

Statistical bulletin

# UK trade: August 2018

Total value of UK exports and imports of goods and services by current price, chained volume measures and implied deflators.

Contact:  
James Wells  
trade@ons.gov.uk  
+44 (0)1633 455582

Release date:  
10 October 2018

Next release:  
9 November 2018

## Table of contents

1. [Main points](#)
2. [Things you need to know about this release](#)
3. [The total trade deficit narrowed in the three months to August 2018](#)
4. [Removing the effect of inflation the trade balance also narrowed in the three months to August 2018](#)
5. [The trade in goods deficit narrowed with the EU and with countries outside the EU in the three months to August 2018](#)
6. [Top five commodity risers and fallers for exports and imports in the three months to August 2018](#)
7. [The trade deficit narrowed in the 12 months to August 2018](#)
8. [UK trade with the EU contributed most to the narrowing of the trade in goods deficit in the 12 months to August 2018](#)
9. [Explore UK trade in goods country-by-commodity data via our interactive tools](#)
10. [Links to related statistics](#)
11. [Quality and methodology](#)

# 1 . Main points

- The total UK trade deficit (goods and services) narrowed £4.7 billion to £2.8 billion in the three months to August 2018.
- Removing the effect of inflation, the total trade deficit narrowed £6.1 billion to £0.8 billion in the three months to August 2018.
- A £3.5 billion narrowing of the goods deficit plus a £1.1 billion widening of the services surplus led to the £4.7 billion narrowing of the trade deficit in the three months to August 2018.
- The narrowing goods deficit was due mostly to falling imports of unspecified goods (including non-monetary gold) and rising fuels exports in the three months to August 2018.
- The trade in goods deficit narrowed £2.4 billion with the EU and £1.1 billion with countries outside the EU in the three months to August 2018.
- In the 12 months to August 2018, the total trade deficit narrowed £13.5 billion due to rises in exports for goods and services that were partially offset by corresponding rises in imports.

## 2 . Things you need to know about this release

### International Passenger Survey

Estimates derived from the International Passenger Survey (IPS) are used to help measure exports and imports of travel services. The International Passenger Survey (IPS) has recently transferred data collection from paper forms to tablet computers. While initial analysis of the new data found no detectable discontinuities, we are continuing to check the data. Therefore, headline trade and other national accounts estimates will continue to include some forecast data for exports and imports of travel services in the most recent periods. More information is available in the [Overseas travel and tourism release](#).

### Data revision policy

Services data in this release have been revised back to January 2017, which is in line with the quarterly national accounts and balance of payments, published on 28 September 2018. Trade in goods data have been revised for July 2018 only.

### National Statistics designation status

The UK Statistics Authority [suspended the National Statistics designation of UK trade \(PDF 72.8KB\)](#) on 14 November 2014. We have now responded to all of the specific requirements of the [reassessment of UK trade](#) and are in the final stages of providing evidence to the Authority. We are undertaking a programme of improvements to UK trade statistics in line with the UK trade development plan, including more detail and improvements now published to address anticipated future demands. While delivering against this plan, we will continue to work with the [Office for Statistics Regulation](#) team to regain National Statistics status for UK trade statistics. We welcome feedback on this [development plan](#).

### Trade figures

Unless otherwise specified, data within this bulletin are in current prices.

### 3 . The total trade deficit narrowed in the three months to August 2018

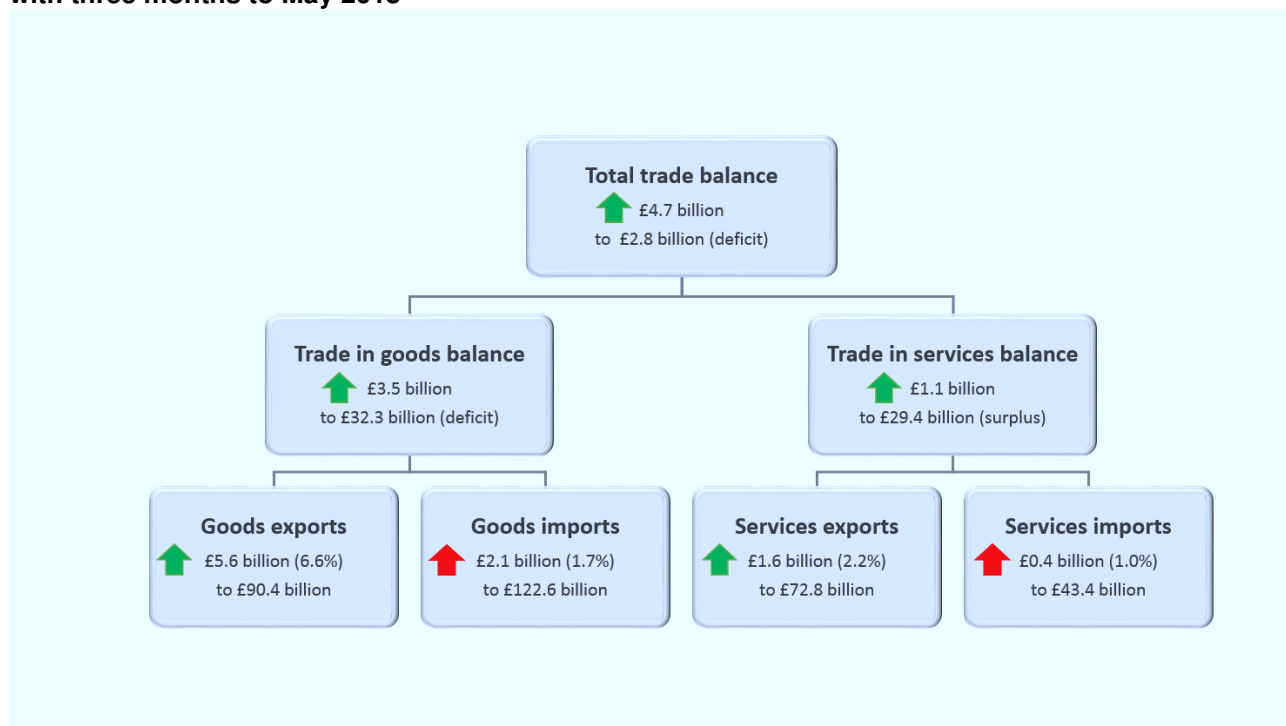
Figure 1 shows the change to the goods, services and total trade balances along with exports and imports in the three months to August 2018, compared with the three months to May 2018.

The total UK trade deficit (goods and services) narrowed £4.7 billion to £2.8 billion in the three months to August 2018. Goods and services both contributed to the narrowing of the total deficit; the goods deficit narrowed £3.5 billion to £32.3 billion and the services surplus widened £1.1 billion to £29.4 billion.

Exports increased by more than imports for both goods and services in the three months to August 2018; goods exports increased £5.6 billion (6.6%) compared with £1.6 billion (2.2%) for services exports, while imports were up £2.1 billion (1.7%) compared with £0.4 billion (1.0%) for goods and services respectively.

The £3.5 billion narrowing of the goods deficit was due mostly to falling imports of unspecified goods (including non-monetary gold) and rising exports of fuels in the three months to August 2018. These were the two commodities that had the largest impact on the trade in goods deficit. There were a number of large export and import movements within other commodities that did not have a material impact on the deficit. This was due to them being offset by equally large movements in the opposite direction, that is, either exports or imports. Please see Section 6 in this release to see the largest goods export and import risers and fallers.

**Figure 1: Change to UK trade balances, exports and imports, three months to August 2018 compared with three months to May 2018**



Source: Office for National Statistics

Notes:

1. The arrow direction indicates whether a component has increased or decreased, while the colour denotes the impact the direction of a movement has on the trade balance.
2. For example, an increase in imports is denoted by an upward red arrow, as a rise in imports has a negative impact on the trade balance, while an increase in exports is denoted by an upward green arrow, as a rise in exports has a positive impact on the trade balance.

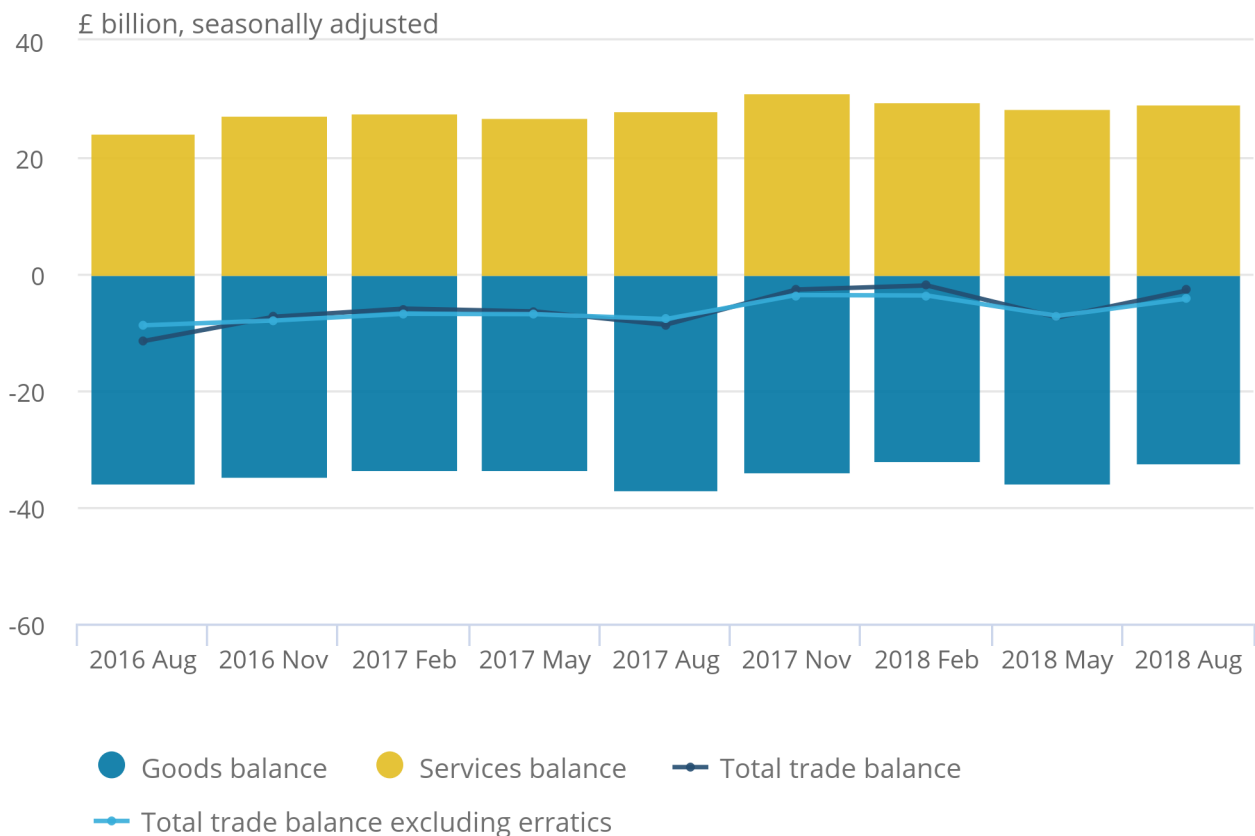
Figure 2 shows UK trade balances on a three-month on three-month basis between August 2016 and August 2018. The total trade deficit improved from £11.6 billion in the three months to August 2016 to £2.8 billion in the three months to August 2018 and has generally showed a narrowing trend over the past two years, albeit with some periods where the deficit has widened.

The closest the trade balance has come to being in surplus on a three-month comparison basis between August 2016 and August 2018 was in the three months to February 2018, when the deficit reached £2.0 billion.

Excluding erratic commodities (including non-monetary gold), the total trade deficit narrowed £3.0 billion to £4.3 billion in the three months to August 2018.

**Figure 2: UK trade balances, three-month on three-month, August 2016 to August 2018**

Figure 2: UK trade balances, three-month on three-month, August 2016 to August 2018



Source: Office for National Statistics

## **4 . Removing the effect of inflation the trade balance also narrowed in the three months to August 2018**

This section presents volume and price estimates of both the UK trade balance and trade in goods exports using chained volume measures (CVMs) and implied deflators (IDEFs). A CVM is a measure that has had the effect of inflation removed. An IDEF shows the implied change in average prices for the respective components of the trade balance.

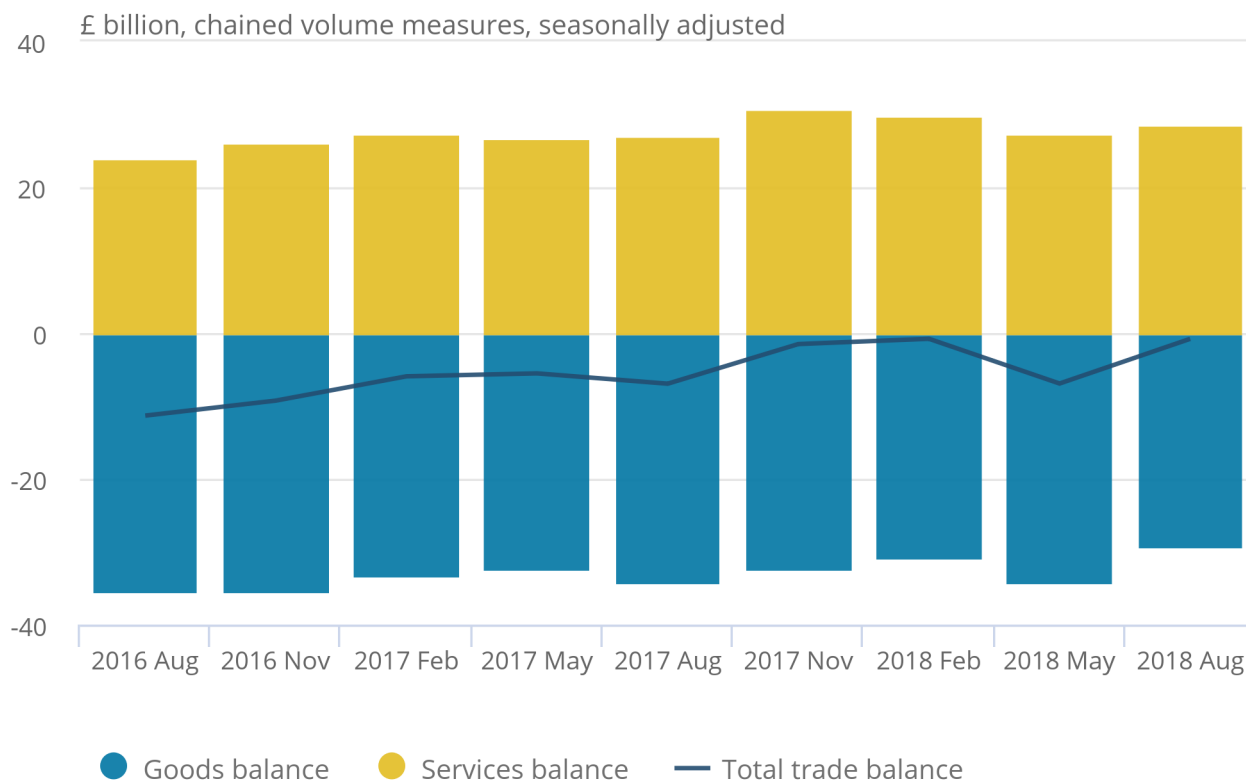
Figure 3 shows CVMs for the UK trade balances, on a three-month on three-month basis, between August 2016 and August 2018.

Removing the effect of inflation, the total trade deficit (goods and services) narrowed £6.1 billion to £0.8 billion in the three months to August 2018. This is the ninth occasion the total deficit on a CVM basis has been less than £1.0 billion since recent records began in 1998.

Goods contributed most to the narrowing of the total deficit on a CVM basis, although services was also a factor in the three months to August 2018; the goods deficit narrowed £4.8 billion to £29.4 billion and the services surplus widened £1.3 billion to £28.6 billion.

