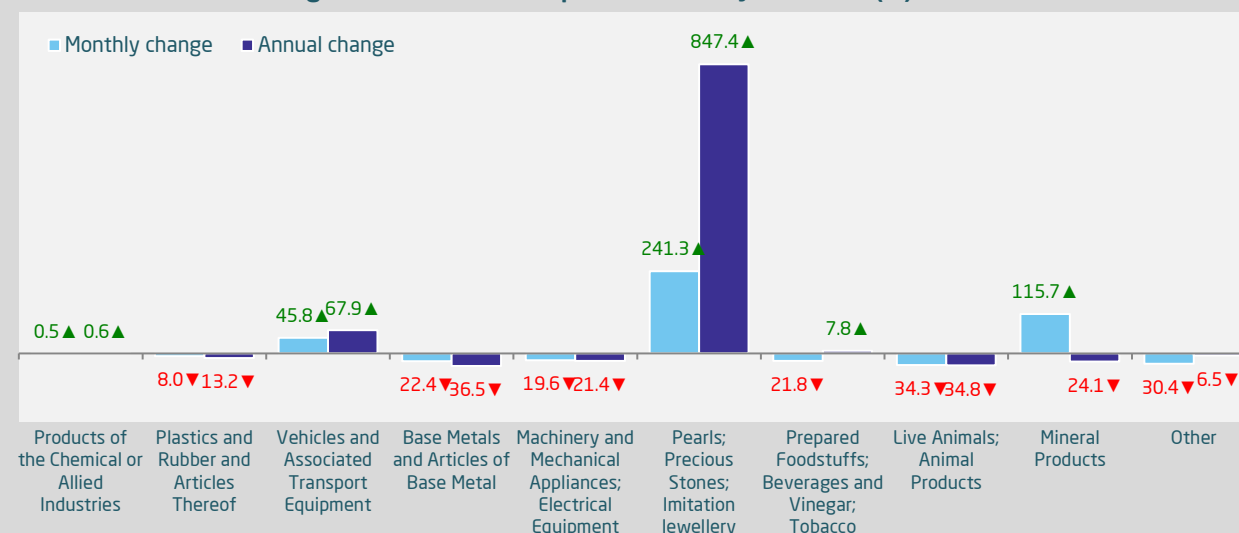
Main Non-oil Export Products (Million Riyals)

Exported Products (by section of the Harmonized System)	June 2018	June 2019		
		Value	Change from previous year	Percentage Change (%)
1 Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries	5,759	5,795	36▲	0.6▲
2 Plastics and Rubber and Articles Thereof	6,546	5,682	863▼	13.2▼
3 Vehicles and Associated Transport Equipment	996	1,672	676▲	67.9▲
4 Base Metals and Articles of Base Metal	1,692	1,074	617▼	36.5▼
5 Machinery and Mechanical Appliances; Electrical Equipment	844	663	181▼	21.4▼
6 Pearls; Precious Stones; Imitation Jewellery	47	442	396▲	847.4▲
7 Prepared Foodstuffs; Beverages and Vinegar; Tobacco	343	370	27▲	7.8▲
8 Live Animals; Animal Products	520	339	181▼	34.8▼
9 Mineral Products	326	248	79▼	24.1▼
10 Other	812	759	53▼	6.5▼
Total	17,885	17,044	840▼	4.7▼

Main Non-oil Export Products in June 2019 (Share in total, %)



Change in Main Non-oil Export Products, June 2019 (%)





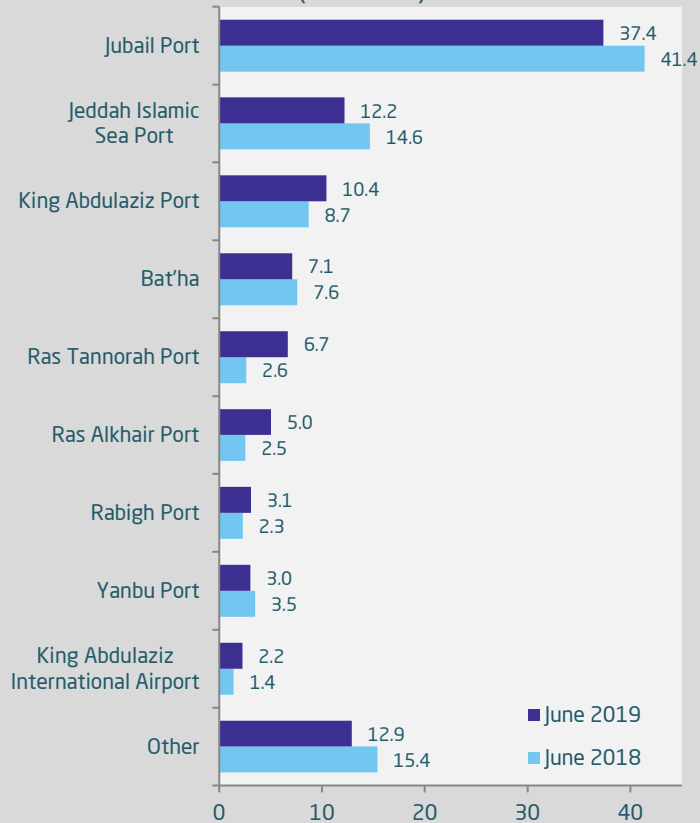
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Non-oil Exports by Mode of Transport and Customs Port (Million Riyals)

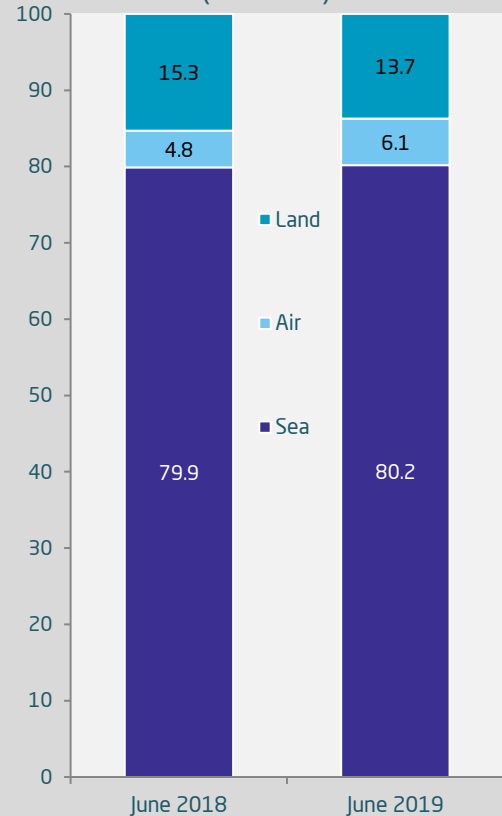
Mode of Transport and Customs Port	June 2018	June 2019		
		Value	Change from previous year	Percentage Change (%)
Sea	14,291	13,663	628 ▼	4.4 ▼
Jubail Port	7,402	6,371	1,030 ▼	13.9 ▼
Jeddah Islamic Sea Port	2,619	2,075	544 ▼	20.8 ▼
King Abdulaziz Port	1,555	1,776	221 ▲	14.2 ▲
Other Seaports	2,715	3,439	725 ▲	26.7 ▲
Air	862	1,045	183 ▲	21.2 ▲
King Abdulaziz International Airport	249	382	133 ▲	53.2 ▲
King Khalid International Airport	149	349	200 ▲	134.5 ▲
King Fahad Airport	246	209	37 ▼	15.0 ▼
Other Airports	219	106	113 ▼	51.6 ▼
Land	2,732	2,336	395 ▼	14.5 ▼
Bat'ha	1,359	1,209	149 ▼	11.0 ▼
Haditha	362	329	33 ▼	9.2 ▼
Al Kaffjei	367	304	63 ▼	17.1 ▼
Other Land Ports	645	494	150 ▼	23.3 ▼
Total	17,885	17,044	840 ▼	4.7 ▼



Non-oil Exports by Customs Port
(% of total)



Non-oil Exports by Mode of Transport
(% of total)



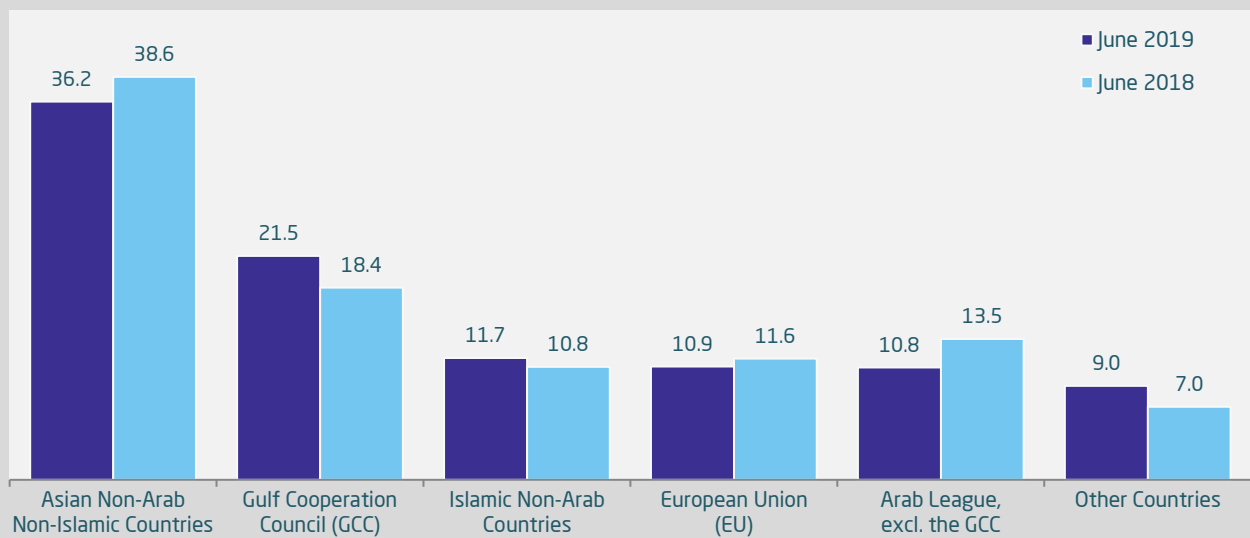


1.2.4. Non-oil Exports by Group of Countries

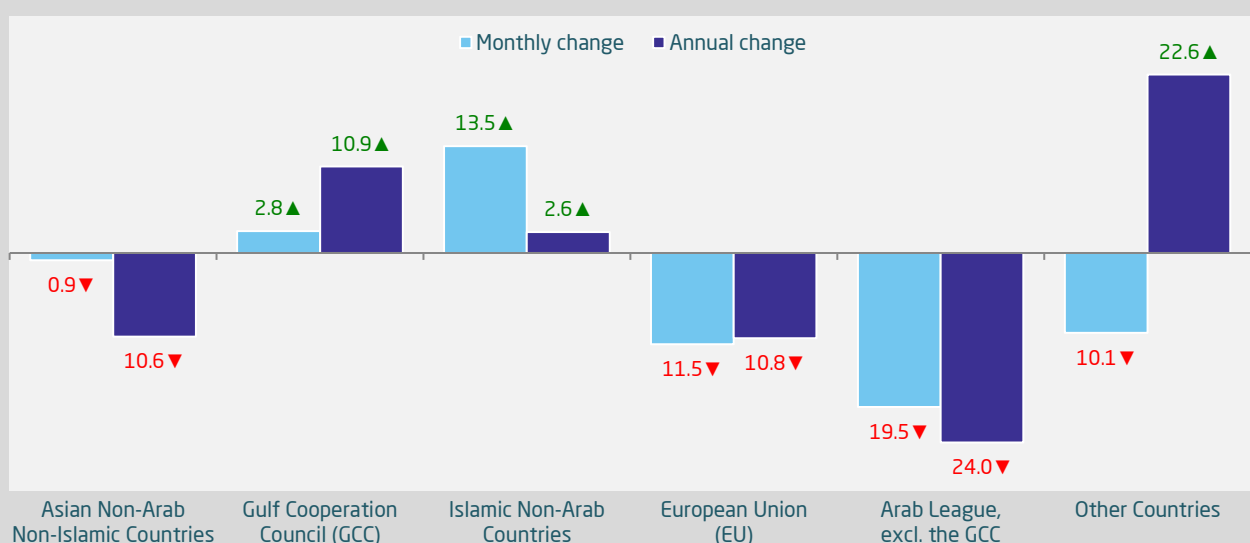
Non-oil Exports by Group of Countries (Million Riyals)