**Figure 3: UK trade balances, chained volume measures, three-month on three-month, August 2016 to August 2018**

Figure 3: UK trade balances, chained volume measures, three-month on three-month, August 2016 to August 2018



Source: Office for National Statistics

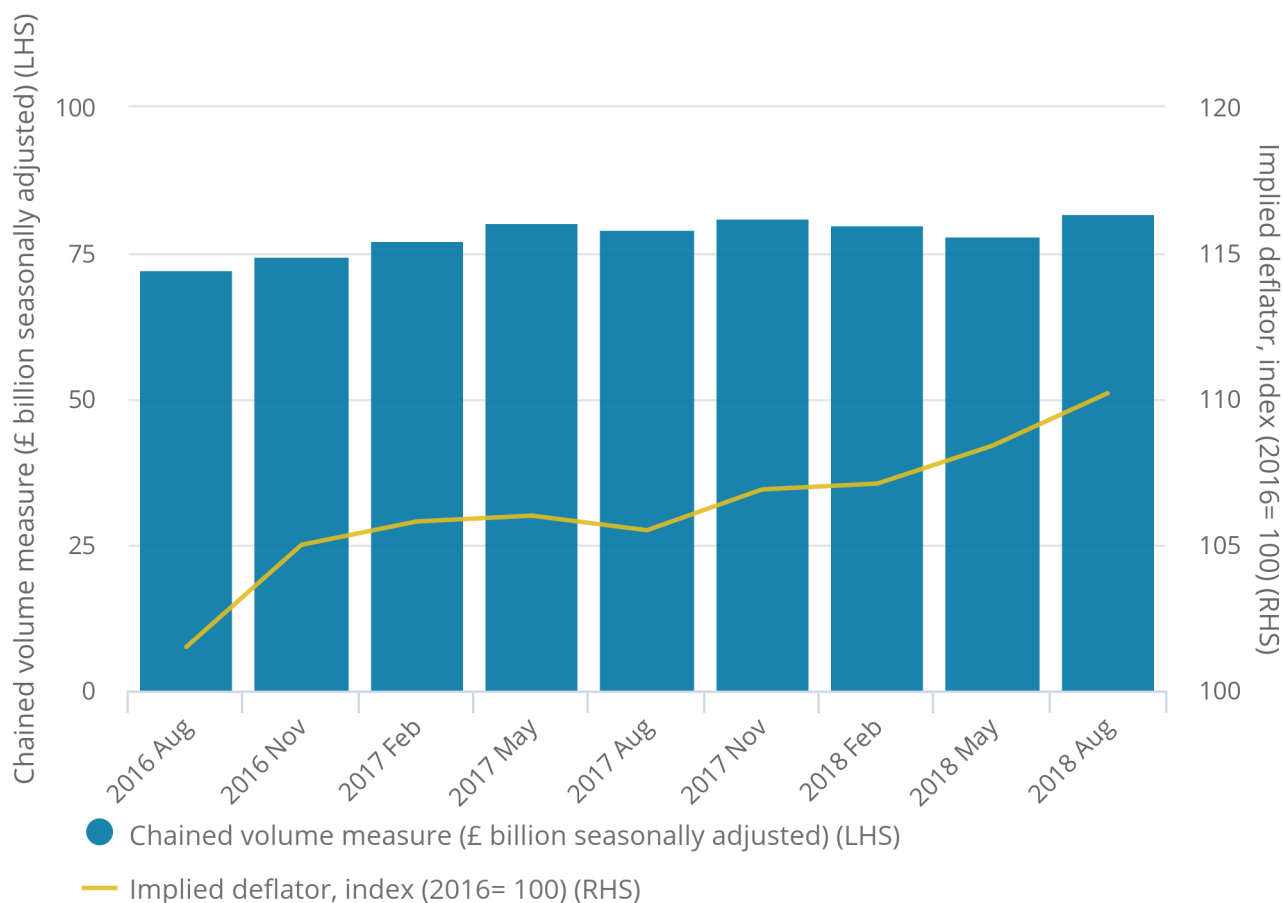
Figure 4 shows CVMs and IDEFs for goods exports on a three-month on three-month basis between August 2016 and August 2018.

Removing the effect of inflation, goods exports rose £3.8 billion (4.9%) to £82.0 billion and this was the main factor in the £4.8 billion narrowing of the trade in goods deficit in the three months to August 2018; imports also helped to narrow the goods deficit, falling £1.0 billion (0.9%) to £111.4 billion.

The IDEF for trade in goods exports shows that prices rose by 1.7% in the three months to August 2018.

**Figure 4: Goods exports, chained volume measure and implied deflator, three-month on three-month, August 2016 to August 2018**

Figure 4: Goods exports, chained volume measure and implied deflator, three-month on three-month, August 2016 to August 2018



Source: Office for National Statistics

## 5. The trade in goods deficit narrowed with the EU and with countries outside the EU in the three months to August 2018

Figure 5 shows the change in goods exports, imports and the trade balances with EU and non-EU countries between the three months to August 2018 and the three months to May 2018.

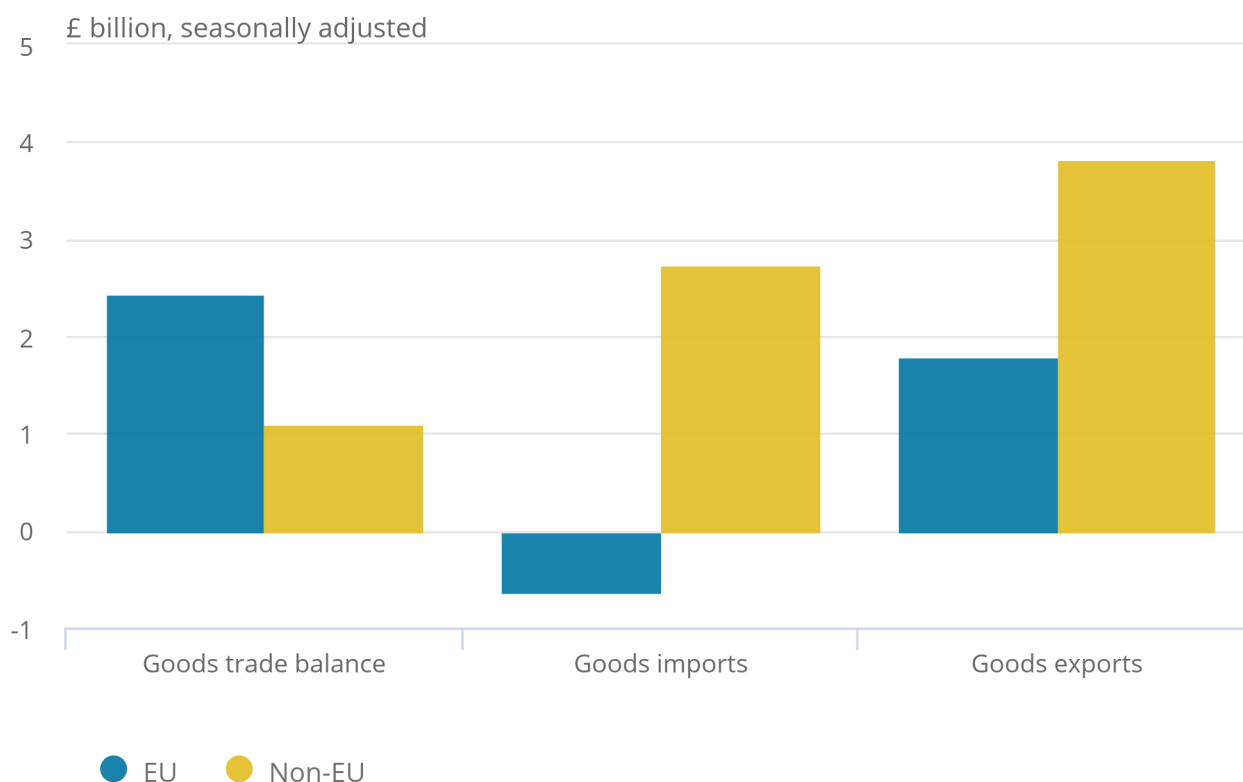
The trade in goods deficit narrowed £2.4 billion with the EU and £1.1 billion with countries outside the EU in the three months to August 2018. Rising goods exports were the main factor for the narrowing of the deficit with both the EU and countries outside the EU, although falling goods imports from the EU also contributed.

In terms of the main contributors to the £2.4 billion narrowing of the goods deficit with the EU in the three months to August 2018, the fuels balance contributed £1.8 billion, due mainly to fuels exports rising £1.1 billion. Machinery and transport equipment also contributed £1.1 billion to the narrowing of the goods deficit, which was due mainly to falling imports of cars.

The main contributors to the £1.1 billion narrowing of the goods deficit with countries outside the EU were unspecified goods (including non-monetary gold), due mainly to falling imports, and chemicals (mostly medicinal and pharmaceutical products), due mainly to rising exports. Imports of unspecified goods fell £2.3 billion, while exports of chemicals increased £0.3 billion.

**Figure 5: Change in UK goods exports, imports and trade balance with EU and non-EU countries, three months to August 2018 compared with three months to May 2018**

Figure 5: Change in UK goods exports, imports and trade balance with EU and non-EU countries, three months to August 2018 compared with three months to May 2018



Source: Office for National Statistics

## 6 . Top five commodity risers and fallers for exports and imports in the three months to August 2018

The data in this section are taken from our trade in goods country by commodity dataset, which has not been seasonally adjusted. The data are produced on a balance of payments (BoP) basis and are therefore consistent with the national accounts; however, because the data are not seasonally adjusted, they might not match exactly with other data in this release, which are seasonally adjusted.

Figure 6 shows the top five commodity risers and fallers for exports in the three months to August 2018.

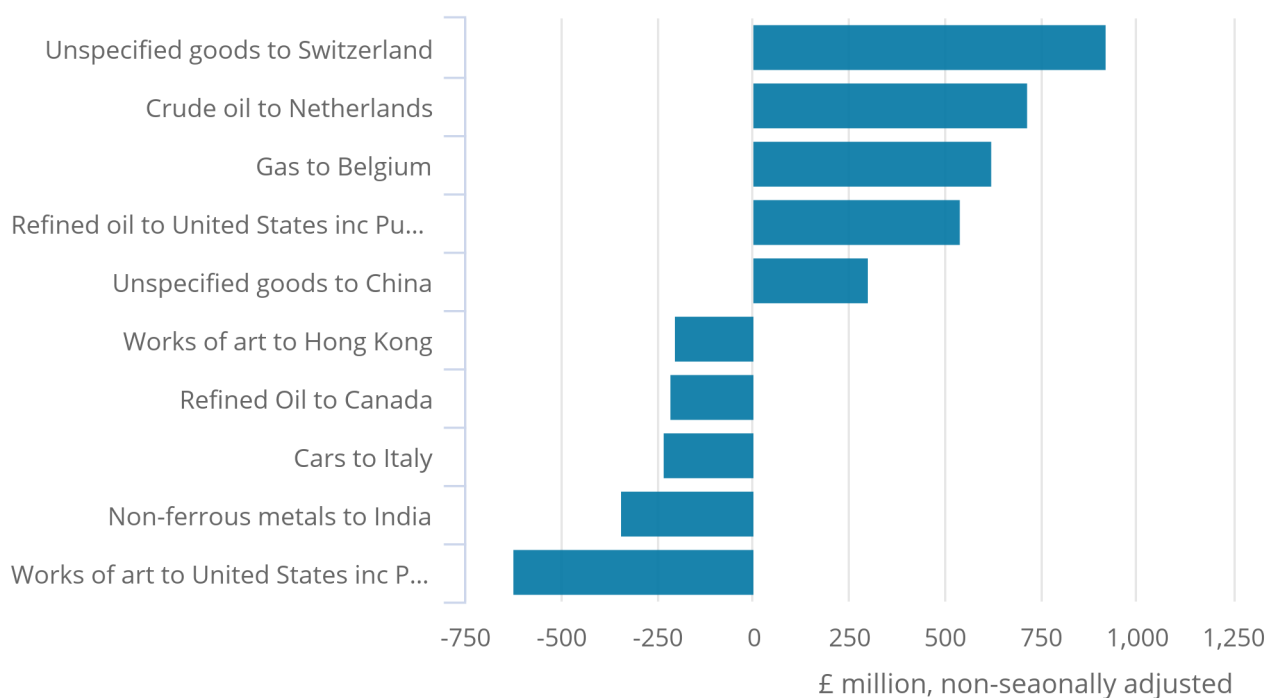


The largest commodity export riser in the three months to August 2018 was unspecified goods (including non-monetary gold) to Switzerland, which rose £0.9 billion. The second largest commodity export was crude oil to the Netherlands, which increased £0.7 billion to £2.2 billion.

The largest commodity export faller in the three months to August 2018 was works of art to the United States including Puerto Rico, which fell £0.6 billion to £0.5 billion.

**Figure 6: Top five commodity export risers and fallers in the three months to August 2018, compared with the three months to May 2018**

Figure 6: Top five commodity export risers and fallers in the three months to August 2018, compared with the three months to May 2018



Source: Office for National Statistics

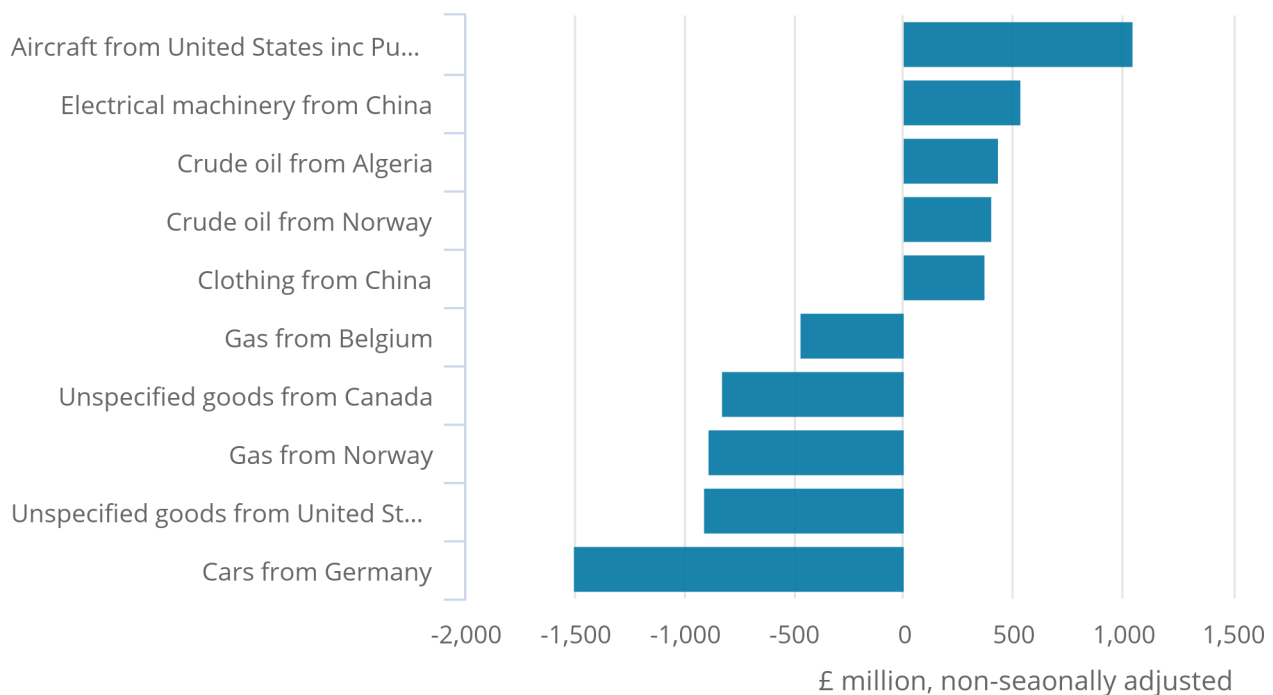
Figure 7 shows the top five commodity risers and fallers for imports in the three months to August 2018.

The largest commodity import riser was aircrafts from the United States including Puerto Rico, which increased £1.1 billion to £1.4 billion in the three months to August 2018; this was followed by imports of electrical machinery from China, which rose £0.5 billion to £3.4 billion.

The largest commodity import faller was cars from Germany, which fell £1.5 billion to £3.0 billion in the three months to August 2018; this was followed by imports of unspecified goods (including non-monetary gold) from the United States including Puerto Rico, which fell £0.9 billion.

**Figure 7: Top five commodity import risers and fallers in the three months to August 2018, compared with the three months to May 2018**

Figure 7: Top five commodity import risers and fallers in the three months to August 2018, compared with the three months to May 2018



Source: Office for National Statistics

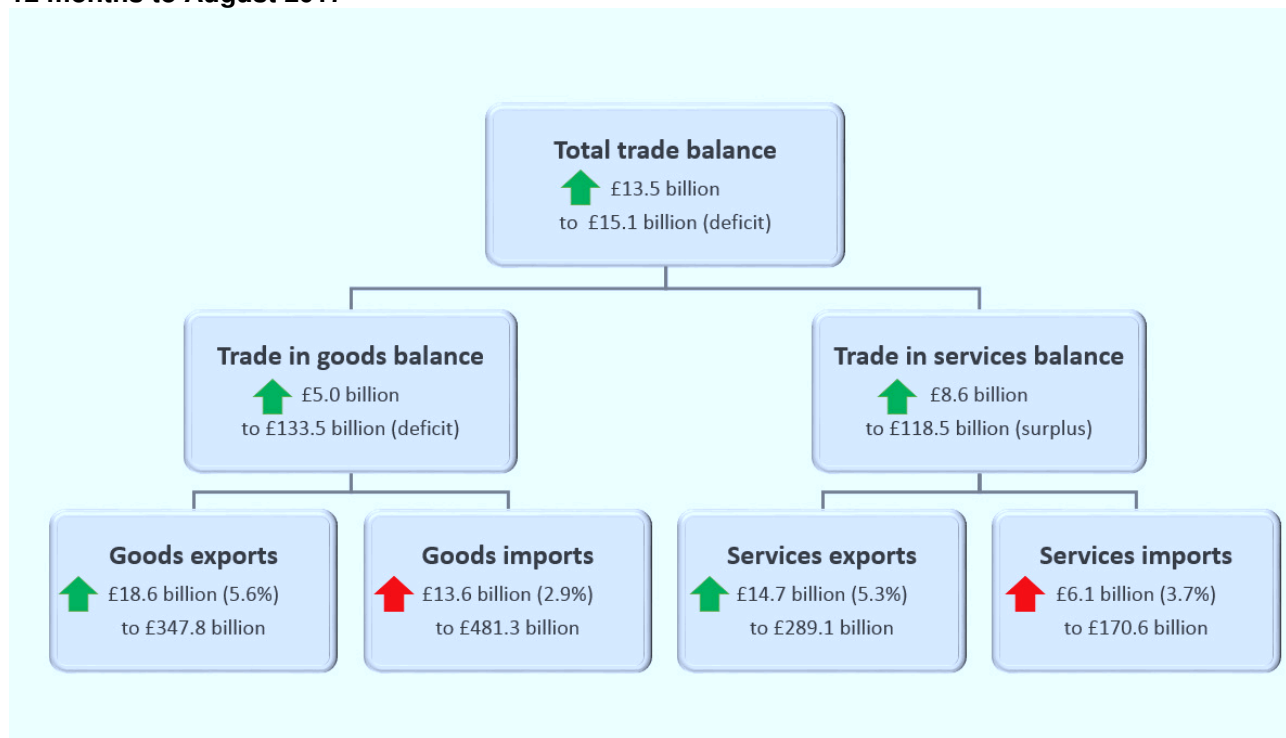
## 7 . The trade deficit narrowed in the 12 months to August 2018

Figure 8 shows the changes to goods, services and total trade balances along with exports and imports in the 12 months to August 2018, compared with the 12 months to August 2017.

The total UK trade deficit (goods and services) narrowed £13.5 billion in the 12 months to August 2018. The goods deficit narrowed £5.0 billion, while the trade in services surplus widened £8.6 billion.

Rising exports were the main reason for the narrowing of the deficit in the 12 months to August 2018; exports of services increased £14.7 billion (5.3%) and goods exports rose £18.6 billion (5.6%), while imports increased £6.1 billion (3.7%) and £13.6 billion (2.9%) for services and goods respectively.

**Figure 8: Change in UK trade balances, exports and imports, 12 months to August 2018 compared with 12 months to August 2017**



Source: Office for National Statistics

**Notes:**

1. The arrow direction indicates whether a component has increased or decreased, while the colour denotes the impact the direction of a movement has on the trade balance.
2. For example, an increase in imports is denoted by an upward red arrow, as a rise in imports has a negative impact on the trade balance, while an increase in exports is denoted by an upward green arrow, as a rise in exports has a positive impact on the trade balance.

## 8 . UK trade with the EU contributed most to the narrowing of the trade in goods deficit in the 12 months to August 2018

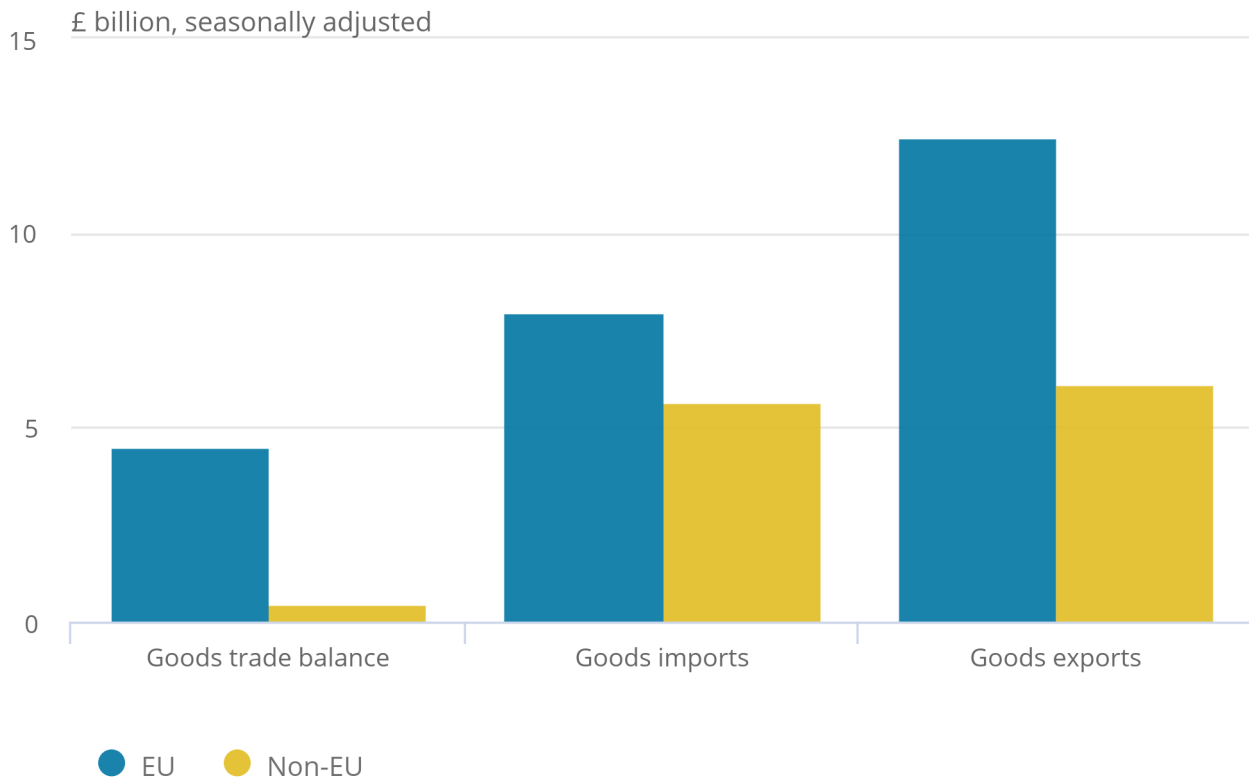
Figure 9 shows the changes in the UK goods exports, imports and trade balances with EU and non-EU countries in the 12 months to August 2018 compared with the 12 months to August 2017.

The UK trade in goods deficit with the EU narrowed £4.5 billion in the 12 months to August 2018 compared with a narrowing of £0.5 billion with countries outside the EU.

In the 12 months to August 2018, we saw an increase in exports of £12.5 billion and imports of £8.0 billion from the EU; this compares with £6.1 billion exports and £5.7 billion imports for trade with countries outside the EU.

**Figure 9: Changes in the UK goods exports, imports and trade balance with EU and non-EU countries, 12 months to August 2018 compared with 12 months to August 2017**

Figure 9: Changes in the UK goods exports, imports and trade balance with EU and non-EU countries, 12 months to August 2018 compared with 12 months to August 2017



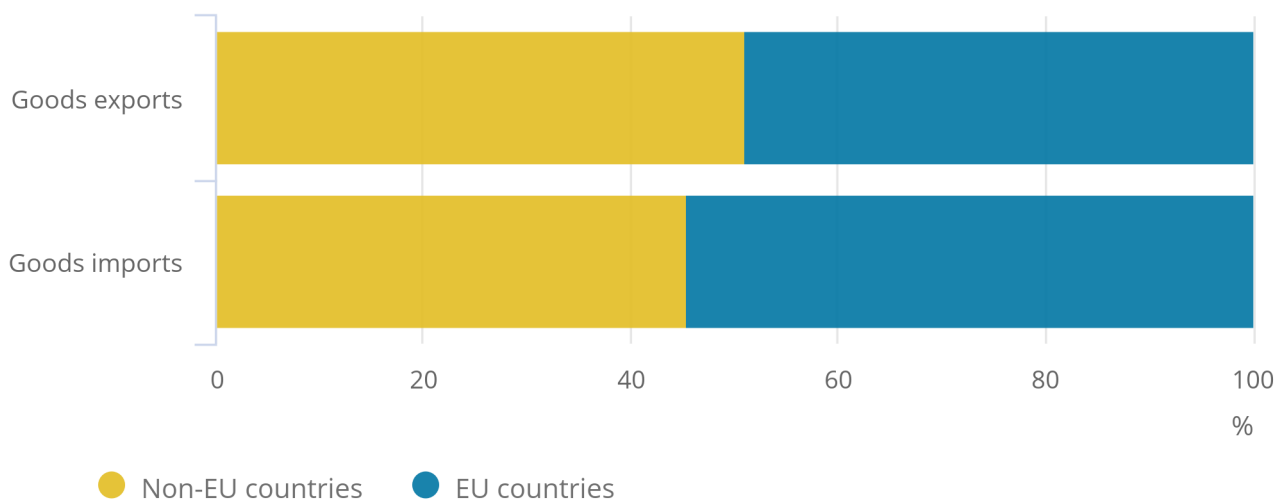
**Source: Office for National Statistics**

Figure 10 shows the percentage split of goods exports and imports by countries inside and outside the EU in the 12 months to August 2018.

In the 12 months to August 2018, 55% of our goods were imported from the EU, while we exported 51% of our goods to countries outside the EU.

**Figure 10: UK trade in goods exports and imports percentage split by EU and non-EU countries, 12 months to August 2018**

Figure 10: UK trade in goods exports and imports percentage split by EU and non-EU countries, 12 months to August 2018



Source: Office for National Statistics

## 9 . Explore UK trade in goods country-by-commodity data via our interactive tools

For more information about our methods and how we compile these statistics, please see [Trade in goods, country-by-commodity experimental data: 2011 to 2016](#). Users should note that the data published alongside this release are no longer experimental.

What goods does the UK trade with the rest of the world? Our data breaks down UK trade in goods with 234 countries by 125 commodities.

Use our map to get a better understanding of UK trade in goods with a particular country. Select a country by hovering over it or using the drop-down menu.

What about trade in a particular commodity? What percentage of UK car exports goes to the EU? Where does the UK's imported tea and coffee come from?

Use our interactive tools to understand UK trade of a particular commodity.

Select a commodity from the drop-down menu, or click through the levels to explore the data.

# UK trade in goods by commodity with the rest of the world, imports and exports, 2012 to 2017

## UK exports, 2017

## 10 . Links to related statistics

Published on 24 September 2018, the article [Why has the UK trade in goods deficit widened in real terms?](#) uses our new country-by-commodity data to look at the UK trade in goods deficit over the past 20 years. It highlights which countries and commodities have been behind the growth of the deficit.

Published in July 2018, [UK trade in goods and productivity: new findings](#) describes a new dataset we have developed, which includes information from both the Annual Business Survey and HM Revenue and Customs' trade in goods administrative data. It shows a strong association between trader status and productivity, highlighting the prevalence of trading behaviour across different types of business (published 6 July 2018).

Supplementary quarterly data analysed by product according to the [UK trade in goods by classification of product by activity \(CPA 2008\)](#) are also available.

The complete run of data in the tables of this statistical bulletin are also available to view and download in other electronic formats free of charge using our [time series data](#) website service. You can download the complete statistical bulletin in a choice of formats, or view and download your own selection of individual series.

Goods data are now available by commodity and partner country in this release, which are consistent with the national accounts on a balance of payments basis. Background information on these data are available via the [Trade in goods, country-by-commodity experimental data: 2011 to 2016](#) we published in April 2016.

We now publish the [proportion of sales that are exports in the manufacturing industries](#) as an Excel dataset to accompany the Index of Production release. The proportion of export sales have been published for industries collected by the Monthly Business Survey where the value of exports are reported as well as the total turnover. These are non-seasonally adjusted series.

On 28 October 2016, we published an article containing information on trade – [Why has the value of the pound been falling and what could this mean for people in the UK?](#)

On 5 September 2016, we published a short story on the [UK trade and investment relationship with the USA](#). This is part of a series that began in June 2015; previous topics cover [South America](#), [China](#) and [Africa](#).

Additional [statistical data and analyses for UK trade statistics](#) that have not been included in our standard publications are also available.

## 11 . Quality and methodology

Trade is measured through both exports and imports of goods and/or services. Data are supplied by over 30 sources including several administrative sources, HM Revenue and Customs (HMRC) being the largest.

This monthly release contains tables showing the total value of trade in goods together with chained volume measures (CVMs) and implied deflators (IDEFs). Figures are analysed by broad commodity group (CVMs and IDEFs) and according to geographical area (values only). In addition, the UK trade statistical bulletin also includes early monthly estimates of the value of trade in services.

Further qualitative data and information can be found in the attached datasets. This includes data on:

- [response rates](#)
- [revision triangles](#)

Detailed methodological notes are published in the [UK Balance of Payments, The Pink Book 2018](#).

The [UK trade methodology web pages](#) have been developed to provide detailed information about the methods used to produce UK trade statistics.

The [UK trade Quality and Methodology Information report](#) contains important information on:

- the strengths and limitations of the data and how it compares with related data
- uses and users of the data
- how the output was created
- the quality of the output including the accuracy of the data



# Office for National Statistics

- [1 UK Trade - Current Prices \(CP\)](#)
  - [2 Trade in Goods by area - Current Prices \(CP\)](#)
  - [3 Trade in Goods Commodities, Whole World - Current Prices \(CP\)](#)
  - [4 Trade in Goods Commodities, EU - Current Prices \(CP\)](#)
  - [5 Trade in Goods Commodities, Non-EU - Current Prices \(CP\)](#)
  - [6 Trade excluding erratics - Current Prices \(CP\)](#)
  - [7 Trade excluding oil - Current Prices \(CP\)](#)
  - [8 Trade excluding oil and erratics - Current Prices \(CP\)](#)
  - [9 UK Trade - Chained Volume Measures \(CVM\)](#)
  - [10 Trade in Goods by area - Chained Volume Measures \(CVM\)](#)
  - [11 Trade in Goods Commodities, Whole World - Chained Volume Measures \(CVM\)](#)
  - [12 Trade in Goods Commodities, EU - Chained Volume Measures \(CVM\)](#)
  - [13 Trade in Goods Commodities, Non-EU - Chained Volume Measures \(CVM\)](#)
  - [14 UK Trade - Implied Deflators \(IDEFs\)](#)
  - [15 Trade in Goods, Commodities WW - Implied Deflators \(IDEFs\)](#)
  - [16 Trade in Goods, Commodities EU - Implied Deflators \(IDEFs\)](#)
  - [17 Trade in Goods, Commodities Non-EU - Implied Deflators \(IDEFs\)](#)
  - [18 UK Trade in Oil](#)
  - [19 Top 50 Countries](#)
  - [20 Top 30 Commodities](#)
  - [21 Exchange Rates](#)
  - [22 Summary of revisions](#)
- [Contact ONS](#)



OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 1 UK TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES AT CURRENT MARKET PRICES (CP)