Groups of Countries	June 2018	June 2019		
		Value	Change from previous year	Percentage Change (%)
1 Asian Non-Arab Non-Islamic Countries	6,909	6,177	732 ▼	10.6 ▼
2 Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC)	3,296	3,656	361 ▲	10.9 ▲
3 Islamic Non-Arab Countries	1,937	1,988	51 ▲	2.6 ▲
4 European Union (EU)	2,076	1,852	224 ▼	10.8 ▼
5 Arab League, excl. the GCC	2,415	1,836	579 ▼	24.0 ▼
6 Other Countries	1,252	1,535	283 ▲	22.6 ▲
Total	17,885	17,044	840 ▼	4.7 ▼

Non-oil Exports by Group of Countries, June 2019 (Share in total, %)



Change in Non-oil Exports by Group of Countries, June 2019 (%)



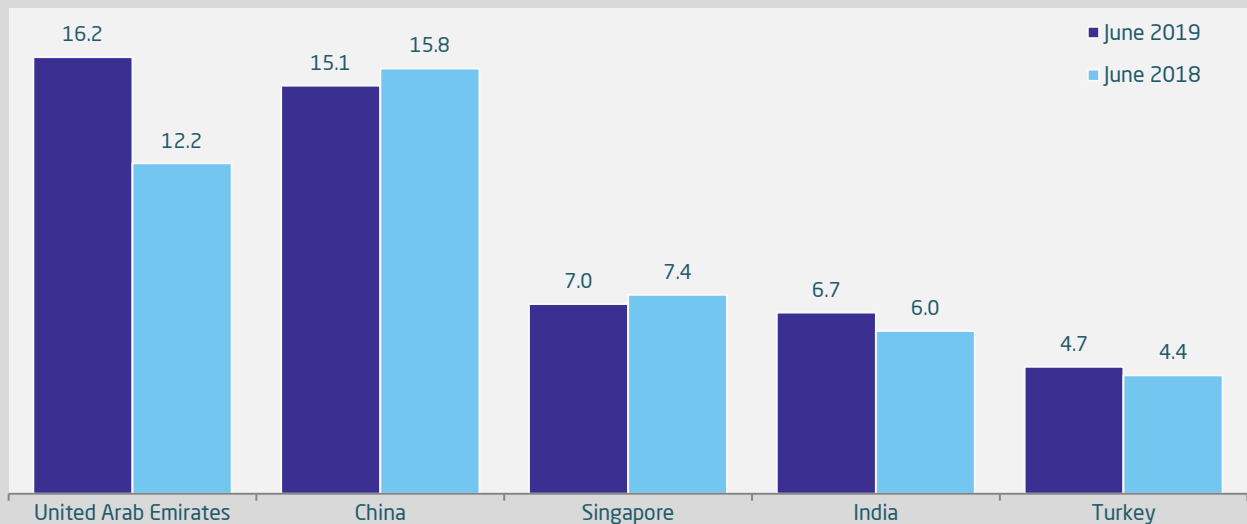


1.2.5. Top 5 Partner Countries for Non-oil Exports

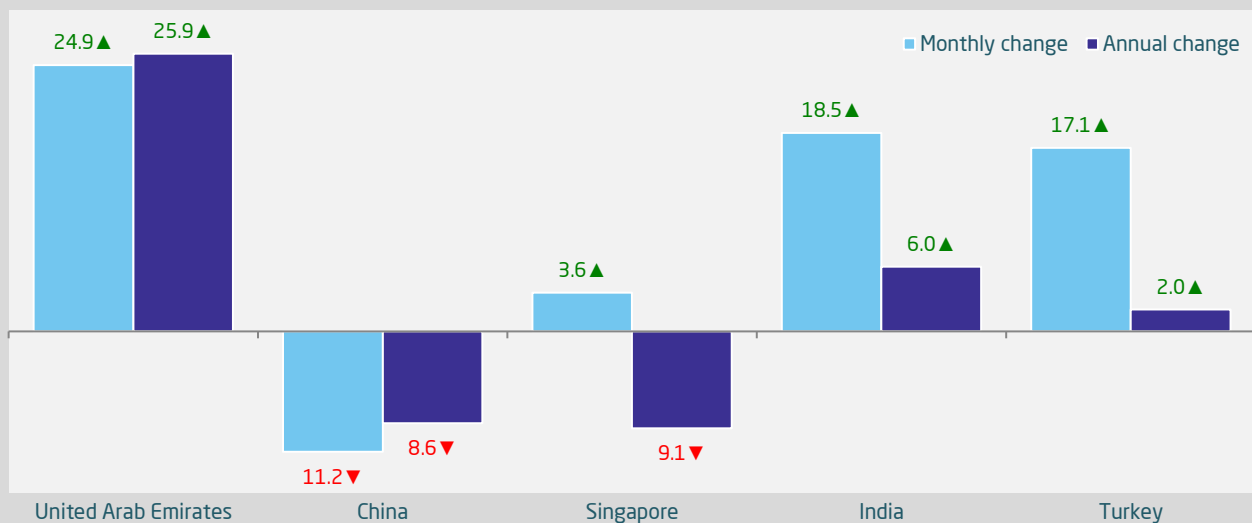
Top 5 Partner Countries for Non-oil Exports (Million Riyals)

Countries	June 2018	June 2019		
		Value	Change from previous year	Percentage Change (%)
1 United Arab Emirates	2,190	2,758	568▲	25.9▲
2 China	2,820	2,579	242▼	8.6▼
3 Singapore	1,319	1,200	120▼	9.1▼
4 India	1,079	1,144	65▲	6.0▲
5 Turkey	786	802	16▲	2.0▲
Total	8,195	8,483	288▲	3.5▲
Share of the top 5 countries in total non-oil exports (%)	45.8	49.8		

Top 5 Partner Countries for Non-oil Exports, June 2019 (Share in total, %)



Change in Non-oil Exports to Top 5 Countries, June 2019 (%)

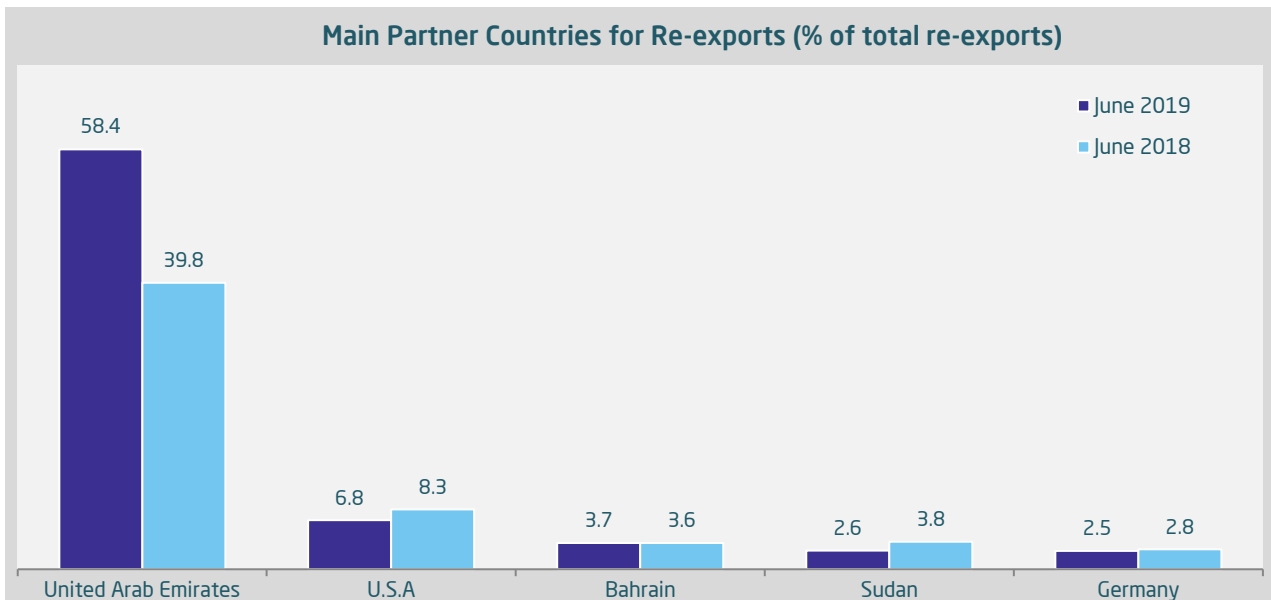
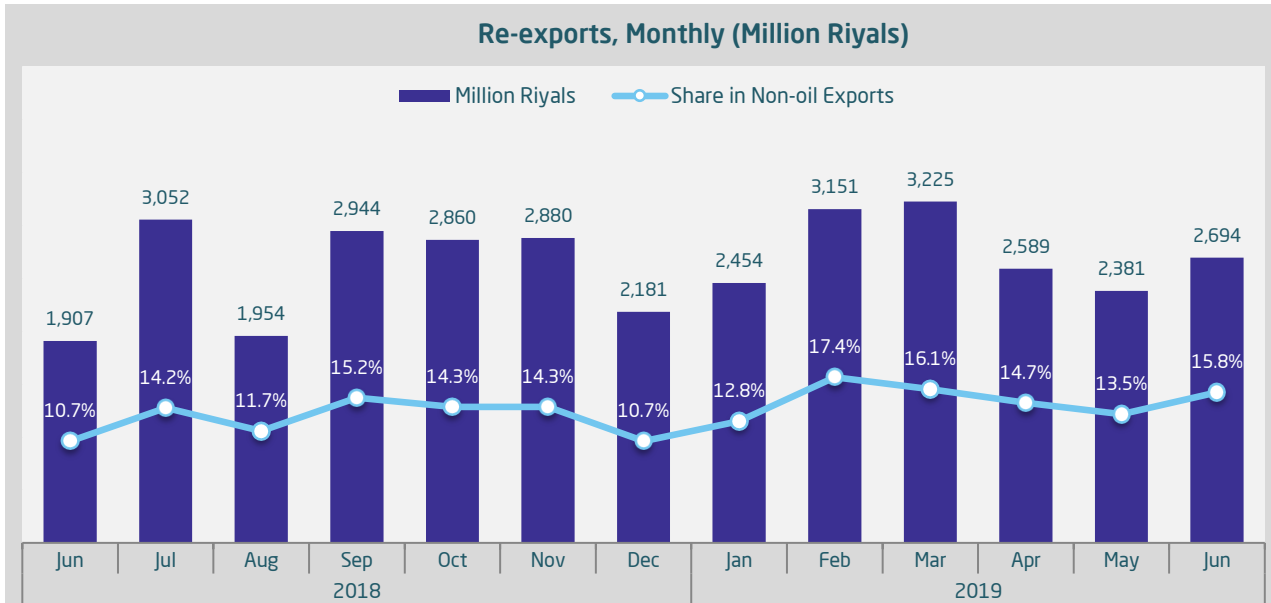




1.2.6. Re-exports

Products re-exported by Saudi Arabia amounted to 2 billion 694 million riyals in June 2019 compared to 1 billion 907 million riyals in June 2018, up by 787 million riyals or 41.2% over that period.

United Arab Emirates was the main destination for the re-exports, accounting for 58.4% of the total re-exports of the Kingdom in June 2019, followed by U.S.A with a share of 6.8%.





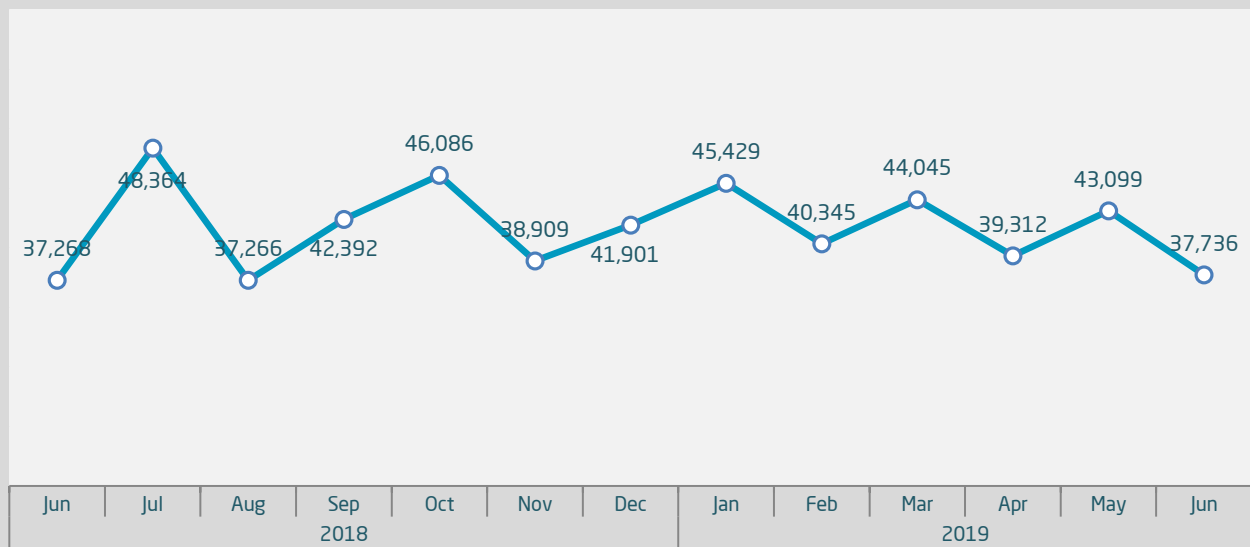
2. Merchandise Imports

2.1. Developments in Imports

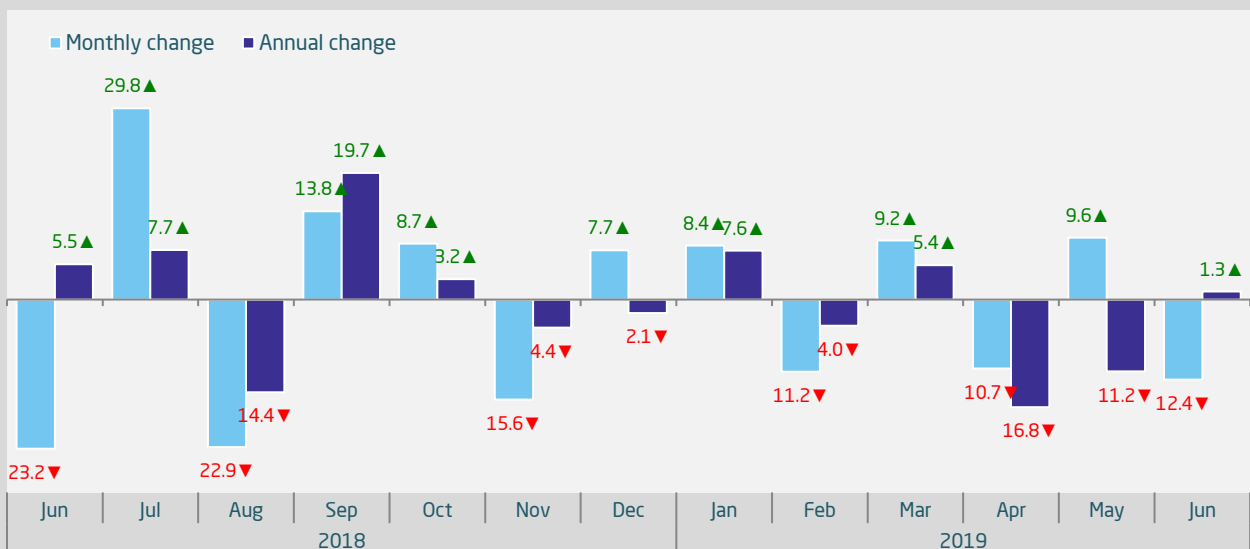
Total merchandise imports of Saudi Arabia amounted to 37 billion 736 million riyals in June 2019 compared to 37 billion 268 million riyals in June 2018, corresponding to an increase of 468 million riyals or 1.3% over that period.

Merchandise imports in June 2019 were, however, lower than those in the preceding month (May 2019) by 5 billion 363 million riyals or 12.4%.

Imports, Monthly (Million Riyals)



Change in Imports (%)



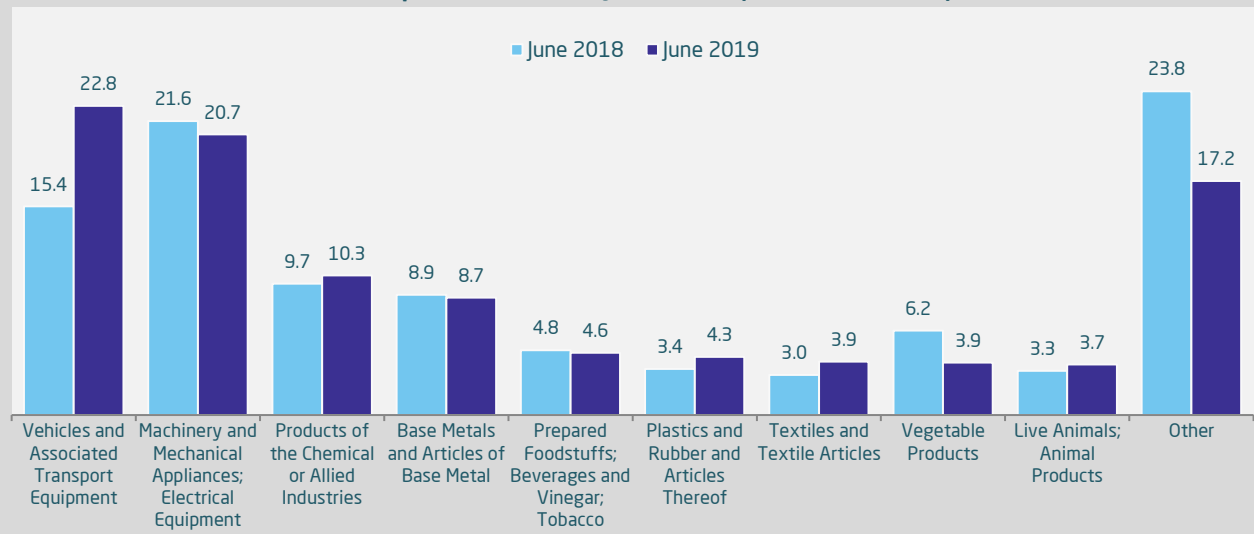


2.2. Imports by Section

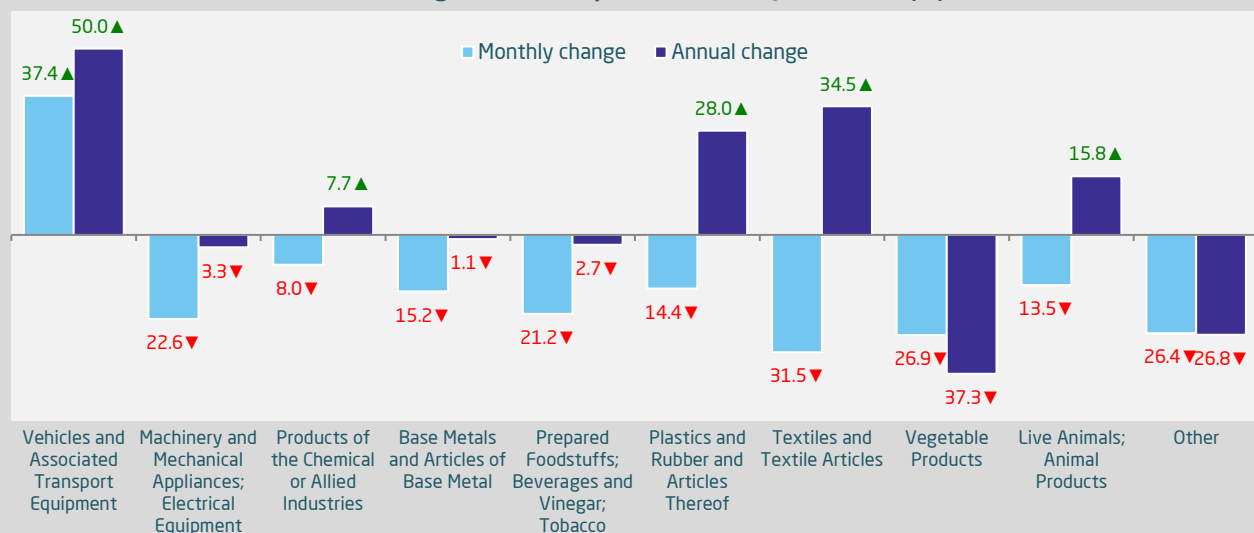
Main Import Products (Million Riyals)