### Balance of Payments basis

£ million, Seasonally Adjusted

	Trade in goods			Trade in services			Total trade		
	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance
	BOKG	BOKH	BOKI	IKBB	IKBC	IKBD	IKBH	IKBI	IKBJ
<b>Annual</b>									
2015	286 752	404 562	-117 810	232 858	142 032	90 826	519 610	546 594	-26 984
2016	299 073	431 725	-132 652	257 888	156 123	101 765	556 961	587 848	-30 887
2017	338 739	475 774	-137 035	279 024	164 729	114 295	617 763	640 503	-22 740
<b>Quarterly</b>									
2017 Q1	83 084	117 172	-34 088	67 623	40 757	26 866	150 707	157 929	-7 222
Q2	84 249	118 505	-34 256	67 897	40 669	27 228	152 146	159 174	-7 028
Q3	86 032	119 844	-33 812	70 304	41 444	28 860	156 336	161 288	-4 952
Q4	85 374	120 253	-34 879	73 200	41 859	31 341	158 574	162 112	-3 538
2018 Q1	86 160	118 208	-32 048	71 598	42 822	28 776	157 758	161 030	-3 272
Q2	85 884	120 615	-34 731	71 658	43 033	28 625	157 542	163 648	-6 106
<b>Monthly</b>									
2018 Jan	29 467	40 478	-11 011	24 104	14 192	9 912	53 571	54 670	-1 099
2018 Feb	28 187	37 494	-9 307	23 810	14 298	9 512	51 997	51 792	205
2018 Mar	28 506	40 236	-11 730	23 684	14 332	9 352	52 190	54 568	-2 378
2018 Apr	27 667	39 813	-12 146	23 722	14 324	9 398	51 389	54 137	-2 748
2018 May	28 593	40 499	-11 906	23 868	14 328	9 540	52 461	54 827	-2 366
2018 Jun	29 624	40 303	-10 679	24 068	14 381	9 687	53 692	54 684	- 992
2018 Jul	30 166	40 553	-10 387	24 283	14 468	9 815	54 449	55 021	- 572
2018 Aug	30 595	41 790	-11 195	24 480	14 559	9 921	55 075	56 349	-1 274
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>									
2018 Jun	1 031	- 196	1 227	200	53	147	1 231	- 143	1 374
2018 Jul	542	250	292	215	87	128	757	337	420
2018 Aug	429	1 237	- 808	197	91	106	626	1 328	- 702
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>									
2018 Jun	3.6%	-0.5%	0.8%	0.8%	0.4%		2.3%	-0.3%	
2018 Jul	1.8%	0.6%	0.9%	0.9%	0.6%		1.4%	0.6%	
2018 Aug	1.4%	3.1%	0.8%	0.8%	0.6%		1.1%	2.4%	
<b>3 months ended:</b>									
2017 Nov	86 867	120 555	-33 688	72 631	41 664	30 967	159 498	162 219	-2 721
2018 Feb	85 745	117 549	-31 804	72 322	42 541	29 781	158 067	160 090	-2 023
2018 May	84 766	120 548	-35 782	71 274	42 984	28 290	156 040	163 532	-7 492
2018 Aug	90 385	122 646	-32 261	72 831	43 408	29 423	163 216	166 054	-2 838
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>									
2018 Feb	-1 122	-3 006	1 884	- 309	877	-1 186	-1 431	-2 129	698
2018 May	- 979	2 999	-3 978	-1 048	443	-1 491	-2 027	3 442	-5 469
2018 Aug	5 619	2 098	3 521	1 557	424	1 133	7 176	2 522	4 654
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>									
2018 Feb	-1.3%	-2.5%	-0.4%	-0.4%	2.1%		-0.9%	-1.3%	
2018 May	-1.1%	2.6%	-1.4%	-1.4%	1.0%		-1.3%	2.2%	
2018 Aug	6.6%	1.7%	2.2%	2.2%	1.0%		4.6%	1.5%	
<b>12 months ended:</b>									
2015 Aug	290 776	413 679	-122 903	231 011	138 399	92 612	521 787	552 078	-30 291
2016 Aug	288 329	412 540	-124 211	244 418	149 028	95 390	532 747	561 568	-28 821
2017 Aug	329 174	467 683	-138 509	274 397	164 496	109 901	603 571	632 179	-28 608
2018 Aug	347 763	481 298	-133 535	289 058	170 597	118 461	636 821	651 895	-15 074
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>									
2016 Aug	-2 447	-1 139	-1 308	13 407	10 629	2 778	10 960	9 490	1 470
2017 Aug	40 845	55 143	-14 298	29 979	15 468	14 511	70 824	70 611	213
2018 Aug	18 589	13 615	4 974	14 661	6 101	8 560	33 250	19 716	13 534
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>									
2016 Aug	-0.8%	-0.3%	5.8%	5.8%	7.7%		2.1%	1.7%	
2017 Aug	14.2%	13.4%	12.3%	12.3%	10.4%		13.3%	12.6%	
2018 Aug	5.6%	2.9%	5.3%	5.3%	3.7%		5.5%	3.1%	

† Earliest date for revisions to both trade in goods and trade in services is January 2017.

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 2 UK TRADE IN GOODS EU AND NON-EU AT CURRENT MARKET PRICES (CP)

### Balance of Payments basis

£ million, Seasonally Adjusted

	Trade in goods			Total EU (28) <sup>1</sup>			Non-EU <sup>2</sup>			EMU member <sup>3</sup>		
	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance
	BOKG	BOKH	BOKI	L87S	L87U	L87Q	L87M	L87O	L87K	N3C5	N3C6	N3C4
<b>Annual</b>												
2015	286 752	404 562	-117 810	133 664	220 522	-86 858	153 088	184 040	-30 952	118 679	192 617	-73 938
2016	299 073	431 725	-132 652	142 705	237 067	-94 362	156 368	194 658	-38 290	126 393	207 413	-81 020
2017	338 739	475 774	-137 035	164 081	258 807	-94 726	174 658	216 967	-42 309	146 250	225 801	-79 551
<b>Quarterly</b>												
2017 Q1	83 084	117 172	-34 088	40 006	64 009	-24 003	43 078	53 163	-10 085	35 697	55 780	-20 083
Q2	84 249	118 505	-34 256	40 127	63 798	-23 671	44 122	54 707	-10 585	35 933	55 684	-19 751
Q3	86 032	119 844	-33 812	42 186	65 615	-23 429	43 846	54 229	-10 383	37 505	56 924	-19 419
Q4	85 374	120 253	-34 879	41 762	65 385	-23 623	43 612	54 868	-11 256	37 115	57 413	-20 298
2018 Q1	86 160	118 208	-32 048	42 532	65 400	-22 868	43 628	52 808	-9 180	38 043	56 979	-18 936
Q2	85 884	120 615	-34 731	42 277	66 640	-24 363	43 607	53 975	-10 368	37 510	56 882	-19 372
<b>Monthly</b>												
2018 Jan	29 467	40 478	-11 011	14 542	21 991	-7 449	14 925	18 487	-3 562	12 986	19 301	-6 315
2018 Feb	28 187	37 494	-9 307	13 942	21 422	-7 480	14 245	16 072	-1 827	12 553	18 752	-6 199
2018 Mar	28 506	40 236	-11 730	14 048	21 987	-7 939	14 458	18 249	-3 791	12 504	18 926	-6 422
2018 Apr	27 667	39 813	-12 146	13 947	21 838	-7 891	13 720	17 975	-4 255	12 313	18 868	-6 555
2018 May	28 593	40 499	-11 906	14 003	22 652	-8 649	14 590	17 847	-3 257	12 477	19 154	-6 677
2018 Jun	29 624	40 303	-10 679	14 327	22 150	-7 823	15 297	18 153	-2 856	12 720	18 860	-6 140
2018 Jul	30 166	40 553	-10 387	14 648	21 893	-7 245	15 518	18 660	-3 142	13 256	18 890	-5 634
2018 Aug	30 595	41 790	-11 195	14 814	21 790	-6 976	15 781	20 000	-4 219	13 466	18 807	-5 341
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>												
2018 Jun	1 031	-196	1 227	324	-502	826	707	306	401	243	-294	537
2018 Jul	542	250	292	321	-257	578	221	507	-286	536	30	506
2018 Aug	429	1 237	-808	166	-103	269	263	1 340	-1 077	210	-83	293
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>												
2018 Jun	3.6%	-0.5%		2.3%	-2.2%		4.8%	1.7%		1.9%	-1.5%	
2018 Jul	1.8%	0.6%		2.2%	-1.2%		1.4%	2.8%		4.2%	0.2%	
2018 Aug	1.4%	3.1%		1.1%	-0.5%		1.7%	7.2%		1.6%	-0.4%	
<b>3 months ended:</b>												
2017 Nov	86 867	120 555	-33 688	42 131	65 245	-23 114	44 736	55 310	-10 574	37 580	56 807	-19 227
2018 Feb	85 745	117 549	-31 804	42 508	65 314	-22 806	43 237	52 235	-8 998	37 913	57 520	-19 607
2018 May	84 766	120 548	-35 782	41 998	66 477	-24 479	42 768	54 071	-11 303	37 294	56 948	-19 654
2018 Aug	90 385	122 646	-32 261	43 789	65 833	-22 044	46 596	56 813	-10 217	39 442	56 557	-17 115
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>												
2018 Feb	-1 122	-3 006	1 884	377	69	308	-1 499	-3 075	1 576	333	713	-380
2018 May	-979	2 999	-3 978	-510	1 163	-1 673	-469	1 836	-2 305	-619	-572	-47
2018 Aug	5 619	2 098	3 521	1 791	-644	2 435	3 828	2 742	1 086	2 148	-391	2 539
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>												
2018 Feb	-1.3%	-2.5%		0.9%	0.1%		-3.4%	-5.6%		0.9%	1.3%	
2018 May	-1.1%	2.6%		-1.2%	1.8%		-1.1%	3.5%		-1.6%	-1.0%	
2018 Aug	6.6%	1.7%		4.3%	-1.0%		9.0%	5.1%		5.8%	-0.7%	
<b>12 months ended:</b>												
2015 Aug	290 776	413 679	-122 903	137 659	222 343	-84 684	153 117	191 336	-38 219	121 897	193 730	-71 833
2016 Aug	288 329	412 540	-124 211	136 560	227 279	-90 719	151 769	185 261	-33 492	120 898	198 821	-77 923
2017 Aug	329 174	467 683	-138 509	157 959	254 910	-96 951	171 215	212 773	-41 558	140 928	222 284	-81 356
2018 Aug	347 763	481 298	-133 535	170 426	262 869	-92 443	177 337	218 429	-41 092	152 229	227 832	-75 603
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>												
2016 Aug	-2 447	-1 139	-1 308	-1 099	4 936	-6 035	-1 348	-6 075	4 727	-999	5 091	-6 090
2017 Aug	40 845	55 143	-14 298	21 399	27 631	-6 232	19 446	27 512	-8 066	20 030	23 463	-3 433
2018 Aug	18 589	13 615	4 974	12 467	7 959	4 508	6 122	5 656	466	11 301	5 548	5 753
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>												
2016 Aug	-0.8%	-0.3%		-0.8%	2.2%		-0.9%	-3.2%		-0.8%	2.6%	
2017 Aug	14.2%	13.4%		15.7%	12.2%		12.8%	14.9%		16.6%	11.8%	
2018 Aug	5.6%	2.9%		7.9%	3.1%		3.6%	2.7%		8.0%	2.5%	

<sup>1</sup> Total EU - Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Republic of Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain and Sweden.

† Earliest date for revisions to trade in goods is July 2018.

<sup>2</sup> Total less EU (28)

<sup>3</sup> EMU Members- Austria, Belgium, Cyprus, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland,

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

### 3 UK TRADE IN GOODS COMMODITIES TRADED WITH THE WHOLE WORLD AT CURRENT MARKET PRICES (CP)

#### Balance of Payments basis

£ million, Seasonally Adjusted

	SITC 5 Chemicals			SITC 6 Material manufactures			SITC 7 Machinery & transport equipment			SITC 8 Miscellaneous manufactures			SITC 9 Unspecified goods		
	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance
	ENDG	ENGA	ENIX	BQQB	EHAH	EHP	BQQI	EHAO	EHBW	BQQO	EHAU	EHCC	BOQL	BQAW	BQKX
<b>Annual</b>															
2014	48 899	52 150	-3 251	29 312	44 507	-15 195	109 689	146 683	-36 994	37 957	61 926	-23 969	5 091	4 796	295
2015	52 726	51 603	1 123	27 679	42 919	-15 240	110 017	151 767	-41 750	41 813	66 186	-24 373	6 062	4 153	1 909
2016	53 709	54 105	-396	26 990	45 776	-18 786	122 513	169 087	-46 574	42 953	69 847	-26 894	4 974	4 835	139
2017	58 319	60 100	-1 781	31 339	52 205	-20 866	137 519	180 884	-43 365	47 205	74 110	-26 905	3 545	4 544	-999
<b>Quarterly</b>															
2017 Q1	14 615	14 789	-174	7 514	12 444	-4 930	33 886	45 350	-11 464	11 422	17 908	-6 486	790	380	410
Q2	15 076	15 243	-167	7 618	13 179	-5 561	33 427	45 037	-11 610	11 930	18 843	-6 913	1 135	1 542	-407
Q3	14 262	15 162	-900	7 890	13 447	-5 557	35 072	45 430	-10 358	12 263	18 675	-6 412	935	1 279	-344
Q4	14 366	14 906	-540	8 317	13 135	-4 818	35 134	45 067	-9 933	11 590	18 684	-7 094	685	1 343	-658
2018 Q1	14 656	14 502	154	8 194	13 210	-5 016	35 332	43 827	-8 495	12 040	18 171	-6 131	383	1 105	-722
Q2	14 375	14 256	119	8 142	13 550	-5 408	34 159	44 365	-10 206	11 833	18 064	-6 231	682	2 122	-1 440
<b>Monthly</b>															
2018 Jan	5 189	5 002	187	2 718	4 481	-1 763	11 933	15 393	-3 460	3 994	6 227	-2 233	210	135	75
2018 Feb	4 696	4 884	-188	2 698	4 101	-1 403	11 740	13 822	-2 082	3 988	5 896	-1 908	89	192	-103
2018 Mar	4 771	4 616	155	2 778	4 628	-1 850	11 659	14 612	-2 953	4 058	6 048	-1 990	84	778	-694
2018 Apr	4 594	4 674	-80	2 771	4 308	-1 537	10 857	14 401	-3 544	3 834	5 905	-2 071	72	1 450	-1 378
2018 May	4 776	4 811	-35	2 651	4 608	-1 957	11 418	14 693	-3 275	3 940	6 074	-2 134	139	570	-431
2018 June	5 005	4 771	234	2 720	4 634	-1 914	11 884	15 271	-3 387	4 059	6 085	-2 026	471	102	369
2018 Jul	4 849	4 773	76	2 766	4 556	-1 790	11 708	14 899	-3 191	3 901	6 216	-2 315	721	156	565
2018 Aug	4 686	5 138	-452	2 729	4 733	-2 004	11 992	15 218	-3 226	4 131	6 181	-2 050	660	132	528
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 June	229	-40	269	69	26	43	466	578	-112	119	11	108	332	-468	800
2018 Jul	-156	2	-158	46	-78	124	-176	-372	196	-158	131	-289	250	54	196
2018 Aug	-163	365	-528	-37	177	-214	284	319	-35	230	-35	265	-61	-24	-37
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 June	4.8%	-0.8%		2.6%	0.6%		4.1%	3.9%		3.0%	0.2%		238.8%	-82.1%	
2018 Jul	-3.1%	0.0%		1.7%	-1.7%		-1.5%	-2.4%		-3.9%	2.2%		53.1%	52.9%	
2018 Aug	-3.4%	7.6%		-1.3%	3.9%		2.4%	2.1%		5.9%	-0.6%		-8.5%	-15.4%	
<b>3 months ended:</b>															
2017 Nov	14 049	15 162	-1 113	8 194	13 231	-5 037	35 360	45 748	-10 388	12 208	18 758	-6 550	1 305	1 085	220
2018 Feb	14 909	14 829	80	8 214	13 077	-4 863	35 098	43 521	-8 423	11 746	18 218	-6 472	456	705	-249
2018 May	14 141	14 101	40	8 200	13 544	-5 344	33 934	43 706	-9 772	11 832	18 027	-6 195	295	2 798	-2 503
2018 Aug	14 540	14 682	-142	8 215	13 923	-5 708	35 584	45 388	-9 804	12 091	18 482	-6 391	1 852	390	1 462
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	860	-333	1 193	20	-154	174	-262	-2 227	1 965	-462	-540	78	-849	-380	-469
2018 May	-768	-728	-40	-14	467	-481	-1 164	185	-1 349	86	-191	277	-161	2 093	-2 254
2018 Aug	399	581	-182	15	379	-364	1 650	1 682	-32	259	455	-196	1 557	-2 408	3 965
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	6.1%	-2.2%		0.2%	-1.2%		-0.7%	-4.9%		-3.8%	-2.9%		-65.1%	-35.0%	
2018 May	-5.2%	-4.9%		-0.2%	3.6%		-3.3%	0.4%		0.7%	-1.0%		-35.3%	296.9%	
2018 Aug	2.8%	4.1%		0.2%	2.8%		4.9%	3.8%		2.2%	2.5%		527.8%	-86.1%	
<b>12 months ended:</b>															
2015 Aug	52 095	51 879	216	29 348	43 893	-14 545	110 452	150 348	-39 896	41 032	65 523	-24 491	5 319	7 318	-1 999
2016 Aug	52 270	52 576	-306	26 139	42 832	-16 693	116 226	161 409	-45 183	42 369	68 044	-25 675	5 452	4 469	983
2017 Aug	57 831	58 859	-1 028	29 900	51 188	-21 288	133 557	179 761	-46 204	45 888	73 249	-27 361	4 512	3 847	665
2018 Aug	57 639	58 774	-1 135	32 823	53 775	-20 952	139 976	178 363	-38 387	47 877	73 485	-25 608	3 908	4 978	-1 070
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	175	697	-522	-3 209	-1 061	-2 148	5 774	11 061	-5 287	1 337	2 521	-1 184	133	-2 849	2 982
2017 Aug	5 561	6 283	-722	3 761	8 356	-4 595	17 331	18 352	-1 021	3 519	5 205	-1 686	-940	-622	-318
2018 Aug	-192	-85	-107	2 923	2 587	336	6 419	-1 398	7 817	1 989	236	1 753	-604	1 131	-1 735
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	0.3%	1.3%		-10.9%	-2.4%		5.2%	7.4%		3.3%	3.8%		2.5%	-38.9%	
2017 Aug	10.6%	12.0%		14.4%	19.5%		14.9%	11.4%		8.3%	7.6%		-17.2%	-13.9%	
2018 Aug	-0.3%	-0.1%		9.8%	5.1%		4.8%	-0.8%		4.3%	0.3%		-13.4%	29.4%	

† Earliest date for revisions to trade in goods is July 2018.