Imported Products (by section of the Harmonized System)	June 2018	June 2019		
		Value	Change from previous year	Percentage Change (%)
1 Vehicles and Associated Transport Equipment	5,729	8,596	2,867 ▲	50.0 ▲
2 Machinery and Mechanical Appliances; Electrical Equipment	8,067	7,797	269 ▼	3.3 ▼
3 Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries	3,605	3,882	277 ▲	7.7 ▲
4 Base Metals and Articles of Base Metal	3,302	3,266	36 ▼	1.1 ▼
5 Prepared Foodstuffs; Beverages and Vinegar; Tobacco	1,783	1,736	47 ▼	2.7 ▼
6 Plastics and Rubber and Articles Thereof	1,262	1,616	354 ▲	28.0 ▲
7 Textiles and Textile Articles	1,101	1,481	380 ▲	34.5 ▲
8 Vegetable Products	2,320	1,455	864 ▼	37.3 ▼
9 Live Animals; Animal Products	1,212	1,403	191 ▲	15.8 ▲
10 Other	8,888	6,504	2,384 ▼	26.8 ▼
Total	37,268	37,736	468 ▲	1.3 ▲

Main Import Products in June 2019 (Share in total, %)



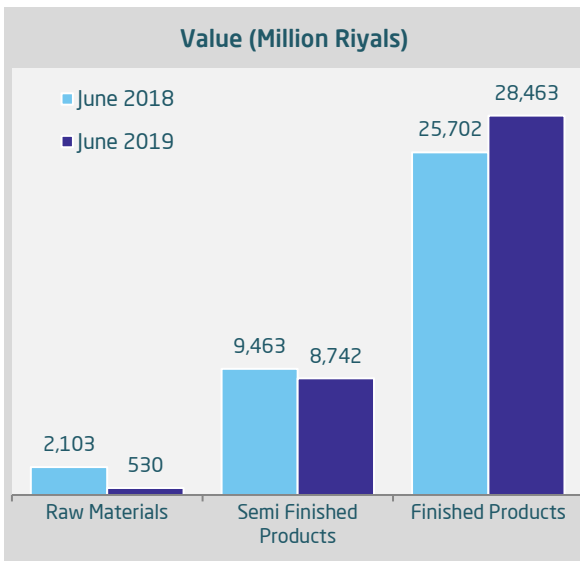
Change in Main Import Products, June 2019 (%)



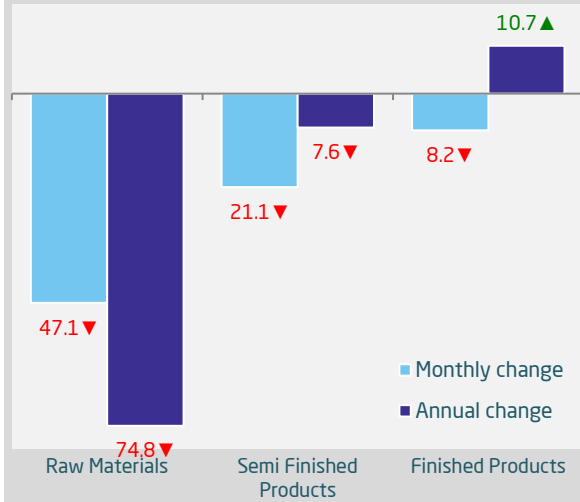


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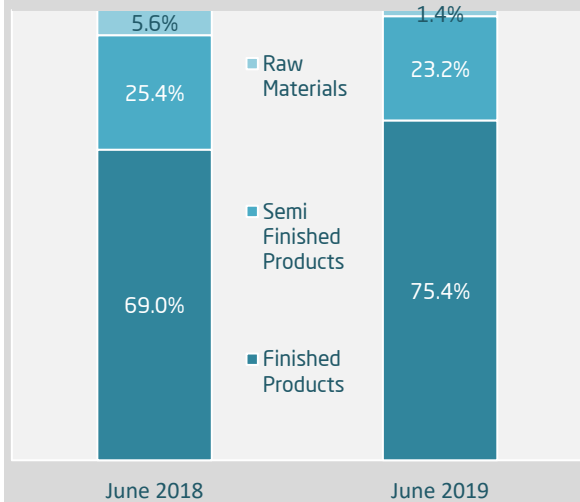
Imports by Nature of Items



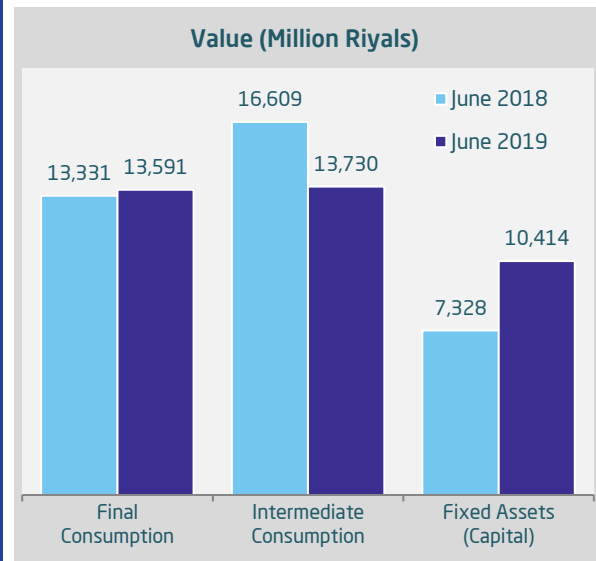
Change in June 2019 (%)



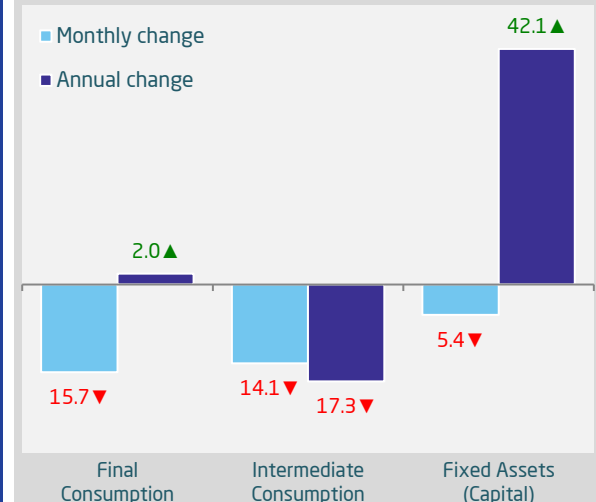
Share in Total Imports



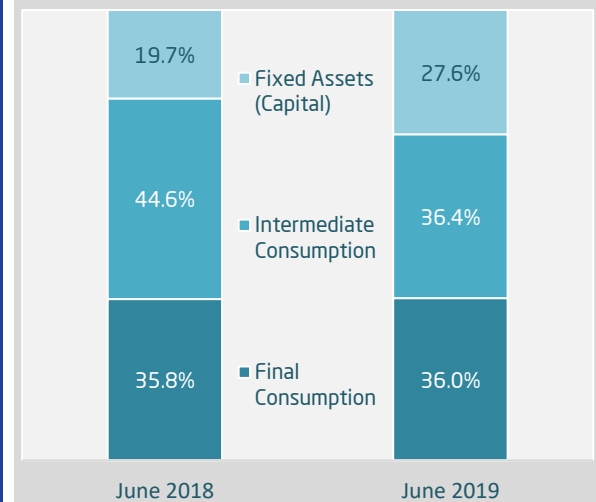
Imports by Utilization of Items



Change in June 2019 (%)



Share in Total Imports





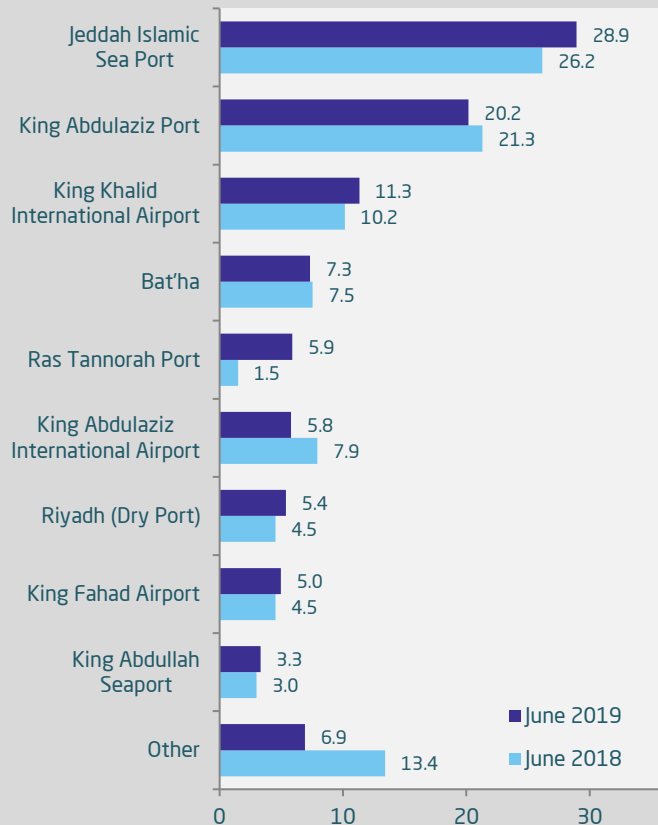
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Imports by Mode of Transport and Customs Port (Million Riyals)

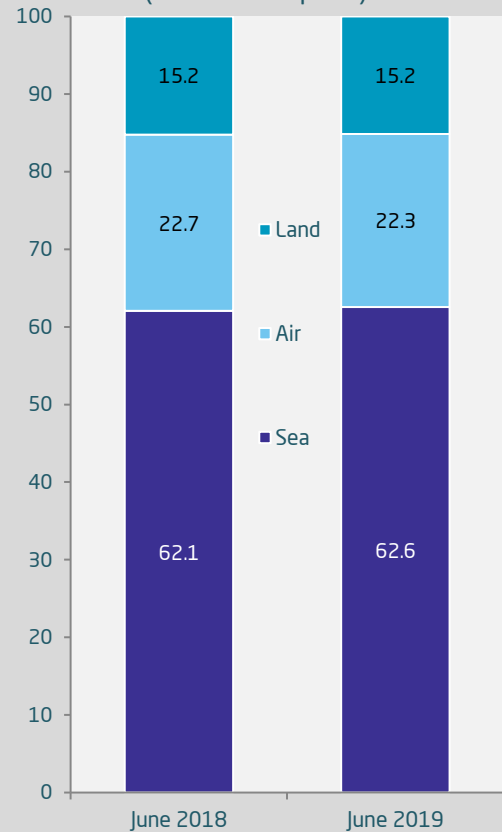
Mode of Transport and Customs Port	June 2018	June 2019		
		Value	Change from previous year	Percentage Change (%)
Sea	23,127	23,615	488▲	2.1▲
Jeddah Islamic Sea Port	9,746	10,919	1,173▲	12.0▲
King Abdulaziz Port	7,942	7,612	330▼	4.2▼
Ras Tannorah Port	552	2,224	1,672▲	302.6▲
Other Seaports	4,886	2,860	2,026▼	41.5▼
Air	8,472	8,402	70▼	0.8▼
King Khalid International Airport	3,784	4,273	488▲	12.9▲
King Abdulaziz International Airport	2,954	2,187	766▼	25.9▼
King Fahad Airport	1,684	1,869	185▲	11.0▲
Other Airports	50	73	23▲	46.6▲
Land	5,669	5,719	50▲	0.9▲
Bat'ha	2,811	2,766	45▼	1.6▼
Riyadh (Dry Port)	1,683	2,024	341▲	20.2▲
King Fahad Bridge	740	447	293▼	39.6▼
Other Land Ports	435	482	47▲	10.9▲
Total	37,268	37,736	468▲	1.3▲



Imports by Customs Port
(% of total imports)



Imports by Mode of Transport
(% of total imports)



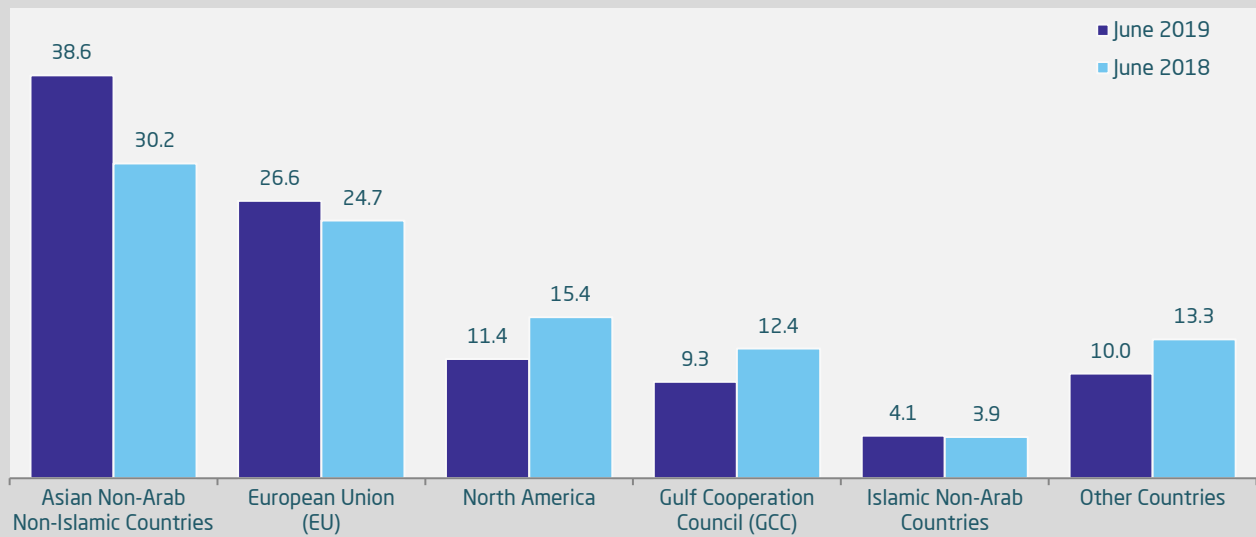


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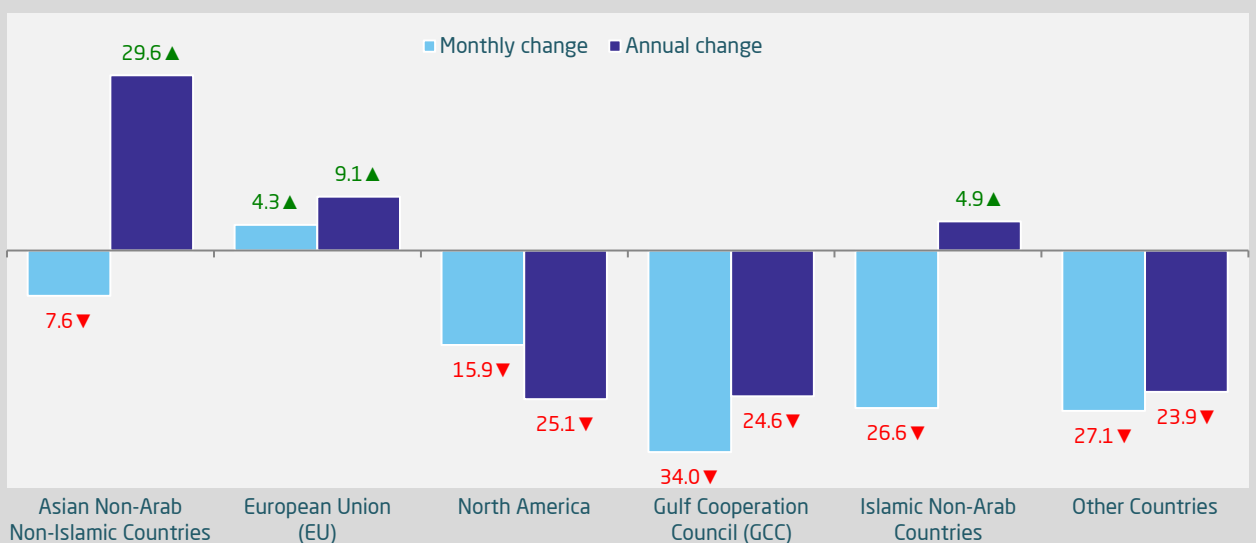
Imports by Group of Countries (Million Riyals)

Groups of Countries	June 2018	June 2019		
		Value	Change from previous year	Percentage Change (%)
1 Asian Non-Arab Non-Islamic Countries	11,248	14,572	3,324▲	29.6▲
2 European Union (EU)	9,200	10,037	837▲	9.1▲
3 North America	5,753	4,312	1,442▼	25.1▼
4 Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC)	4,629	3,491	1,139▼	24.6▼
5 Islamic Non-Arab Countries	1,472	1,544	72▲	4.9▲
6 Other Countries	4,966	3,781	1,185▼	23.9▼
Total	37,268	37,736	468▲	1.3▲

Imports by Group of Countries, June 2019 (Share in total, %)



Change in Imports by Group of Countries, June 2019 (%)



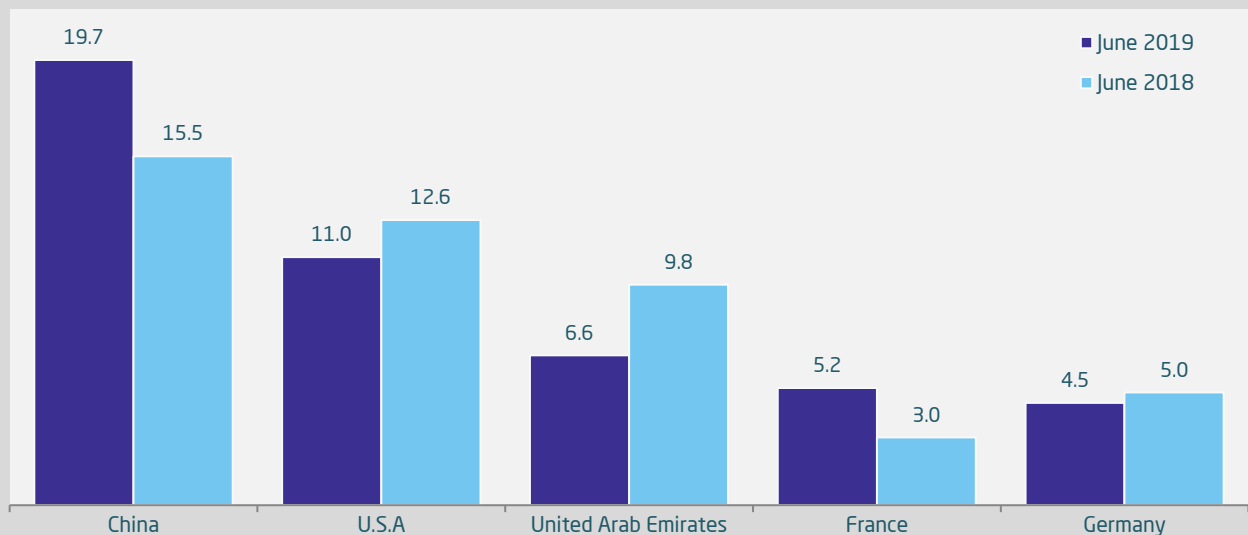


2.6. Top 5 Partner Countries for Imports

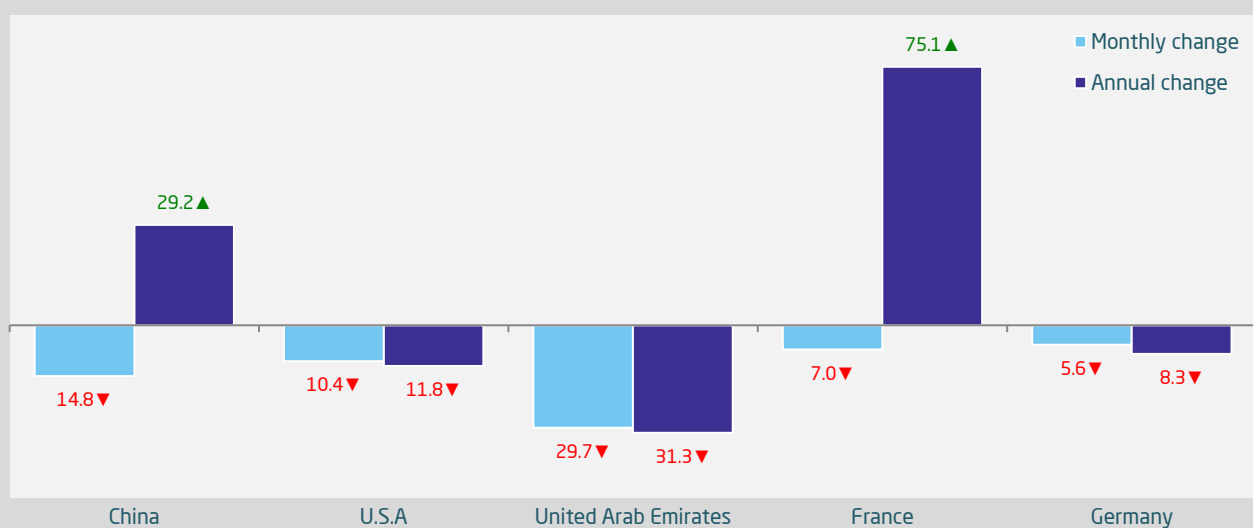
Top 5 Partner Countries for Imports (Million Riyals)

Countries	June 2018	June 2019		
		Value	Change from previous year	Percentage Change (%)
1 China	5,767	7,448	1,681▲	29.2▲
2 U.S.A	4,711	4,153	558▼	11.8▼
3 United Arab Emirates	3,643	2,505	1,139▼	31.3▼
4 France	1,120	1,960	841▲	75.1▲
5 Germany	1,864	1,710	154▼	8.3▼
Total	17,105	17,776	671▲	3.9▲
Share of the top 5 countries in total imports (%)	45.9	47.1		