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 4 UK TRADE IN GOODS COMMODITIES TRADED WITH EU<sup>1</sup> COUNTRIES AT CURRENT MARKET PRICES (CP)

### Balance of Payments basis

£ million, Seasonally Adjusted

	SITC 0 Food & live animals			SITC 1 Beverages & tobacco			SITC 2 Crude materials			SITC 3 Fuels			SITC 4 Animal & vegetable oils & fats		
	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance
	SHEM	SHEZ	CTUZ	SHGM	SHGZ	CTVA	SHIN	SHJB	CTVB	SDFT	SDJZ	SDFP	SIFU	SIGH	CTVC
<b>Annual</b>															
2015	8 607	22 934	-14 327	2 586	5 239	-2 653	2 106	4 505	-2 399	16 501	8 893	7 608	323	715	-392
2016	9 393	24 936	-15 543	2 730	5 521	-2 791	2 052	4 811	-2 759	13 737	8 862	4 875	319	790	-471
2017	10 459	27 296	-16 837	2 856	5 668	-2 812	2 540	5 592	-3 052	18 435	9 994	8 441	435	1 014	-579
<b>Quarterly</b>															
2017 Q1	2 505	6 768	-4 263	688	1 392	-704	630	1 404	-774	4 301	2 464	1 837	90	235	-145
Q2	2 564	6 812	-4 248	658	1 409	-751	643	1 347	-704	4 446	2 131	2 315	108	248	-140
Q3	2 709	6 851	-4 142	800	1 447	-647	649	1 444	-795	4 799	2 566	2 233	115	284	-169
Q4	2 681	6 865	-4 184	710	1 420	-710	618	1 397	-779	4 889	2 833	2 056	122	247	-125
2018 Q1	2 715	6 864	-4 149	697	1 404	-707	656	1 338	-682	5 355	3 325	2 030	110	257	-147
Q2	2 789	6 974	-4 185	736	1 426	-690	682	1 432	-750	5 402	3 227	2 175	120	230	-110
<b>Monthly</b>															
2018 Jan	894	2 262	-1 368	234	467	-233	212	455	-243	1 985	1 047	938	38	81	-43
2018 Feb	911	2 267	-1 356	225	467	-242	240	435	-195	1 611	1 038	573	29	101	-72
2018 Mar	910	2 335	-1 425	238	470	-232	204	448	-244	1 759	1 240	519	43	75	-32
2018 Apr	933	2 268	-1 335	240	479	-239	230	452	-222	1 808	893	915	33	70	-37
2018 May	929	2 356	-1 427	243	474	-231	221	496	-275	1 649	1 400	249	45	86	-41
2018 Jun	927	2 350	-1 423	253	473	-220	231	484	-253	1 945	934	1 011	42	74	-32
2018 Jul	926	2 377	-1 451	245	494	-249	250	513	-263	2 292	944	1 348	49	79	-30
2018 Aug	949	2 382	-1 433	257	532	-275	229	503	-274	2 104	1 030	1 074	40	85	-45
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 Jun	-2	-6	4	10	-1	11	10	-12	22	296	-466	762	-3	-12	9
2018 Jul	-1	27	-28	-8	21	-29	19	29	-10	347	10	337	7	5	2
2018 Aug	23	5	18	12	38	-26	-21	-10	-11	-188	86	-274	-9	6	-15
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 Jun	-0.2%	-0.3%	4.1%	-0.2%			4.5%	-2.4%		18.0%	-33.3%		-6.7%	-14.0%	
2018 Jul	-0.1%	1.1%	-3.2%	4.4%			8.2%	6.0%		17.8%	1.1%		16.7%	6.8%	
2018 Aug	2.5%	0.2%	4.9%	7.7%			-8.4%	-1.9%		-8.2%	9.1%		-18.4%	7.6%	
<b>3 months ended:</b>															
2017 Nov	2 685	6 874	-4 189	716	1 443	-727	627	1 401	-774	5 012	2 644	2 368	116	245	-129
2018 Feb	2 705	6 812	-4 107	691	1 387	-696	653	1 379	-726	5 261	3 125	2 136	107	258	-151
2018 May	2 772	6 959	-4 187	721	1 423	-702	655	1 396	-741	5 216	3 533	1 683	121	231	-110
2018 Aug	2 802	7 109	-4 307	755	1 499	-744	710	1 500	-790	6 341	2 908	3 433	131	238	-107
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	20	-62	82	-25	-56	31	26	-22	48	249	481	-232	-9	13	-22
2018 May	67	147	-80	30	36	-6	2	17	-15	-45	408	-453	14	-27	41
2018 Aug	30	150	-120	34	76	-42	55	104	-49	1 125	-625	1 750	10	7	3
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	0.7%	-0.9%	-3.5%	-3.9%			4.1%	-1.6%		5.0%	18.2%		-7.8%	5.3%	
2018 May	2.5%	2.2%	4.3%	2.6%			0.3%	1.2%		-0.9%	13.1%		13.1%	-10.5%	
2018 Aug	1.1%	2.2%	4.7%	5.3%			8.4%	7.4%		21.6%	-17.7%		8.3%	3.0%	
<b>12 months ended:</b>															
2015 Aug	8 661	22 966	-14 305	2 634	5 323	-2 689	2 254	4 650	-2 396	20 165	10 351	9 814	342	715	-373
2016 Aug	9 012	23 713	-14 701	2 658	5 368	-2 710	1 996	4 537	-2 541	13 351	8 011	5 340	315	782	-467
2017 Aug	10 114	27 021	-16 907	2 824	5 664	-2 840	2 431	5 415	-2 984	16 762	9 787	6 975	389	952	-563
2018 Aug	10 964	27 754	-16 790	2 883	5 752	-2 869	2 645	5 676	-3 031	21 830	12 210	9 620	475	972	-497
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	351	747	-396	24	45	-21	-258	-113	-145	-6 814	-2 340	-4 474	-27	67	-94
2017 Aug	1 102	3 308	-2 206	166	296	-130	435	878	-443	3 411	1 776	1 635	74	170	-96
2018 Aug	850	733	117	59	88	-29	214	261	-47	5 068	2 423	2 645	86	20	66
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	4.1%	3.3%	0.9%	0.8%			-11.4%	-2.4%		-33.8%	-22.6%		-7.9%	9.4%	
2017 Aug	12.2%	14.0%	6.2%	5.5%			21.8%	19.4%		25.5%	22.2%		23.5%	21.7%	
2018 Aug	8.4%	2.7%	2.1%	1.6%			8.8%	4.8%		30.2%	24.8%		22.1%	2.1%	

<sup>1</sup> Total EU- Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Republic of Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain and Sweden.

† Earliest date for revisions to trade in goods is July 2018.

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 4 UK TRADE IN GOODS COMMODITIES TRADED WITH EU<sup>1</sup> COUNTRIES AT CURRENT MARKET PRICES (CP)

### Balance of Payments basis

£ million, Seasonally Adjusted

	SITC 5 Chemicals			SITC 6 Material manufactures			SITC 7 Machinery & transport equipment			SITC 8 Miscellaneous manufactures			SITC 9 Unspecified goods		
	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance
	SEKR	SEMC	CTVD	SMIQ	SMJD	CTVE	SMLW	SMMJ	CTVF	SMUJ	SMUW	CTVG	SGPB	SGQM	SGOO
<b>Annual</b>															
2015	25 433	38 031	-12 598	14 119	24 169	-10 050	45 751	90 571	-44 820	18 081	25 092	-7 011	157	373	-216
2016	28 280	39 897	-11 617	14 559	25 842	-11 283	51 475	98 210	-46 735	19 995	27 806	-7 811	165	392	-227
2017	31 449	45 044	-13 595	17 417	29 081	-11 664	57 861	103 446	-45 585	22 117	30 936	-8 819	512	736	-224
<b>Quarterly</b>															
2017 Q1	7 729	11 016	-3 287	4 241	7 064	-2 823	14 318	26 129	-11 811	5 459	7 447	-1 988	45	90	-45
Q2	8 125	11 395	-3 270	4 232	7 168	-2 936	13 829	25 238	-11 409	5 464	7 900	-2 436	58	150	-92
Q3	7 845	11 405	-3 560	4 371	7 487	-3 116	14 936	26 224	-11 288	5 661	7 782	-2 121	301	125	176
Q4	7 750	11 228	-3 478	4 573	7 362	-2 789	14 778	25 855	-11 077	5 533	7 807	-2 274	108	371	-263
2018 Q1	7 854	10 533	-2 679	4 423	7 492	-3 069	14 985	26 105	-11 120	5 705	7 897	-2 192	32	185	-153
Q2	7 522	10 724	-3 202	4 532	7 967	-3 435	14 683	26 462	-11 779	5 760	7 988	-2 228	51	210	-159
<b>Monthly</b>															
2018 Jan	2 774	3 646	-872	1 460	2 466	-1 006	5 003	8 908	-3 905	1 933	2 613	-680	9	46	-37
2018 Feb	2 611	3 574	-963	1 463	2 435	-972	4 946	8 388	-3 442	1 895	2 614	-719	11	103	-92
2018 Mar	2 469	3 313	-844	1 500	2 591	-1 091	5 036	8 809	-3 773	1 877	2 670	-793	12	36	-24
2018 Apr	2 518	3 527	-1 009	1 498	2 615	-1 117	4 827	8 803	-3 976	1 852	2 611	-759	8	120	-112
2018 May	2 500	3 516	-1 016	1 466	2 705	-1 239	5 030	8 862	-3 832	1 910	2 686	-776	10	71	-61
2018 Jun	2 504	3 681	-1 177	1 568	2 647	-1 079	4 826	8 797	-3 971	1 998	2 691	-693	33	19	14
2018 Jul	2 542	3 611	-1 069	1 530	2 618	-1 088	4 863	8 545	-3 682	1 931	2 678	-747	20	34	-14
2018 Aug	2 535	3 842	-1 307	1 537	2 649	-1 112	5 164	7 981	-2 817	1 983	2 742	-759	16	44	-28
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 Jun	4	165	-161	102	-58	160	-204	-65	-139	88	5	83	23	-52	75
2018 Jul	38	-70	108	-38	-29	-9	37	-252	289	-67	-13	-54	-13	15	-28
2018 Aug	-7	231	-238	7	31	-24	301	-564	865	52	64	-12	-4	10	-14
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 Jun	0.2%	4.7%		7.0%	-2.1%		-4.1%	-0.7%		4.6%	0.2%		230.0%	-73.2%	
2018 Jul	1.5%	-1.9%		-2.4%	-1.1%		0.8%	-2.9%		-3.4%	-0.5%		-39.4%	78.9%	
2018 Aug	-0.3%	6.4%		0.5%	1.2%		6.2%	-6.6%		2.7%	2.4%		-20.0%	29.4%	
<b>3 months ended:</b>															
2017 Nov	7 791	11 345	-3 554	4 511	7 320	-2 809	14 749	25 949	-11 200	5 572	7 757	-2 185	352	267	85
2018 Feb	7 981	10 965	-2 984	4 493	7 465	-2 972	14 908	25 809	-10 901	5 649	7 823	-2 174	60	291	-231
2018 May	7 487	10 356	-2 869	4 464	7 911	-3 447	14 893	26 474	-11 581	5 639	7 967	-2 328	30	227	-197
2018 Aug	7 581	11 134	-3 553	4 635	7 914	-3 279	14 853	25 323	-10 470	5 912	8 111	-2 199	69	97	-28
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	190	-380	570	-18	145	-163	159	-140	299	77	66	11	-292	24	-316
2018 May	-494	-609	115	-29	446	-475	-15	665	-680	-10	144	-154	-30	-64	34
2018 Aug	94	778	-684	171	3	168	-40	-1 151	1 111	273	144	129	39	-130	169
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	2.4%	-3.3%		-0.4%	2.0%		1.1%	-0.5%		1.4%	0.9%		-83.0%	9.0%	
2018 May	-6.2%	-5.6%		-0.6%	6.0%		-0.1%	2.6%		-0.2%	1.8%		-50.0%	-22.0%	
2018 Aug	1.3%	7.5%		3.8%	0.0%		-0.3%	-4.3%		4.8%	1.8%		130.0%	-57.3%	
<b>12 months ended:</b>															
2015 Aug	26 090	38 647	-12 557	14 709	24 836	-10 127	44 795	89 677	-44 882	17 841	24 788	-6 947	168	390	-222
2016 Aug	26 792	38 669	-11 877	13 845	24 524	-10 679	49 286	94 499	-45 213	19 143	26 781	-7 638	162	395	-233
2017 Aug	30 938	43 891	-12 953	16 561	28 436	-11 875	56 082	103 139	-47 057	21 673	30 175	-8 502	185	430	-245
2018 Aug	30 840	43 800	-12 960	18 103	30 610	-12 507	59 403	103 555	-44 152	22 772	31 658	-8 886	511	882	-371
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	702	22	680	-864	-312	-552	4 491	4 822	-331	1 302	1 993	-691	-6	5	-11
2017 Aug	4 146	5 222	-1 076	2 716	3 912	-1 196	6 796	8 640	-1 844	2 530	3 394	-864	23	35	-12
2018 Aug	-98	-91	-7	1 542	2 174	-632	3 321	416	2 905	1 099	1 483	-384	326	452	-126
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	2.7%	0.1%		-5.9%	-1.3%		10.0%	5.4%		7.3%	8.0%		-3.6%	1.3%	
2017 Aug	15.5%	13.5%		19.6%	16.0%		13.8%	9.1%		13.2%	12.7%		14.2%	8.9%	
2018 Aug	-0.3%	-0.2%		9.3%	7.6%		5.9%	0.4%		5.1%	4.9%		176.2%	105.1%	

<sup>1</sup> Total EU- Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Republic of Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain and Sweden.

† Earliest date for revisions to trade in goods is July 2018.

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 5 UK TRADE IN GOODS COMMODITIES TRADED WITH NON-EU<sup>1</sup> COUNTRIES AT CURRENT MARKET PRICES (CP)