Top 5 Partner Countries for Imports, June 2019 (Share in total, %)



Change in Imports from Top 5 Countries, June 2019 (%)





3. Trade Volume and Trade Balance

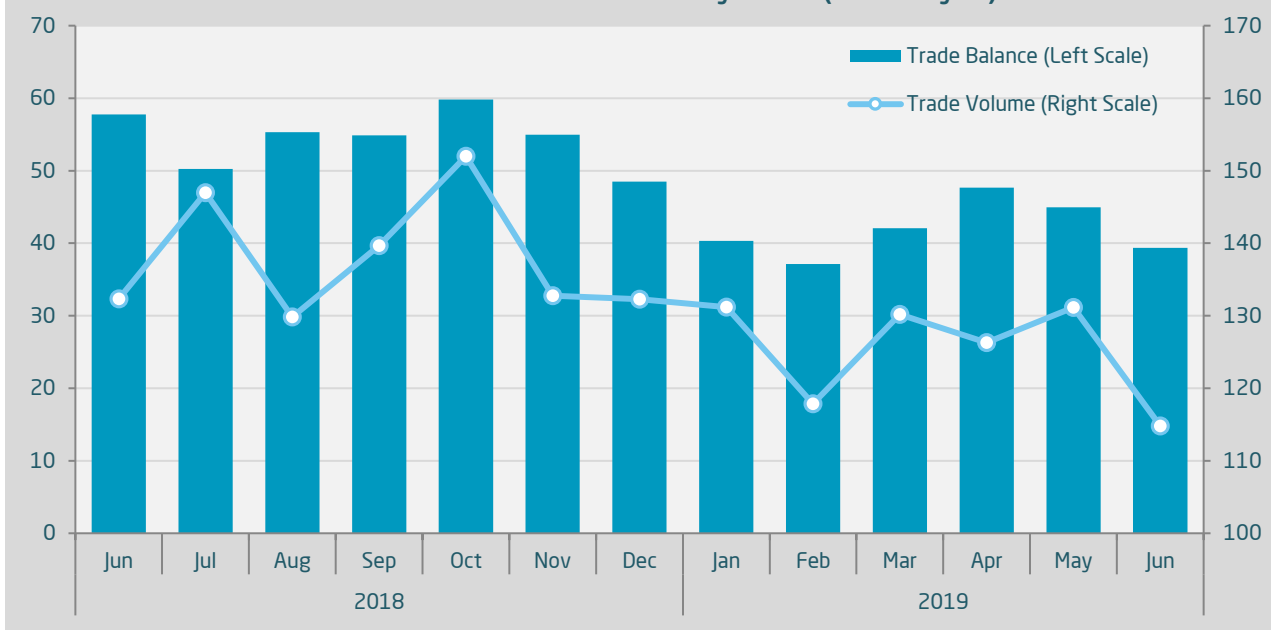
Merchandise trade volume of Saudi Arabia amounted to 114 billion 814 million riyals in June 2019 compared to 132 billion 312 million riyals in June 2018, corresponding to a decrease of 17 billion 498 million riyals or 13.2%. On the other hand, the Kingdom recorded a surplus of 39 billion 343 million riyals in its merchandise trade in June 2019, down by 18 billion 433 million riyals from the surplus of 57 billion 776 million riyals registered in June 2018.

Exports, Imports, Trade Volume, and Trade Balance, Monthly (Million Riyals)

Year	Month	Merchandise Exports	Merchandise Imports	Trade Volume	Trade Balance	
2018	June	95,044	37,268	132,312	57,776	
	July	98,597	48,364	146,961	50,233	
	August	92,558	37,266	129,824	55,292	
	September	97,277	42,392	139,669	54,885	
	October	105,900	46,086	151,986	59,814	
	November	93,857	38,909	132,766	54,948	
	December	90,383	41,901	132,284	48,482	
	2019	January	85,743	45,429	131,172	40,315
		February	77,494	40,345	117,839	37,150
		March	86,125	44,045	130,170	42,080
		April	86,967	39,312	126,279	47,656
		May	88,053	43,099	131,152	44,954
June		77,079	37,736	114,814	39,343	



Trade Balance and Trade Volume by Month (Billion Riyals)





4. Ratio of Non-oil Exports to Imports, Monthly

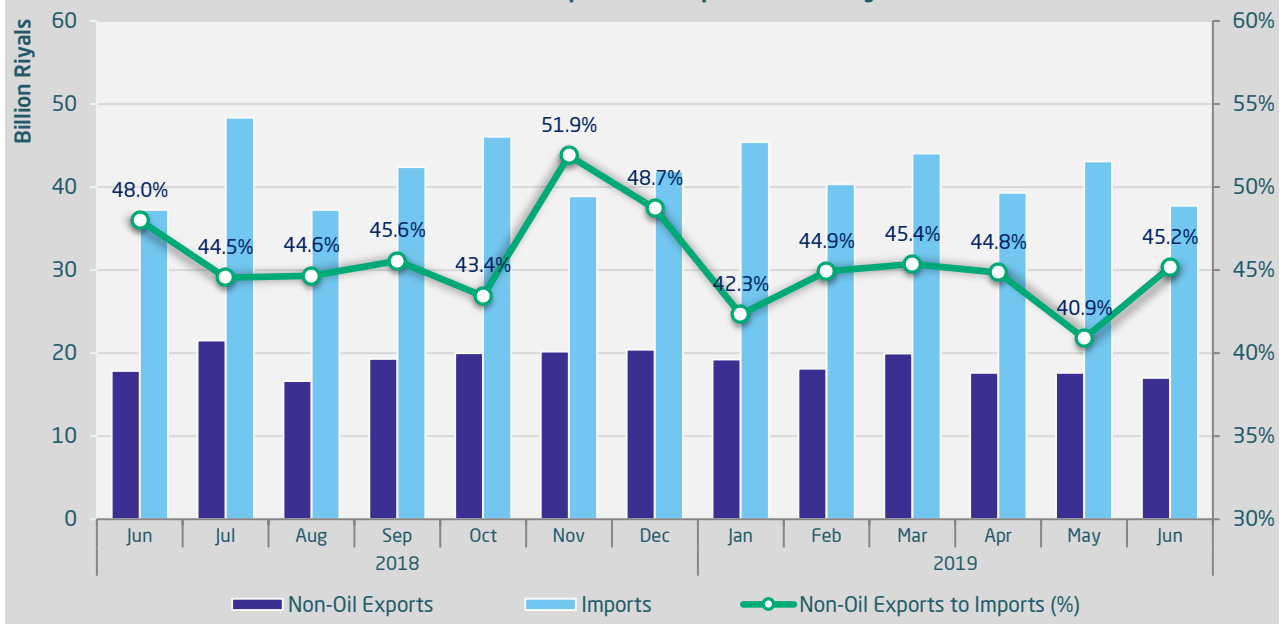
Non-oil exports decreased from 17 billion 885 million riyals in June 2018 to 17 billion 44 million riyals in June 2019 while imports increased from 37 billion 268 million riyals to 37 billion 736 million riyals over the same period. Accordingly, the ratio of non-oil exports to imports decreased to 45.2% in June 2019 from 48.0% in June 2018 as a result of a decrease in non-oil exports (4.7%) in contrast to an increase in imports (1.3%) over that period.

Ratio of Non-oil Exports to Imports, Monthly

Year	Month	Non-oil Merchandise Exports		Merchandise Imports		Non-oil Exports to Imports (%)	
		Million Riyals	Annual Change (%)	Million Riyals	Annual Change (%)		
2018	June	17,885	35.0▲	37,268	5.5▲	48.0	
	July	21,541	33.2▲	48,364	7.7▲	44.5	
	August	16,639	6.6▼	37,266	14.4▼	44.6	
	September	19,311	49.8▲	42,392	19.7▲	45.6	
	October	20,023	11.6▲	46,086	3.2▲	43.4	
	November	20,191	6.5▲	38,909	4.4▼	51.9	
	December	20,408	8.4▲	41,901	2.1▼	48.7	
	2019	January	19,232	6.6▲	45,429	7.6▲	42.3
		February	18,127	0.9▼	40,345	4.0▼	44.9
		March	19,977	1.4▼	44,045	5.4▲	45.4
		April	17,631	15.5▼	39,312	16.8▼	44.8
		May	17,624	19.9▼	43,099	11.2▼	40.9
June		17,044	4.7▼	37,736	1.3▲	45.2	



Ratio of Non-oil Exports to Imports, Monthly





5. Ratio of Non-oil Exports to Imports, Annual

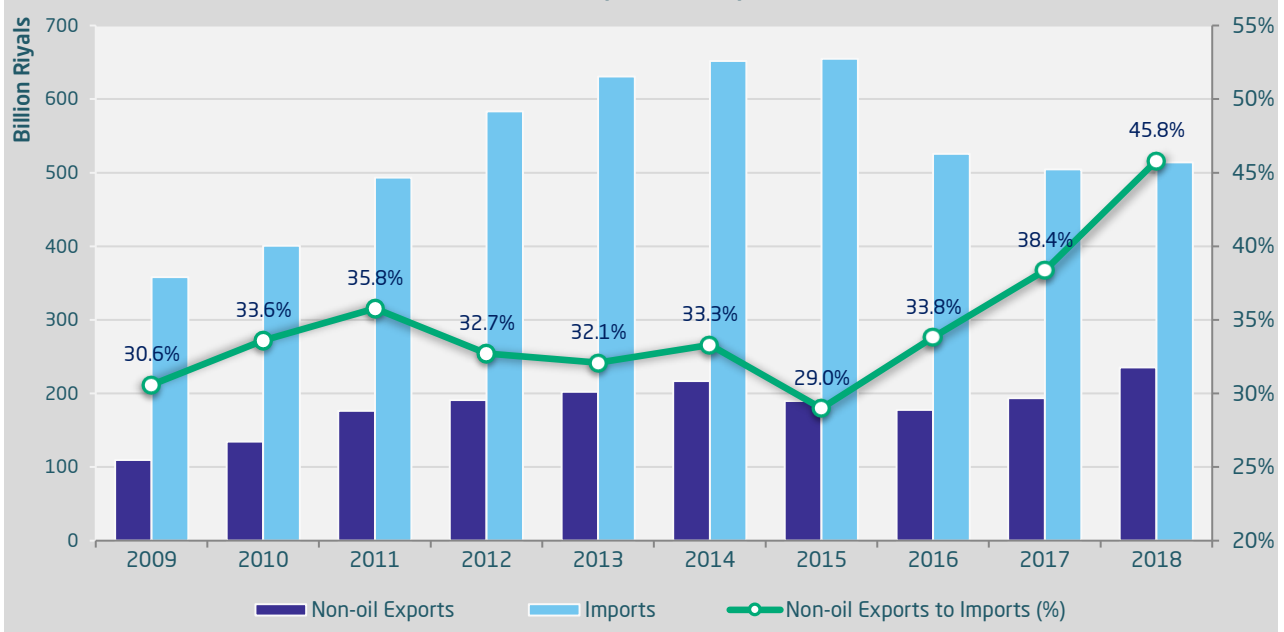
Non-oil exports increased from 193 billion 479 million riyals in 2017 to 235 billion 458 million riyals in 2018 while imports increased from 504 billion 447 million riyals to 513 billion 993 million riyals over the same period. Accordingly, the ratio of non-oil exports to imports increased to 45.8% in 2018 from 38.4% in the previous year as a result of a higher increase in non-oil exports (21.7%) than in imports (1.9%) over the previous year.

Ratio of Non-oil Exports to Imports, Annual

Year	Non-oil Merchandise Exports		Merchandise Imports		Non-oil Exports to Imports (%)
	Million Riyals	Annual Change (%)	Million Riyals	Annual Change (%)	
2009	109,619	9.9▼	358,290	17.0▼	30.6
2010	134,610	22.8▲	400,736	11.8▲	33.6
2011	176,568	31.2▲	493,449	23.1▲	35.8
2012	190,952	8.1▲	583,473	18.2▲	32.7
2013	202,443	6.0▲	630,582	8.1▲	32.1
2014	217,030	7.2▲	651,876	3.4▲	33.3
2015	189,901	12.5▼	655,033	0.5▲	29.0
2016	177,694	6.4▼	525,636	19.8▼	33.8
2017	193,479	8.9▲	504,447	4.0▼	38.4
2018	235,458	21.7▲	513,993	1.9▲	45.8



Ratio of Non-oil Exports to Imports, Annual





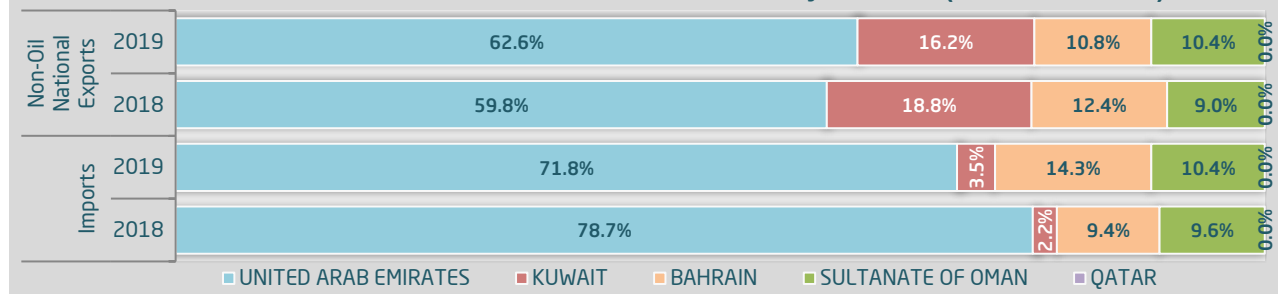
6. Trade between Saudi Arabia and GCC Countries

Non-oil exports of Saudi Arabia of national origin to the GCC countries amounted to 1 billion 895 million riyals in June 2019 compared to 2 billion 394 million riyals in June 2018, with a decrease of 499 million riyals or 20.8% over that period. Saudi Arabia's imports of goods from the GCC countries amounted to 3 billion 491 million riyals in June 2019 compared to 4 billion 629 million riyals in June 2018, down by 1 billion 139 million riyals or 24.6% over that period.

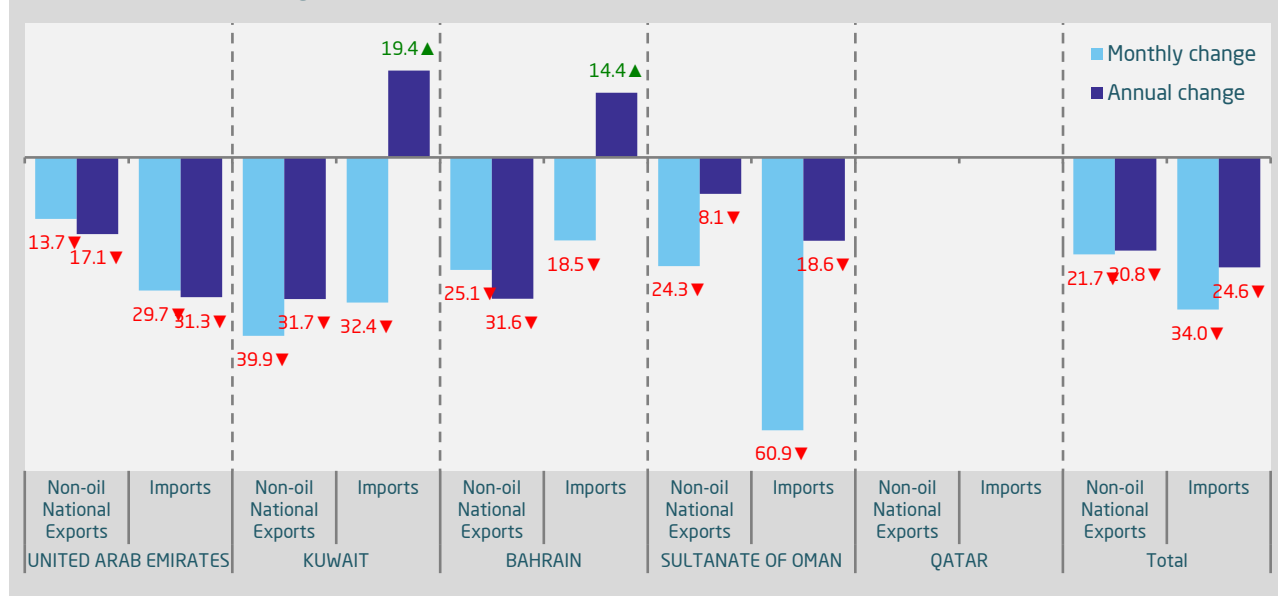
Saudi Arabia's Trade with GCC Countries in June (Million Riyals)

Partner Country	Non-oil Merchandise Exports						Merchandise Imports		Non-oil Trade Balance	
	National Exports		Re-exports		Total		2018	2019	2018	2019
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019				
United Arab Emirates	1,431	1,187	759	1,572	2,190	2,758	3,643	2,505	-1,453	253
Kuwait	450	307	56	50	506	358	102	122	403	236
Bahrain	298	204	70	98	367	302	437	500	-70	-198
Sultanate Of Oman	215	197	18	41	232	238	447	364	-214	-125
Qatar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	2,394	1,895	902	1,762	3,296	3,656	4,629	3,491	-1,334	166

Distribution of Saudi Arabia's Trade with GCC Countries, June 2019 (Share in Total, %)



Change in Saudi Arabia's Trade with GCC Countries, June 2019 (%)





Appendix

1- Exports and Imports of Saudi Arabia by Section

Merchandise Exports and Imports by Section* (Million Riyals)					
Section	Description	Exports		Imports	
		June 2018	June 2019	June 2018	June 2019
1	Live animals; animal products	520.4	339.2	1,211.6	1,402.6
2	Vegetable products	55.6	54.1	2,319.6	1,455.2
3	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	42.8	37.6	237.8	155.2
4	Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	342.9	369.6	1,783.4	1,736.0
5	Mineral products	77,485.8	60,282.0	2,665.2	964.6
6	Products of the chemical or allied industries	5,758.9	5,794.5	3,605.0	3,882.4
7	Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof	6,545.5	5,682.1	1,262.2	1,615.7
8	Raw hides and skins, leather, fur skins and articles thereof; saddlery and harness; travel goods, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silk-worm gut)	18.2	18.1	181.7	217.5
9	Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal; cork and articles of cork; manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting materials; basket ware and wickerwork	13.7	17.7	334.9	389.0
10	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof	189.4	163.9	529.8	562.0
11	Textiles and textile articles	137.7	120.8	1,100.8	1,481.0
12	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith; artificial flowers; articles of human hair	6.7	1.9	219.5	277.4
13	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials; ceramic products; glass and glassware	145.0	127.0	489.7	531.4
14	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewellery; coin	46.7	442.2	1,465.0	749.7
15	Base metals and articles of base metal	1,691.8	1,074.3	3,301.8	3,265.8
16	Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles	844.4	663.5	8,066.9	7,797.4
17	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment	995.7	1,672.2	5,728.7	8,595.8
18	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; clocks and watches; musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof	84.8	105.5	1,097.9	1,194.1
19	Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof	0.0	0.4	415.5	168.6
20	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	91.2	91.9	876.4	895.1
21	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	27.0	20.1	374.7	399.2
Total		95,044.2	77,078.6	37,268.1	37,735.8

* Sections of the Harmonized System (HS)



2- Non-oil Exports of Saudi Arabia by Country

Non-oil Exports by Country (Million Riyals) ¹			
#	Country	June 2018	June 2019
1	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	2,190.5	2,758.2
2	CHINA	2,820.4	2,578.7
3	SINGAPORE	1,319.3	1,199.8
4	INDIA	1,078.9	1,144.1
5	TURKEY	785.9	801.9
6	BELGIUM	661.2	625.8
7	EGYPT	687.8	544.0
8	MALAYSIA	478.3	471.1
9	U.S.A	410.1	398.6
10	JORDAN	404.6	364.9
11	BRAZIL	77.4	362.4
12	KUWAIT	505.6	357.7
13	JAPAN	205.5	312.7
14	PAKISTAN	214.3	308.2
15	BAHRAIN	367.4	302.1
16	SOUTH KOREA	426.2	257.2
17	THAILAND	278.1	246.5
18	SPAIN	339.1	245.6
19	SULTANATE OF OMAN	232.4	238.4
20	AUSTRALIA	58.7	218.8
21	ITALY	217.9	196.7
22	ALGERIA	227.0	181.8
23	SOUTH AFRICA	184.4	164.4
24	IRAQ	147.4	159.4
25	BANGLADESH	99.9	152.6
26	VIETNAM	326.1	150.5
27	NETHERLANDS	160.2	149.2
28	SUDAN	173.6	143.2
29	TAIWAN	222.7	136.4
30	REPUBLIC OF YEMEN	238.1	129.2
31	INDONESIA	155.5	113.5
32	PORTUGAL	23.6	111.7
33	POLAND	154.2	104.9
34	MOROCCO	123.0	100.2
35	UNITED KINGDOM	181.6	99.3
36	LEBANON	201.4	87.9
37	HONG KONG	87.1	86.7

Non-oil Exports by Country (Million Riyals)			
#	Country	June 2018	June 2019
38	GERMANY	77.2	75.1
39	TANZANIA	39.7	73.1
40	KENYA	79.7	70.7
41	GREECE	58.6	66.2
42	FRANCE	118.5	61.2
43	NIGERIA	100.3	61.1
44	TUNISIA	79.1	51.4
45	CANADA	20.2	42.0
46	SWITZERLAND	37.2	34.8
47	DJIBOUTI	84.1	31.8
48	SWEDEN	20.5	25.7
49	MALTA	13.2	21.4
50	COTE D'IVOIRE	33.2	21.1
51	GHANA	38.3	20.5
52	PHILIPPINES	84.0	19.8
53	CZECH REPUBLIC	1.7	19.2
54	SRI LANKA	21.7	19.0
55	MYANMAR	27.8	17.7
56	UKRAINE	12.5	17.1
57	GUINEA	9.8	16.6
58	ETHIOPIA	19.2	15.1
59	SOMALIA	15.3	14.4
60	ESTONIA	11.0	14.2
61	LIBYA	21.1	14.1
62	COLOMBIA	13.9	12.9
63	CONGO, THE DEMOCRATIC F	18.8	12.8
64	ARGENTINA	66.7	12.6
65	RUSSIAN FEDERATION	12.3	10.5
66	MEXICO	15.7	10.2
67	PALESTINE	3.1	7.9
68	GUINEA-BISSAU	4.0	7.7
69	GUATEMALA	19.8	7.6
70	NEW ZEALAND	33.4	7.4
71	ANGOLA	5.9	6.6
72	SLOVENIA	4.8	6.5
73	TOGO	9.3	6.4
74	UGANDA	7.5	6.3

(1) Country ranking is based on June 2019. "0.0" indicates a value less than 50 thousands while a dash (-) indicates nil.