### Balance of Payments basis

£ million, Seasonally Adjusted

	SITC 0 Food & live animals			SITC 1 Beverages & tobacco			SITC 2 Crude materials			SITC 3 Fuels			SITC 4 Animal & vegetable oils & fats		
	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance
	SHFM	SHFZ	CTVH	SHHM	SHHZ	CTVI	SHJO	SHKB	CTVJ	SDLA	SDLT	SDKP	SIGU	SIHH	CTVK
<b>Annual</b>															
2015	3 544	9 629	-6 085	4 185	2 307	1 878	3 244	4 143	-899	7 299	29 221	-21 922	60	348	-288
2016	4 048	10 891	-6 843	4 544	2 426	2 118	3 658	4 078	-420	7 363	25 392	-18 029	90	368	-278
2017	4 557	11 631	-7 074	4 930	2 371	2 559	4 885	4 687	198	11 624	35 145	-23 521	91	533	-442
<b>Quarterly</b>															
2017 Q1	1 072	2 888	-1 816	1 186	600	586	1 173	1 274	-101	3 188	9 148	-5 960	24	128	-104
Q2	1 130	2 903	-1 773	1 143	581	562	1 238	1 134	104	3 115	7 956	-4 841	18	140	-122
Q3	1 232	2 922	-1 690	1 358	601	757	1 237	1 132	105	2 681	8 482	-5 801	30	122	-92
Q4	1 123	2 918	-1 795	1 243	589	654	1 237	1 147	90	2 640	9 559	-6 919	19	143	-124
2018 Q1	1 059	2 794	-1 735	1 272	585	687	1 169	1 132	37	2 505	9 574	-7 069	17	120	-103
Q2	1 076	2 796	-1 720	1 299	616	683	1 237	1 176	61	3 331	10 268	-6 937	21	113	-92
<b>Monthly</b>															
2018 Jan	367	962	-595	435	202	233	394	399	-5	860	3 315	-2 455	4	50	-46
2018 Feb	336	900	-564	425	176	249	390	369	21	800	2 811	-2 011	9	35	-26
2018 Mar	356	932	-576	412	207	205	385	364	21	845	3 448	-2 603	4	35	-31
2018 Apr	352	889	-537	440	210	230	406	368	38	1 090	3 410	-2 320	7	36	-29
2018 May	365	974	-609	446	211	235	401	381	20	1 362	3 320	-1 958	8	45	-37
2018 Jun	359	933	-574	413	195	218	430	427	3	879	3 538	-2 659	6	32	-26
2018 Jul	362	985	-623	444	207	237	436	407	29	1 212	3 895	-2 683	5	52	-47
2018 Aug	380	959	-579	448	202	246	427	460	-33	1 554	4 193	-2 639	9	42	-33
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 Jun	-6	-41	35	-33	-16	-17	29	46	-17	-483	218	-701	-2	-13	11
2018 Jul	3	52	-49	31	12	19	6	-20	26	333	357	-24	-1	20	-21
2018 Aug	18	-26	44	4	-5	9	-9	53	-62	342	298	44	4	-10	14
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 Jun	-1.6%	-4.2%		-7.4%	-7.6%		7.2%	12.1%		-35.5%	6.6%		-25.0%	-28.9%	
2018 Jul	0.8%	5.6%		7.5%	6.2%		1.4%	-4.7%		37.9%	10.1%		-16.7%	62.5%	
2018 Aug	5.0%	-2.6%		0.9%	-2.4%		-2.1%	13.0%		28.2%	7.7%		80.0%	-19.2%	
<b>3 months ended:</b>															
2017 Nov	1 143	2 902	-1 759	1 284	603	681	1 232	1 186	46	2 912	9 143	-6 231	24	130	-106
2018 Feb	1 080	2 827	-1 747	1 254	574	680	1 215	1 120	95	2 335	9 582	-7 247	21	135	-114
2018 May	1 073	2 795	-1 722	1 298	628	670	1 192	1 113	79	3 297	10 178	-6 881	19	116	-97
2018 Aug	1 101	2 877	-1 776	1 305	604	701	1 293	1 294	-1	3 645	11 626	-7 981	20	126	-106
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	-63	-75	12	-30	-29	-1	-17	-66	49	-577	439	-1 016	-3	5	-8
2018 May	-7	-32	25	44	54	-10	-23	-7	-16	962	596	366	-2	-19	17
2018 Aug	28	82	-54	7	-24	31	101	181	-80	348	1 448	-1 100	1	10	-9
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	-5.5%	-2.6%		-2.3%	-4.8%		-1.4%	-5.6%		-19.8%	4.8%		-12.5%	3.8%	
2018 May	-0.6%	-1.1%		3.5%	9.4%		-1.9%	-0.6%		41.2%	6.2%		-9.5%	-14.1%	
2018 Aug	2.6%	2.9%		0.5%	-3.8%		8.5%	16.3%		10.6%	14.2%		5.3%	8.6%	
<b>12 months ended:</b>															
2015 Aug	3 581	9 631	-6 050	4 223	2 249	1 974	3 435	4 445	-1 010	7 186	34 046	-26 860	49	342	-293
2016 Aug	3 859	10 151	-6 292	4 352	2 376	1 976	3 339	3 851	-512	6 913	24 064	-17 151	78	357	-279
2017 Aug	4 400	11 710	-7 310	4 830	2 384	2 446	4 555	4 629	-74	11 083	32 734	-21 651	98	483	-385
2018 Aug	4 397	11 401	-7 004	5 141	2 409	2 732	4 932	4 713	219	12 189	40 529	-28 340	84	507	-423
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	278	520	-242	129	127	2	-96	-594	498	-273	-9 982	9 709	29	15	14
2017 Aug	541	1 559	-1 018	478	8	470	1 216	778	438	4 170	8 670	-4 500	20	126	-106
2018 Aug	-3	-309	306	311	25	286	377	84	293	1 106	7 795	-6 689	-14	24	-38
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	7.8%	5.4%		3.1%	5.6%		-2.8%	-13.4%		-3.8%	-29.3%		59.2%	4.4%	
2017 Aug	14.0%	15.4%		11.0%	0.3%		36.4%	20.2%		60.3%	36.0%		25.6%	35.3%	
2018 Aug	-0.1%	-2.6%		6.4%	1.0%		8.3%	1.8%		10.0%	23.8%		-14.3%	5.0%	

<sup>1</sup> Total less EU (28)

† Earliest date for revisions to trade in goods is July 2018.

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 5 UK TRADE IN GOODS COMMODITIES TRADED WITH NON-EU<sup>1</sup> COUNTRIES AT CURRENT MARKET PRICES (CP)

### Balance of Payments basis

£ million, Seasonally Adjusted

	SITC 5 Chemicals			SITC 6 Material manufactures			SITC 7 Machinery & transport equipment			SITC 8 Miscellaneous manufactures			SITC 9 Unspecified goods		
	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance
	SENJ	SEOU	CTVL	SMJR	SMKE	CTVM	SMMZ	SMNM	CTVN	SMVJ	SMVW	CTVO	SGRX	SGTK	SGRK
<b>Annual</b>															
2015	27 293	13 572	13 721	13 560	18 750	-5 190	64 266	61 196	3 070	23 732	41 094	-17 362	5 905	3 780	2 125
2016	25 429	14 208	11 221	12 431	19 934	-7 503	71 038	70 877	161	22 958	42 041	-19 083	4 809	4 443	366
2017	26 870	15 056	11 814	13 922	23 124	-9 202	79 658	77 438	2 220	25 088	43 174	-18 086	3 033	3 808	-775
<b>Quarterly</b>															
2017 Q1	6 886	3 773	3 113	3 273	5 380	-2 107	19 568	19 221	347	5 963	10 461	-4 498	745	290	455
Q2	6 951	3 848	3 103	3 386	6 011	-2 625	19 598	19 799	-201	6 466	10 943	-4 477	1 077	1 392	-315
Q3	6 417	3 757	2 660	3 519	5 960	-2 441	20 136	19 206	930	6 602	10 893	-4 291	634	1 154	-520
Q4	6 616	3 678	2 938	3 744	5 773	-2 029	20 356	19 212	1 144	6 057	10 877	-4 820	577	972	-395
2018 Q1	6 802	3 969	2 833	3 771	5 718	-1 947	20 347	17 722	2 625	6 335	10 274	-3 939	351	920	-569
Q2	6 853	3 532	3 321	3 610	5 583	-1 973	19 476	17 903	1 573	6 073	10 076	-4 003	631	1 912	-1 281
<b>Monthly</b>															
2018 Jan	2 415	1 356	1 059	1 258	2 015	-757	6 930	6 485	445	2 061	3 614	-1 553	201	89	112
2018 Feb	2 085	1 310	775	1 235	1 666	-431	6 794	5 434	1 360	2 093	3 282	-1 189	78	89	-11
2018 Mar	2 302	1 303	999	1 278	2 037	-759	6 623	5 803	820	2 181	3 378	-1 197	72	742	-670
2018 Apr	2 076	1 147	929	1 273	1 693	-420	6 030	5 598	432	1 982	3 294	-1 312	64	1 330	-1 266
2018 May	2 276	1 295	981	1 185	1 903	-718	6 388	5 831	557	2 030	3 388	-1 358	129	499	-370
2018 Jun	2 501	1 090	1 411	1 152	1 987	-835	7 058	6 474	584	2 061	3 394	-1 333	438	83	355
2018 Jul	2 307	1 162	1 145	1 236	1 938	-702	6 845	6 354	491	1 970	3 538	-1 568	701	122	579
2018 Aug	2 151	1 296	855	1 192	2 084	-892	6 828	7 237	-409	2 148	3 439	-1 291	644	88	556
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 Jun	225	-205	430	-33	84	-117	670	643	27	31	6	25	309	-416	725
2018 Jul	-194	72	-266	84	-49	133	-213	-120	-93	-91	144	-235	263	39	224
2018 Aug	-156	134	-290	-44	146	-190	-17	883	-900	178	-99	277	-57	-34	-23
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 Jun	9.9%	-15.8%	4.4%	-2.8%	4.4%	-10.5%	10.5%	11.0%	1.5%	0.2%	239.5%	-83.4%			
2018 Jul	-7.8%	6.6%	-2.5%	7.3%	-2.5%	-3.0%	-3.0%	-1.9%	-4.4%	4.2%	60.0%	47.0%			
2018 Aug	-6.8%	11.5%	-3.6%	-3.6%	7.5%	-0.2%	-0.2%	13.9%	9.0%	-2.8%	-8.1%	-27.9%			
<b>3 months ended:</b>															
2017 Nov	6 258	3 817	2 441	3 683	5 911	-2 228	20 611	19 799	812	6 636	11 001	-4 365	953	818	135
2018 Feb	6 928	3 864	3 064	3 721	5 612	-1 891	20 190	17 712	2 478	6 097	10 395	-4 298	396	414	-18
2018 May	6 654	3 745	2 909	3 736	5 633	-1 897	19 041	17 232	1 809	6 193	10 060	-3 867	265	2 571	-2 306
2018 Aug	6 959	3 548	3 411	3 580	6 009	-2 429	20 731	20 065	666	6 179	10 371	-4 192	1 783	293	1 490
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	670	47	623	38	-299	337	-421	-2 087	1 666	-539	-606	67	-557	-404	-153
2018 May	-274	-119	-155	15	21	-6	-1 149	-480	-669	96	-335	431	-131	2 157	-2 288
2018 Aug	305	-197	502	-156	376	-532	1 690	2 833	-1 143	-14	311	-325	1 518	-2 278	3 796
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	10.7%	1.2%	1.0%	1.0%	-5.1%	-2.0%	-2.0%	-10.5%	-8.1%	-5.5%	-58.4%	-49.4%			
2018 May	-4.0%	-3.1%	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	-5.7%	-5.7%	-2.7%	1.6%	-3.2%	-33.1%	521.0%			
2018 Aug	4.6%	-5.3%	-4.2%	-4.2%	6.7%	8.9%	8.9%	16.4%	-0.2%	3.1%	572.8%	-88.6%			
<b>12 months ended:</b>															
2015 Aug	26 005	13 232	12 773	14 639	19 057	-4 418	65 657	60 671	4 986	23 191	40 735	-17 544	5 151	6 928	-1 777
2016 Aug	25 478	13 907	11 571	12 294	18 308	-6 014	66 940	66 910	30	23 226	41 263	-18 037	5 290	4 074	1 216
2017 Aug	26 893	14 968	11 925	13 339	22 752	-9 413	77 475	76 622	853	24 215	43 074	-18 859	4 327	3 417	910
2018 Aug	26 799	14 974	11 825	14 720	23 165	-8 445	80 573	74 808	5 765	25 105	41 827	-16 722	3 397	4 096	-699
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	-527	675	-1 202	-2 345	-749	-1 596	1 283	6 239	-4 956	35	528	-493	139	-2 854	2 993
2017 Aug	1 415	1 061	354	1 045	4 444	-3 399	10 535	9 712	823	989	1 811	-822	-963	-657	-306
2018 Aug	-94	6	-100	1 381	413	968	3 098	-1 814	4 912	890	-1 247	2 137	-930	679	-1 609
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	-2.0%	5.1%	-16.0%	-3.9%	-3.9%	2.0%	2.0%	10.3%	0.2%	1.3%	2.7%	-41.2%			
2017 Aug	5.6%	7.6%	8.5%	24.3%	8.5%	15.7%	15.7%	14.5%	4.3%	4.4%	-18.2%	-16.1%			
2018 Aug	-0.3%	0.0%	10.4%	1.8%	4.0%	4.0%	4.0%	-2.4%	3.7%	-2.9%	-21.5%	19.9%			

<sup>1</sup> Total less EU (28)

† Earliest date for revisions to trade in goods is July 2018.

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 6 UK TRADE EXCLUDING ERRATICS AT CURRENT MARKET PRICES (CP)

### Balance of Payments basis

£ million, Seasonally Adjusted

	Erratics <sup>1</sup>			Total trade excluding erratics			Trade in goods excluding erratics		
	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance
	BPAL	BQBB	BQKW	CPLX	CPLY	CPLZ	BPAO	BQBE	BPBM
<b>Annual</b>									
2015	21 453	18 977	2 476	498 157	527 617	-29 460	265 299	385 585	-120 286
2016	23 490	23 726	- 236	533 471	564 122	-30 651	275 583	407 999	-132 416
2017	22 843	21 798	1 045	594 920	618 705	-23 785	315 896	453 976	-138 080
<b>Quarterly</b>									
2017 Q1	5 728	4 892	836	144 979	153 037	-8 058	77 356	112 280	-34 924
Q2	5 518	6 422	- 904	146 628	152 752	-6 124	78 731	112 083	-33 352
Q3	6 044	4 975	1 069	150 292	156 313	-6 021	79 988	114 869	-34 881
Q4	5 553	5 509	44	153 021	156 603	-3 582	79 821	114 744	-34 923
2018 Q1	5 882	4 027	1 855	151 876	157 003	-5 127	80 278	114 181	-33 903
Q2	5 205	5 264	- 59	152 337	158 384	-6 047	80 679	115 351	-34 672
<b>Monthly</b>									
2018 Jan	2 001	1 548	453	51 570	53 122	-1 552	27 466	38 930	-11 464
2018 Feb	1 897	817	1 080	50 100	50 975	- 875	26 290	36 677	-10 387
2018 Mar	1 984	1 662	322	50 206	52 906	-2 700	26 522	38 574	-12 052
2018 Apr	1 510	2 177	- 667	49 879	51 960	-2 081	26 157	37 636	-11 479
2018 May	1 640	1 558	82	50 821	53 269	-2 448	26 953	38 941	-11 988
2018 Jun	2 055	1 529	526	51 637	53 155	-1 518	27 569	38 774	-11 205
2018 Jul	2 116	1 182	934	52 333	53 839	-1 506	28 050	39 371	-11 321
2018 Aug	1 947	1 991	- 44	53 128	54 358	-1 230	28 648	39 799	-11 151
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>									
2018 Jun	415	- 29	444	816	- 114	930	616	- 167	783
2018 Jul	61	- 347	408	696	684	12	481	597	- 116
2018 Aug	- 169	809	- 978	795	519	276	598	428	170
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>									
2018 Jun	25.3%	-1.9%		1.6%	-0.2%		2.3%	-0.4%	
2018 Jul	3.0%	-22.7%		1.3%	1.3%		1.7%	1.5%	
2018 Aug	-8.0%	68.4%		1.5%	1.0%		2.1%	1.1%	
<b>3 months ended:</b>									
2017 Nov	6 333	5 393	940	153 165	156 826	-3 661	80 534	115 162	-34 628
2018 Feb	5 531	3 819	1 712	152 536	156 271	-3 735	80 214	113 730	-33 516
2018 May	5 134	5 397	- 263	150 906	158 135	-7 229	79 632	115 151	-35 519
2018 Aug	6 118	4 702	1 416	157 098	161 352	-4 254	84 267	117 944	-33 677
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>									
2018 Feb	- 802	-1 574	772	- 629	- 555	- 74	- 320	-1 432	1 112
2018 May	- 397	1 578	-1 975	-1 630	1 864	-3 494	- 582	1 421	-2 003
2018 Aug	984	- 695	1 679	6 192	3 217	2 975	4 635	2 793	1 842
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>									
2018 Feb	-12.7%	-29.2%		-0.4%	-0.4%		-0.4%	-1.2%	
2018 May	-7.2%	41.3%		-1.1%	1.2%		-0.7%	1.2%	
2018 Aug	19.2%	-12.9%		4.1%	2.0%		5.8%	2.4%	
<b>12 months ended:</b>									
2015 Aug	20 809	21 858	-1 049	500 978	530 220	-29 242	269 967	391 821	-121 854
2016 Aug	23 633	22 080	1 553	509 114	539 488	-30 374	264 696	390 460	-125 764
2017 Aug	23 143	22 117	1 026	580 428	610 062	-29 634	306 031	445 566	-139 535
2018 Aug	23 116	19 311	3 805	613 705	632 584	-18 879	324 647	461 987	-137 340
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>									
2016 Aug	2 824	222	2 602	8 136	9 268	-1 132	-5 271	-1 361	-3 910
2017 Aug	- 490	37	- 527	71 314	70 574	740	41 335	55 106	-13 771
2018 Aug	- 27	-2 806	2 779	33 277	22 522	10 755	18 616	16 421	2 195
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>									
2016 Aug	13.6%	1.0%		1.6%	1.7%		-2.0%	-0.3%	
2017 Aug	-2.1%	0.2%		14.0%	13.1%		15.6%	14.1%	
2018 Aug	-0.1%	-12.7%		5.7%	3.7%		6.1%	3.7%	

<sup>1</sup> These are defined as ships, aircraft, precious stones, silver and non-monetary gold.

† Earliest date for revisions to both trade in goods and trade in services is January 2017.



OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 7 UK TRADE EXCLUDING OIL AT CURRENT MARKET PRICES (CP)

### Balance of Payments basis

£ million, Seasonally Adjusted

	Oil			Total trade excluding oil			Trade in goods excluding oil		
	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance
	ELBL	ENXO	ENXQ	CTVP	CTVQ	CTVR	ELBM	ENXP	BQKH
<b>Annual</b>									
2015	20 720	29 196	-8 476	498 890	517 398	-18 508	266 032	375 366	-109 334
2016	18 754	26 506	-7 752	538 207	561 342	-23 135	280 319	405 219	-124 900
2017	26 908	34 445	-7 537	590 855	606 058	-15 203	311 831	441 329	-129 498
<b>Quarterly</b>									
2017 Q1	6 734	8 911	-2 177	143 973	149 018	-5 045	76 350	108 261	-31 911
Q2	6 726	7 965	-1 239	145 420	151 209	-5 789	77 523	110 540	-33 017
Q3	6 719	8 301	-1 582	149 617	152 987	-3 370	79 313	111 543	-32 230
Q4	6 729	9 268	-2 539	151 845	152 844	- 999	78 645	110 985	-32 340
2018 Q1	7 082	9 148	-2 066	150 676	151 882	-1 206	79 078	109 060	-29 982
Q2	8 096	10 419	-2 323	149 446	153 229	-3 783	77 788	110 196	-32 408
<b>Monthly</b>									
2018 Jan	2 561	3 292	- 731	51 010	51 378	- 368	26 906	37 186	-10 280
2018 Feb	2 184	2 911	- 727	49 813	48 881	932	26 003	34 583	- 8 580
2018 Mar	2 337	2 945	- 608	49 853	51 623	-1 770	26 169	37 291	-11 122
2018 Apr	2 698	3 314	- 616	48 691	50 823	-2 132	24 969	36 499	-11 530
2018 May	2 838	3 592	- 754	49 623	51 235	-1 612	25 755	36 907	-11 152
2018 Jun	2 560	3 513	- 953	51 132	51 171	- 39	27 064	36 790	-9 726
2018 Jul	3 190	3 742	- 552	51 259	51 279	- 20	26 976	36 811	-9 835
2018 Aug	3 314	4 069	- 755	51 761	52 280	- 519	27 281	37 721	-10 440
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>									
2018 Jun	- 278	- 79	- 199	1 509	- 64	1 573	1 309	- 117	1 426
2018 Jul	630	229	401	127	108	19	- 88	21	- 109
2018 Aug	124	327	- 203	502	1 001	- 499	305	910	- 605
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>									
2018 Jun	-9.8%	-2.2%		3.0%	-0.1%		5.1%	-0.3%	
2018 Jul	24.6%	6.5%		0.2%	0.2%		-0.3%	0.1%	
2018 Aug	3.9%	8.7%		1.0%	2.0%		1.1%	2.5%	
<b>3 months ended:</b>									
2017 Nov	7 144	9 099	-1 955	152 354	153 120	- 766	79 723	111 456	-31 733
2018 Feb	6 832	9 329	-2 497	151 235	150 761	474	78 913	108 220	-29 307
2018 May	7 873	9 851	-1 978	148 167	153 681	-5 514	76 893	110 697	-33 804
2018 Aug	9 064	11 324	-2 260	154 152	154 730	- 578	81 321	111 322	-30 001
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>									
2018 Feb	- 312	230	- 542	-1 119	-2 359	1 240	- 810	-3 236	2 426
2018 May	1 041	522	519	-3 068	2 920	-5 988	-2 020	2 477	-4 497
2018 Aug	1 191	1 473	- 282	5 985	1 049	4 936	4 428	625	3 803
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>									
2018 Feb	-4.4%	2.5%		-0.7%	-1.5%		-1.0%	-2.9%	
2018 May	15.2%	5.6%		-2.0%	1.9%		-2.6%	2.3%	
2018 Aug	15.1%	15.0%		4.0%	0.7%		5.8%	0.6%	
<b>12 months ended:</b>									
2015 Aug	24 353	34 560	-10 207	497 434	517 518	-20 084	266 423	379 119	-112 696
2016 Aug	17 765	24 781	-7 016	514 982	536 787	-21 805	270 564	387 759	-117 195
2017 Aug	24 815	32 678	-7 863	578 756	599 501	-20 745	304 359	435 005	-130 646
2018 Aug	30 913	39 603	-8 690	605 908	612 292	-6 384	316 850	441 695	-124 845
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>									
2016 Aug	-6 588	-9 779	3 191	17 548	19 269	-1 721	4 141	8 640	-4 499
2017 Aug	7 050	7 897	- 847	63 774	62 714	1 060	33 795	47 246	-13 451
2018 Aug	6 098	6 925	- 827	27 152	12 791	14 361	12 491	6 690	5 801
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>									
2016 Aug	-27.1%	-28.3%		3.5%	3.7%		1.6%	2.3%	
2017 Aug	39.7%	31.9%		12.4%	11.7%		12.5%	12.2%	
2018 Aug	24.6%	21.2%		4.7%	2.1%		4.1%	1.5%	

† Earliest date for revisions to both trade in goods and trade in services is January 2017.

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 8 UK TRADE EXCLUDING OIL & ERRATICS AT CURRENT MARKET PRICES (CP)

### Balance of Payments basis

£ million, Seasonally Adjusted

	Oil & Erratics			Total trade excluding oil & erratics			Trade in goods excluding oil & erratics		
	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance
	FSB3	FSB4	FSB5	FSA2	FSA3	FSA4	BPBL	BQBG	BPAP
<b>Annual</b>									
2015	42 173	48 173	-6 000	477 437	498 421	-20 984	244 579	356 389	-111 810
2016	42 244	50 232	-7 988	514 717	537 616	-22 899	256 829	381 493	-124 664
2017	49 751	56 243	-6 492	568 012	584 260	-16 248	288 988	419 531	-130 543
<b>Quarterly</b>									
2017 Q1	12 462	13 803	-1 341	138 245	144 126	-5 881	70 622	103 369	-32 747
Q2	12 244	14 387	-2 143	139 902	144 787	-4 885	72 005	104 118	-32 113
Q3	12 763	13 276	- 513	143 573	148 012	-4 439	73 269	106 568	-33 299
Q4	12 282	14 777	-2 495	146 292	147 335	-1 043	73 092	105 476	-32 384
2018 Q1	12 964	13 175	- 211	144 794	147 855	-3 061	73 196	105 033	-31 837
Q2	13 301	15 683	-2 382	144 241	147 965	-3 724	72 583	104 932	-32 349
<b>Monthly</b>									
2018 Jan	4 562	4 840	- 278	49 009	49 830	- 821	24 905	35 638	-10 733
2018 Feb	4 081	3 728	353	47 916	48 064	- 148	24 106	33 766	-9 660
2018 Mar	4 321	4 607	- 286	47 869	49 961	-2 092	24 185	35 629	-11 444
2018 Apr	4 208	5 491	-1 283	47 181	48 646	-1 465	23 459	34 322	-10 863
2018 May	4 478	5 150	- 672	47 983	49 677	-1 694	24 115	35 349	-11 234
2018 Jun	4 615	5 042	- 427	49 077	49 642	- 565	25 009	35 261	-10 252
2018 Jul	5 306	4 924	382	49 143	50 097	- 954	24 860	35 629	-10 769
2018 Aug	5 261	6 060	- 799	49 814	50 289	- 475	25 334	35 730	-10 396
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>									
2018 Jun	137	- 108	245	1 094	- 35	1 129	894	- 88	982
2018 Jul	691	- 118	809	66	455	- 389	- 149	368	- 517
2018 Aug	- 45	1 136	-1 181	671	192	479	474	101	373
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>									
2018 Jun	3.1%	-2.1%		2.3%	-0.1%		3.7%	-0.2%	
2018 Jul	15.0%	-2.3%		0.1%	0.9%		-0.6%	1.0%	
2018 Aug	-0.8%	23.1%		1.4%	0.4%		1.9%	0.3%	
<b>3 months ended:</b>									
2017 Nov	13 477	14 492	-1 015	146 021	147 727	-1 706	73 390	106 063	-32 673
2018 Feb	12 363	13 148	- 785	145 704	146 942	-1 238	73 382	104 401	-31 019
2018 May	13 007	15 248	-2 241	143 033	148 284	-5 251	71 759	105 300	-33 541
2018 Aug	15 182	16 026	- 844	148 034	150 028	-1 994	75 203	106 620	-31 417
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>									
2018 Feb	-1 114	-1 344	230	- 317	- 785	468	- 8	-1 662	1 654
2018 May	644	2 100	-1 456	-2 671	1 342	-4 013	-1 623	899	-2 522
2018 Aug	2 175	778	1 397	5 001	1 744	3 257	3 444	1 320	2 124
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>									
2018 Feb	-8.3%	-9.3%		-0.2%	-0.5%		0.0%	-1.6%	
2018 May	5.2%	16.0%		-1.8%	0.9%		-2.2%	0.9%	
2018 Aug	16.7%	5.1%		3.5%	1.2%		4.8%	1.3%	
<b>12 months ended:</b>									
2015 Aug	45 162	56 418	-11 256	476 625	495 660	-19 035	245 614	357 261	-111 647
2016 Aug	41 398	46 861	-5 463	491 349	514 707	-23 358	246 931	365 679	-118 748
2017 Aug	47 958	54 795	-6 837	555 613	577 384	-21 771	281 216	412 888	-131 672
2018 Aug	54 029	58 914	-4 885	582 792	592 981	-10 189	293 734	422 384	-128 650
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>									
2016 Aug	-3 764	-9 557	5 793	14 724	19 047	-4 323	1 317	8 418	-7 101
2017 Aug	6 560	7 934	-1 374	64 264	62 677	1 587	34 285	47 209	-12 924
2018 Aug	6 071	4 119	1 952	27 179	15 597	11 582	12 518	9 496	3 022
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>									
2016 Aug	-8.3%	-16.9%		3.1%	3.8%		0.5%	2.4%	
2017 Aug	15.8%	16.9%		13.1%	12.2%		13.9%	12.9%	
2018 Aug	12.7%	7.5%		4.9%	2.7%		4.5%	2.3%	

† Earliest date for revisions to both trade in goods and trade in services is January 2017.

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 9 UK TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES AT CHAINED VOLUME MEASURES (CVM)

### Balance of Payments basis

Reference year = 2016

£ million, Seasonally Adjusted

	Trade in goods			Trade in services			Total trade		
	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>
	BQKQ	BQKO	CTVS	IKBE	IKBF	IKBG	IKBK	IKBL	IKBM
<b>Annual</b>									
2015	302 991	415 878	-112 887	248 177	153 347	94 830	551 228	569 120	-17 892
2016	299 073	431 725	-132 652	257 888	156 123	101 765	556 961	587 848	-30 887
2017	319 032	449 707	-130 675	269 657	156 849	112 808	588 689	606 556	-17 867
<b>Quarterly</b>									
2017 Q1	77 989	111 264	-33 275	65 546	38 794	26 752	143 535	150 058	-6 523
Q2	79 725	112 433	-32 708	65 408	38 681	26 727	145 133	151 114	-5 981
Q3	81 759	113 287	-31 528	67 490	39 492	27 998	149 249	152 779	-3 530
Q4	79 559	112 723	-33 164	71 213	39 882	31 331	150 772	152 605	-1 833
2018 Q1	80 512	111 604	-31 092	69 127	40 588	28 539	149 639	152 192	-2 553
Q2	78 454	111 523	-33 069	67 845	40 435	27 410	146 299	151 958	-5 659
<b>Monthly</b>									
2018 Jan	27 228	38 243	-11 015	23 443	13 490	9 953	50 671	51 733	-1 062
2018 Feb	26 465	35 384	-8 919	23 009	13 557	9 452	49 474	48 941	533
2018 Mar	26 819	37 977	-11 158	22 675	13 541	9 134	49 494	51 518	-2 024
2018 Apr	25 492	37 386	-11 894	22 510	13 486	9 024	48 002	50 872	-2 870
2018 May	25 872	37 002	-11 130	22 548	13 455	9 093	48 420	50 457	-2 037
2018 Jun	27 090	37 135	-10 045	22 787	13 494	9 293	49 877	50 629	-752
2018 Jul	27 414	36 666	-9 252	23 123	13 580	9 543	50 537	50 246	291
2018 Aug	27 488	37 575	-10 087	23 417	13 667	9 750	50 905	51 242	-337
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>									
2018 Jun	1 218	133	1 085	239	39	200	1 457	172	1 285
2018 Jul	324	-469	793	336	86	250	660	-383	1 043
2018 Aug	74	909	-835	294	87	207	368	996	-628
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>									
2018 Jun	4.7%	0.4%		1.1%	0.3%		3.0%	0.3%	
2018 Jul	1.2%	-1.3%		1.5%	0.6%		1.3%	-0.8%	
2018 Aug	0.3%	2.5%		1.3%	0.6%		0.7%	2.0%	
<b>3 months ended:</b>									
2017 Nov	81 313	113 495	-32 182	70 381	39 715	30 666	151 694	153 210	-1 516
2018 Feb	80 060	110 683	-30 623	70 254	40 424	29 830	150 314	151 107	-793
2018 May	78 183	112 365	-34 182	67 733	40 482	27 251	145 916	152 847	-6 931
2018 Aug	81 992	111 376	-29 384	69 327	40 741	28 586	151 319	152 117	-798
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>									
2018 Feb	-1 253	-2 812	1 559	-127	709	-836	-1 380	-2 103	723
2018 May	-1 877	1 682	-3 559	-2 521	58	-2 579	-4 398	1 740	-6 138
2018 Aug	3 809	-989	4 798	1 594	259	1 335	5 403	-730	6 133
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>									
2018 Feb	-1.5%	-2.5%		-0.2%	1.8%		-0.9%	-1.4%	
2018 May	-2.3%	1.5%		-3.6%	0.1%		-2.9%	1.2%	
2018 Aug	4.9%	-0.9%		2.4%	0.6%		3.7%	-0.5%	
<b>12 months ended:</b>									
2015 Aug	298 409	414 799	-116 390	247 285	148 124	99 161	545 745	563 093	-17 348
2016 Aug	300 555	423 161	-122 606	252 933	155 580	97 353	553 275	578 620	-25 345
2017 Aug	311 770	446 778	-135 008	264 021	156 845	107 176	575 929	603 638	-27 709
2018 Aug	321 548	447 919	-126 371	277 695	161 362	116 333	599 243	609 281	-10 038
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>									
2016 Aug	2 146	8 362	-6 216	5 648	7 456	-1 808	7 530	15 527	-7 997
2017 Aug	11 215	23 617	-12 402	11 088	1 265	9 823	22 654	25 018	-2 364
2018 Aug	9 778	1 141	8 637	13 674	4 517	9 157	23 314	5 643	17 671
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>									
2016 Aug	0.7%	2.0%		2.3%	5.0%		1.4%	2.8%	
2017 Aug	3.7%	5.6%		4.4%	0.8%		4.1%	4.3%	
2018 Aug	3.1%	0.3%		5.2%	2.9%		4.0%	0.9%	

<sup>1</sup> CVM balances are Exports minus Imports

† Earliest date for revisions to both trade in goods and trade in services is January 2017.

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 11 UK TRADE IN GOODS COMMODITIES TRADED WITH THE WHOLE WORLD AT CHAINED VOLUME MEASURES (CVM)