Non-oil Exports by Country (Million Riyals)

#	Country	June 2018	June 2019
75	PERU	30.6	5.9
76	DENMARK	6.2	5.6
77	SENEGAL	5.6	5.5
78	MAURITANIA	8.7	5.4
79	AUSTRIA	0.4	5.3
80	GEORGIA	1.1	4.5
81	ECUADOR	9.6	4.3
82	CUBA	0.0	4.2
83	FINLAND	2.8	3.8
84	CAMEROON	10.6	3.6
85	BULGARIA	0.9	3.6
86	MOZAMBIQUE	6.6	3.1
87	LESOTHO	-	2.6
88	CHILE	10.2	2.4
89	CYPRUS	2.8	2.3
90	LITHUANIA	0.2	2.2
91	LIBERIA	1.5	2.2
92	HUNGARY	11.1	2.0
93	NEPAL	3.6	2.0
94	CROATIA	0.9	2.0
95	MAURITIUS	1.3	2.0
96	CHAD	0.6	1.8
97	SIERRA LEONE	1.5	1.7
98	IRELAND	3.6	1.5
99	NORWAY	0.4	1.4
100	MADAGASCAR	2.3	1.4
101	AFGHANISTAN	0.3	1.4
102	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	4.4	1.3
103	HONDURAS	1.1	1.3
104	MALAWI	0.3	1.2
105	UZBEKISTAN	-	1.1
106	DOMINICA	0.4	0.9
107	URUGUAY	1.7	0.7
108	MALDIVES	0.7	0.7
109	RWANDA	0.4	0.7
110	GABON	2.0	0.6
111	ERITREA	4.0	0.6
112	BENIN	0.5	0.6
113	NAMIBIA	1.7	0.6

Non-oil Exports by Country (Million Riyals)

#	Country	June 2018	June 2019
114	PARAGUAY	1.9	0.6
115	CONGO	1.3	0.6
116	CAMBODIA	3.8	0.6
117	ROMANIA	3.4	0.6
118	ARMENIA	-	0.5
119	LUXEMBOURG	0.1	0.4
120	COSTA RICA	2.9	0.4
121	KAZAKHSTAN	5.8	0.4
122	AZERBAIJAN	1.8	0.3
123	EL SALVADOR	6.0	0.3
124	GAMBIA	0.2	0.3
125	EQUATORIAL GUINEA	0.2	0.3
126	SLOVAKIA	0.8	0.2
127	ALBANIA	0.1	0.2
128	BURUNDI	0.3	0.2
129	BOLIVIA	-	0.1
130	ZAMBIA	1.2	0.1
131	MALI	2.3	0.1
132	COMOROS	0.3	0.1
133	BRUNEI DARUSSALAM	0.1	0.1
134	TRINIDAD & TOBAGO	-	0.1
135	ZIMBABWE	0.3	0.1
136	SEYCHELLES	0.0	0.1
137	SYRIA	0.2	0.1
	OTHER COUNTRIES	6.7	0.2
	TOTAL	17,884.7	17,044.2





3- Imports of Saudi Arabia by Country

Imports by Country (Million Riyals) ²			
#	Country	June 2018	June 2019
1	CHINA	5,766.6	7,447.8
2	U.S.A	4,710.8	4,153.0
3	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	3,643.5	2,504.8
4	FRANCE	1,119.7	1,960.4
5	GERMANY	1,864.3	1,710.0
6	INDIA	1,453.7	1,633.6
7	JAPAN	1,247.0	1,612.5
8	ITALY	1,158.2	1,244.4
9	SINGAPORE	163.8	1,179.3
10	NETHERLANDS	316.0	912.8
11	SOUTH KOREA	1,252.8	891.4
12	UNITED KINGDOM	984.3	850.2
13	THAILAND	495.2	707.5
14	TURKEY	656.8	694.7
15	BRAZIL	687.9	635.0
16	SPAIN	633.3	600.1
17	BAHRAIN	437.3	500.5
18	IRELAND	265.0	458.1
19	EGYPT	381.5	440.1
20	SWITZERLAND	463.5	413.4
21	SULTANATE OF OMAN	446.5	363.5
22	INDONESIA	348.2	356.5
23	TAIWAN	321.3	353.9
24	VIETNAM	401.4	353.0
25	SWEDEN	410.2	316.6
26	BELGIUM	365.8	281.5
27	MALAYSIA	262.5	280.0
28	MEXICO	188.6	262.7
29	JORDAN	359.3	260.1
30	POLAND	288.1	256.2
31	AUSTRALIA	129.6	243.3
32	AUSTRIA	167.5	237.6
33	HONG KONG	11.4	223.3
34	SUDAN	143.0	188.7
35	DENMARK	197.6	175.7
36	GREECE	441.6	161.1
37	SOUTH AFRICA	347.8	159.1

Imports by Country (Million Riyals)			
#	Country	June 2018	June 2019
38	CANADA	1,042.2	158.5
39	CZECH REPUBLIC	401.0	150.7
40	NEW ZEALAND	157.5	146.8
41	ARGENTINA	260.9	145.2
42	RUSSIAN FEDERATION	802.8	145.0
43	MALTA	0.5	141.6
44	FINLAND	109.8	129.6
45	KUWAIT	102.2	122.0
46	PAKISTAN	106.5	103.6
47	ROMANIA	54.3	96.1
48	BANGLADESH	86.9	87.4
49	PHILIPPINES	78.2	80.7
50	SLOVAKIA	60.3	75.9
51	LEBANON	73.2	73.0
52	CHILE	83.4	70.1
53	UKRAINE	127.7	69.2
54	CONGO, THE DEMOCRATIC F	170.0	63.8
55	PORTUGAL	44.6	60.8
56	HUNGARY	58.1	59.7
57	GUATEMALA	17.6	59.7
58	EUROPEAN UNION, N.E.S	88.9	57.6
59	MOROCCO	44.6	56.7
60	NORWAY	37.2	47.5
61	ETHIOPIA	49.6	46.8
62	ECUADOR	44.4	43.6
63	COLOMBIA	8.6	40.6
64	SYRIA	22.0	32.2
65	SRI LANKA	24.7	29.3
66	REPUBLIC OF YEMEN	23.5	26.1
67	SLOVENIA	15.0	25.8
68	CAMBODIA	21.6	25.0
69	KENYA	22.5	20.4
70	BULGARIA	34.1	18.7
71	MYANMAR	6.3	17.3
72	BELARUS	1.2	15.1
73	LITHUANIA	61.9	13.8
74	ESTONIA	22.7	11.5

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Imports by Country (Million Riyals)

#	Country	June 2018	June 2019
75	PUERTO RICO	2.0	10.6
76	CROATIA	5.9	9.3
77	SERBIA	5.3	9.2
78	ZAMBIA	6.7	8.9
79	LUXEMBOURG	11.2	8.4
80	CYPRUS	5.3	8.2
81	COSTA RICA	5.2	7.8
82	TUNISIA	21.5	7.1
83	DJIBOUTI	10.4	7.1
84	NIGERIA	3.3	6.3
85	DOMINICA	14.3	5.9
86	LATVIA	14.4	4.3
87	UZBEKISTAN	0.8	3.8
88	BOSNIA & HERZEGOVINA	3.3	3.7
89	AFGHANISTAN	2.0	2.8
90	PANAMA	0.3	2.6
91	PERU	2.9	2.6
92	TANZANIA	1.3	2.5
93	URUGUAY	0.0	2.2
94	ALGERIA	2.4	2.1
95	SAN MARINO	0.5	2.0
96	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	1.2	1.9
97	UGANDA	1.1	1.8
98	PARAGUAY	7.9	1.8
99	MALAWI	1.6	1.4
100	CAMEROON	0.6	1.2
101	EL SALVADOR	0.5	1.1
102	MACEDONIA	1.5	1.1
103	PALESTINE	4.1	1.0
104	GABON	1.1	0.9
105	MAURITIUS	1.4	0.9
106	AZERBAIJAN	0.0	0.9
107	ALBANIA	0.3	0.9
108	NAMIBIA	1.0	0.9
109	SIERRA LEONE	0.9	0.9
110	MACAO	0.1	0.7
111	BRUNEI DARUSSALAM	0.0	0.6
112	VIRGIN ISLANDS USA	-	0.6
113	SOMALIA	10.9	0.5

Imports by Country (Million Riyals)

#	Country	June 2018	June 2019
114	MOLDOVA	1.8	0.5
115	LAOS	0.3	0.5
116	HONDURAS	0.7	0.5
117	SWAZILAND	0.2	0.5
118	CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUB	0.3	0.5
119	MOZAMBIQUE	0.4	0.4
120	COTE D'IVOIRE	0.0	0.4
121	SAINT VINCENT AND THE G	0.0	0.4
122	GHANA	2.3	0.4
123	HAITI	0.0	0.4
124	ARUBA	0.1	0.4
125	MALDIVES	0.1	0.4
126	NETHERLANDS ANTILLES	0.0	0.3
127	MADAGASCAR	2.1	0.3
128	ICELAND	0.1	0.3
129	ANTARCTICA	-	0.3
130	NORTH KOREA	1.5	0.3
131	VENEZUELA	169.1	0.3
132	MONACO	0.9	0.3
133	FIJI	0.3	0.2
134	CUBA	0.2	0.2
135	GEORGIA	0.0	0.2
136	IRAQ	6.0	0.2
137	SENEGAL	0.0	0.1
138	NICARAGUA	0.2	0.1
139	NEPAL	0.1	0.1
140	SURINAME	0.1	0.1
141	ANGOLA	0.0	0.1
142	GAMBIA	-	0.1
143	LIECHTENSTEIN	0.1	0.1
144	BURUNDI	0.1	0.1
145	FAROE ISLANDS	-	0.1
146	LESOTHO	0.2	0.1
147	MONGOLIA	0.3	0.1
148	ZIMBABWE	1.0	0.1
	OTHER COUNTRIES	28.2	0.4
	TOTAL	37,268.1	37,735.8





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