### Balance of Payments basis

Reference year = 2016

£ million, Seasonally Adjusted

	SITC 0 Food & live animals			SITC 1 Beverages & tobacco			SITC 2 Crude materials			SITC 3 Fuels			SITC 4 Animal & vegetable oils & fats		
	Exports		Imports	Exports		Imports	Exports		Imports	Exports		Imports	Exports		Imports
	ODUM	OGSH	CTVV	OEBB	OGSM	CTVW	OEDZ	OGSP	CTVX	BOXC	BPIC	CTVY	OEEX	OGSU	CTVZ
<b>Annual</b>															
2015	13 218	33 466	-20 248	7 164	7 709	- 545	5 420	8 957	-3 537	22 281	35 364	-13 083	405	1 111	- 706
2016	13 441	35 827	-22 386	7 274	7 947	-673	5 710	8 889	-3 179	21 100	34 254	-13 154	409	1 158	- 749
2017	14 027	36 834	-22 807	7 095	7 598	- 503	7 296	9 502	-2 206	23 206	36 519	-13 313	497	1 423	- 926
<b>Quarterly</b>															
2017 Q1	3 357	9 290	-5 933	1 705	1 924	- 219	1 772	2 532	- 760	5 505	9 467	-3 962	110	323	- 213
Q2	3 466	9 170	-5 704	1 656	1 898	- 242	1 855	2 284	- 429	6 239	8 572	-2 333	124	353	- 229
Q3	3 625	9 148	-5 523	1 949	1 914	35	1 844	2 351	- 507	6 133	9 039	-2 906	132	389	- 257
Q4	3 579	9 226	-5 647	1 785	1 862	- 77	1 825	2 335	- 510	5 329	9 441	-4 112	131	358	- 227
2018 Q1	3 538	9 387	-5 849	1 829	1 895	- 66	1 807	2 245	- 438	5 097	9 682	-4 585	120	336	- 216
Q2	3 580	9 436	-5 856	1 900	1 930	- 30	1 864	2 327	- 463	5 179	8 804	-3 625	138	296	- 158
<b>Monthly</b>															
2018 Jan	1 188	3 153	-1 965	614	632	- 18	599	760	- 161	1 823	3 239	-1 416	38	118	- 80
2018 Feb	1 163	3 067	-1 904	596	610	- 14	617	749	- 132	1 569	2 789	-1 220	38	123	- 85
2018 Mar	1 187	3 167	-1 980	619	653	- 34	591	736	- 145	1 705	3 654	-1 949	44	95	- 51
2018 Apr	1 192	3 053	-1 861	643	647	- 4	619	738	- 119	1 806	3 076	-1 270	43	88	- 45
2018 May	1 188	3 201	-2 013	638	637	1	602	771	- 169	1 727	3 019	-1 292	49	110	- 61
2018 Jun	1 200	3 182	-1 982	619	646	- 27	643	818	- 175	1 646	2 709	-1 063	46	98	- 52
2018 Jul	1 195	3 196	-2 001	642	667	- 25	657	798	- 141	2 166	2 946	- 780	51	112	- 61
2018 Aug	1 226	3 140	-1 914	535	688	-153	615	834	- 219	2 129	3 200	-1 071	49	112	- 63
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 Jun	12	- 19	31	- 19	9	- 28	41	47	- 6	- 81	- 310	229	- 3	- 12	9
2018 Jul	- 5	14	- 19	23	21	2	14	- 20	34	520	237	283	5	14	- 9
2018 Aug	31	- 56	87	- 107	21	- 128	- 42	36	- 78	- 37	254	- 291	- 2	0	- 2
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 Jun	1.0%	-0.6%		-3.0%	1.4%		6.8%	6.1%		-4.7%	-10.3%		-6.1%	-10.9%	
2018 Jul	-0.4%	0.4%		3.7%	3.3%		2.2%	-2.4%		31.6%	8.7%		10.9%	14.3%	
2018 Aug	2.6%	-1.8%		-16.7%	3.1%		-6.4%	4.5%		-1.7%	8.6%		-3.9%	0.0%	
<b>3 months ended:</b>															
2017 Nov	3 584	9 187	-5 603	1 836	1 899	- 63	1 816	2 379	- 563	5 717	9 155	-3 438	128	342	- 214
2018 Feb	3 556	9 302	-5 746	1 770	1 843	- 73	1 850	2 277	- 427	5 041	9 372	-4 331	119	361	- 242
2018 May	3 567	9 421	-5 854	1 900	1 937	- 37	1 812	2 245	- 433	5 238	9 749	-4 511	136	293	- 157
2018 Aug	3 621	9 518	-5 897	1 796	2 001	- 205	1 915	2 450	- 535	5 941	8 855	-2 914	146	322	- 176
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	- 28	115	- 143	- 66	- 56	- 10	34	- 102	136	- 676	217	- 893	- 9	19	- 28
2018 May	11	119	- 108	130	94	36	- 38	- 32	- 6	197	377	- 180	17	- 68	85
2018 Aug	54	97	- 43	- 104	64	- 168	103	205	- 102	703	- 894	1 597	10	29	- 19
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	-0.8%	1.3%		-3.6%	-2.9%		1.9%	-4.3%		-11.8%	2.4%		-7.0%	5.6%	
2018 May	0.3%	1.3%		7.3%	5.1%		-2.1%	-1.4%		3.9%	4.0%		14.3%	-18.8%	
2018 Aug	1.5%	1.0%		-5.5%	3.3%		5.7%	9.1%		13.4%	-9.2%		7.4%	9.9%	
<b>12 months ended:</b>															
2015 Aug	13 196	33 357	-20 161	6 977	7 693	- 716	5 750	9 202	-3 452	21 106	34 890	-13 784	403	1 053	- 650
2016 Aug	13 481	34 586	-21 105	7 392	7 820	- 428	5 369	8 645	-3 276	22 208	34 319	-12 111	410	1 192	- 782
2017 Aug	13 568	37 043	-23 475	7 034	7 797	- 763	6 887	9 426	-2 539	22 581	36 190	-13 609	465	1 328	- 863
2018 Aug	14 328	37 428	-23 100	7 302	7 680	- 378	7 393	9 351	-1 958	21 937	37 131	-15 194	529	1 318	- 789
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	285	1 229	- 944	415	127	288	- 381	- 557	176	1 102	- 571	1 673	7	139	- 132
2017 Aug	87	2 457	-2 370	- 358	- 23	- 335	1 518	781	737	373	1 871	-1 498	55	136	- 81
2018 Aug	760	385	375	268	- 117	385	506	- 75	581	- 644	941	-1 585	64	- 10	74
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	2.2%	3.7%		5.9%	1.7%		-6.6%	-6.1%		5.2%	-1.6%		1.7%	13.2%	
2017 Aug	0.6%	7.1%		-4.8%	-0.3%		28.3%	9.0%		1.7%	5.5%		13.4%	11.4%	
2018 Aug	5.6%	1.0%		3.8%	-1.5%		7.3%	-0.8%		-2.9%	2.6%		13.8%	-0.8%	

<sup>†</sup> CVM balances are Exports minus Imports

<sup>†</sup> Earliest date for revisions to trade in goods is July 2018.

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 12 UK TRADE IN GOODS COMMODITIES TRADED WITH EU COUNTRIES AT CHAINED VOLUME MEASURES (CVM)

### Balance of Payments basis

Reference year = 2016

£ million, Seasonally Adjusted

	SITC 0 Food & live animals			SITC 1 Beverages & tobacco			SITC 2 Crude materials			SITC 3 Fuels			SITC 4 Animal & vegetable oils & fats		
	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>
	SHEP	SHFC	CTXS	SHGP	SHHC	CTXT	SHIQ	SHJE	CTXU	SDFW	SDKC	CTXV	SIFX	SIGK	CTXW
<b>Annual</b>															
2015	9 413	23 409	-13 996	2 695	5 379	-2 684	2 149	4 661	-2 512	15 317	8 333	6 984	342	743	-401
2016	9 393	24 936	-15 543	2 730	5 521	-2 791	2 052	4 811	-2 759	13 737	8 862	4 875	319	790	-471
2017	9 711	26 118	-16 407	2 736	5 353	-2 617	2 464	5 161	-2 697	14 180	8 025	6 155	409	902	-493
<b>Quarterly</b>															
2017 Q1	2 360	6 632	-4 272	667	1 350	-683	605	1 339	-734	3 170	1 970	1 200	87	201	-114
Q2	2 395	6 499	-4 104	641	1 348	-707	629	1 249	-620	3 661	1 889	1 772	105	214	-109
Q3	2 460	6 475	-4 015	751	1 345	-594	628	1 312	-684	3 895	2 054	1 841	103	270	-167
Q4	2 496	6 512	-4 016	677	1 310	-633	602	1 261	-659	3 454	2 112	1 342	114	217	-103
2018 Q1	2 523	6 595	-4 072	669	1 331	-662	639	1 192	-553	3 496	2 476	1 020	103	220	-117
Q2	2 554	6 674	-4 120	706	1 348	-642	638	1 259	-621	3 128	2 391	737	117	199	-82
<b>Monthly</b>															
2018 Jan	845	2 192	-1 347	224	443	-219	200	402	-202	1 264	799	465	35	71	-36
2018 Feb	837	2 166	-1 329	216	440	-224	234	397	-163	1 070	752	318	29	87	-58
2018 Mar	841	2 237	-1 396	229	448	-219	205	393	-188	1 162	925	237	39	62	-23
2018 Apr	851	2 165	-1 314	234	452	-218	214	402	-188	1 079	719	360	36	59	-23
2018 May	846	2 259	-1 413	231	441	-210	206	430	-224	907	1 046	-139	41	73	-32
2018 Jun	857	2 250	-1 393	241	455	-214	218	427	-209	1 142	626	516	40	67	-27
2018 Jul	857	2 242	-1 385	230	469	-239	229	428	-199	1 453	602	851	46	68	-22
2018 Aug	883	2 225	-1 342	237	495	-258	204	422	-218	1 233	704	529	40	77	-37
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 Jun	11	-9	20	10	14	-4	12	-3	15	235	-420	655	-1	-6	5
2018 Jul	0	-8	8	-11	14	-25	11	1	10	311	-24	335	6	1	5
2018 Aug	26	-17	43	7	26	-19	-25	-6	-19	-220	102	-322	-6	9	-15
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 Jun	1.3%	-0.4%		4.3%	3.2%		5.8%	-0.7%		25.9%	-40.2%		-2.4%	-8.2%	
2018 Jul	0.0%	-0.4%		-4.6%	3.1%		5.0%	0.2%		27.2%	-3.8%		15.0%	1.5%	
2018 Aug	3.0%	-0.8%		3.0%	5.5%		-10.9%	-1.4%		-15.1%	16.9%		-13.0%	13.2%	
<b>3 months ended:</b>															
2017 Nov	2 490	6 514	-4 024	676	1 331	-655	601	1 267	-666	3 536	1 983	1 553	105	212	-107
2018 Feb	2 518	6 527	-4 009	664	1 302	-638	641	1 239	-598	3 529	2 319	1 210	101	230	-129
2018 May	2 538	6 661	-4 123	694	1 341	-647	625	1 225	-600	3 148	2 690	458	116	194	-78
2018 Aug	2 597	6 717	-4 120	708	1 419	-711	651	1 277	-626	3 828	1 932	1 896	126	212	-86
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	28	13	15	-12	-29	17	40	-28	68	-7	336	-343	-4	18	-22
2018 May	20	134	-114	30	39	-9	-16	-14	-2	-381	371	-752	15	-36	51
2018 Aug	59	56	3	14	78	-64	26	52	-26	680	-758	1 438	10	18	-8
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	1.1%	0.2%		-1.8%	-2.2%		6.7%	-2.2%		-0.2%	16.9%		-3.8%	8.5%	
2018 May	0.8%	2.1%		4.5%	3.0%		-2.5%	-1.1%		-10.8%	16.0%		14.9%	-15.7%	
2018 Aug	2.3%	0.8%		2.0%	5.8%		4.2%	4.2%		21.6%	-28.2%		8.6%	9.3%	
<b>12 months ended:</b>															
2015 Aug	9 361	23 392	-14 031	2 640	5 421	-2 781	2 289	4 743	-2 454	15 455	8 223	7 232	357	714	-357
2016 Aug	9 468	24 081	-14 613	2 732	5 443	-2 711	2 027	4 655	-2 628	14 536	8 539	5 997	328	817	-489
2017 Aug	9 429	26 117	-16 688	2 727	5 479	-2 752	2 357	5 099	-2 742	13 647	8 341	5 306	368	862	-494
2018 Aug	10 143	26 419	-16 276	2 742	5 393	-2 651	2 518	5 008	-2 490	14 041	8 924	5 117	448	848	-400
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	107	689	-582	92	22	70	-262	-88	-174	-919	316	-1 235	-29	103	-132
2017 Aug	-39	2 036	-2 075	-5	36	-41	330	444	-114	-889	-198	-691	40	45	-5
2018 Aug	714	302	412	15	-86	101	161	-91	252	394	583	-189	80	-14	94
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	1.1%	2.9%		3.5%	0.4%		-11.4%	-1.9%		-5.9%	3.8%		-8.1%	14.4%	
2017 Aug	-0.4%	8.5%		-0.2%	0.7%		16.3%	9.5%		-6.1%	-2.3%		12.2%	5.5%	
2018 Aug	7.6%	1.2%		0.6%	-1.6%		6.8%	-1.8%		2.9%	7.0%		21.7%	-1.6%	

<sup>1</sup> CVM balances are Exports minus Imports

† Earliest date for revisions to trade in goods is July 2018.

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 12 UK TRADE IN GOODS COMMODITIES TRADED WITH EU COUNTRIES AT CHAINED VOLUME MEASURES (CVM)

### Balance of Payments basis

Reference year = 2016

£ million, Seasonally Adjusted

	SITC 5 Chemicals			SITC 6 Material manufactures			SITC 7 Machinery & transport equipment			SITC 8 Miscellaneous manufactures			SITC 9 Unspecified goods			
	Exports		Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports		Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports		Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports		Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports		Balance <sup>1</sup>	
	SEKV	SEMG		CTXX	SMIT		SMJG	CTXY		SMLZ	SMMM		CTXZ	SMUM		SMUZ
<b>Annual</b>																
2015	27 696	39 552	-11 856	14 749	25 349	-10 600	48 556	91 075	-42 519	19 460	26 183	-6 723	173	377	-204	
2016	28 280	39 897	-11 617	14 559	25 842	-11 283	51 475	98 210	-46 735	19 995	27 806	-7 811	165	392	-227	
2017	29 564	42 802	-13 238	16 298	26 845	-10 547	55 348	100 536	-45 188	21 050	29 503	-8 453	506	689	-183	
<b>Quarterly</b>																
2017 Q1	7 315	10 558	-3 243	4 054	6 585	-2 531	13 700	25 861	-12 161	5 279	7 159	-1 880	56	82	-26	
Q2	7 666	10 907	-3 241	3 995	6 704	-2 709	13 418	24 476	-11 058	5 248	7 529	-2 281	65	143	-78	
Q3	7 363	10 773	-3 410	4 066	6 900	-2 834	14 245	25 428	-11 183	5 316	7 375	-2 059	313	124	189	
Q4	7 220	10 564	-3 344	4 183	6 656	-2 473	13 985	24 771	-10 786	5 207	7 440	-2 233	72	340	-268	
2018 Q1	7 276	9 863	-2 587	4 047	6 769	-2 722	14 120	25 071	-10 951	5 362	7 598	-2 236	42	174	-132	
Q2	6 854	10 007	-3 153	4 139	7 159	-3 020	13 894	25 144	-11 250	5 351	7 657	-2 306	54	182	-128	
<b>Monthly</b>																
2018 Jan	2 532	3 437	-905	1 334	2 203	-869	4 663	8 620	-3 957	1 834	2 514	-680	15	48	-33	
2018 Feb	2 403	3 321	-918	1 337	2 186	-849	4 656	8 076	-3 420	1 775	2 509	-734	12	99	-87	
2018 Mar	2 341	3 105	-764	1 376	2 380	-1 004	4 801	8 375	-3 574	1 753	2 575	-822	15	27	-12	
2018 Apr	2 300	3 255	-955	1 379	2 332	-953	4 554	8 340	-3 786	1 723	2 507	-784	14	105	-91	
2018 May	2 278	3 248	-970	1 333	2 451	-1 118	4 765	8 322	-3 557	1 767	2 550	-783	12	61	-49	
2018 Jun	2 276	3 504	-1 228	1 427	2 376	-949	4 575	8 482	-3 907	1 861	2 600	-739	28	16	12	
2018 Jul	2 302	3 343	-1 041	1 389	2 268	-879	4 591	7 937	-3 346	1 768	2 547	-779	25	34	-9	
2018 Aug	2 307	3 528	-1 221	1 413	2 304	-891	4 910	7 645	-2 735	1 843	2 594	-751	25	41	-16	
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>																
2018 Jun	-2	256	-258	94	-75	169	-190	160	-350	94	50	44	16	-45	61	
2018 Jul	26	-161	187	-38	-108	70	16	-545	561	-93	-53	-40	-3	18	-21	
2018 Aug	5	185	-180	24	36	-12	319	-292	611	75	47	28	0	7	-7	
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>																
2018 Jun	-0.1%	7.9%	-7.1%	7.1%	-3.1%	16.9%	-4.0%	1.9%	-35.0%	5.3%	2.0%	1.1%	133.3%	-73.8%	112.5%	
2018 Jul	1.1%	-4.6%	4.6%	-2.7%	-4.5%	4.2%	0.3%	-6.4%	16.1%	-5.0%	-2.0%	-1.1%	-10.7%	112.5%	10.7%	
2018 Aug	0.2%	5.5%	-5.5%	1.7%	1.6%	-1.3%	6.9%	-3.7%	33.9%	4.2%	1.8%	1.1%	0.0%	20.6%	-9.1%	
<b>3 months ended:</b>																
2017 Nov	7 291	10 680	-3 389	4 133	6 637	-2 504	13 979	25 157	-11 178	5 257	7 401	-2 144	331	252	79	
2018 Feb	7 361	10 311	-2 950	4 127	6 706	-2 579	14 061	24 816	-10 755	5 320	7 508	-2 188	53	279	-226	
2018 May	6 919	9 608	-2 689	4 088	7 163	-3 075	14 120	25 037	-10 917	5 243	7 632	-2 389	41	193	-152	
2018 Aug	6 885	10 375	-3 490	4 229	6 948	-2 719	14 076	24 064	-9 988	5 472	7 741	-2 269	78	91	-13	
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>																
2018 Feb	70	-369	439	-6	69	-75	82	-341	423	63	107	-44	-278	27	-305	
2018 May	-442	-703	261	-39	457	-496	59	221	-162	-77	124	-201	-12	-86	74	
2018 Aug	-34	767	-801	141	-215	356	-44	-973	929	229	109	120	37	-102	139	
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>																
2018 Feb	1.0%	-3.5%	4.2%	-0.1%	1.0%	-1.1%	0.6%	-1.4%	3.8%	1.2%	1.4%	-1.1%	-84.0%	10.7%	-30.5%	
2018 May	-6.0%	-6.8%	2.4%	-0.9%	6.8%	-7.1%	0.4%	0.9%	-1.1%	-1.4%	1.7%	-1.7%	-22.6%	-30.8%	10.7%	
2018 Aug	-0.5%	8.0%	-7.5%	3.4%	-3.0%	4.1%	-0.3%	-3.9%	3.8%	4.4%	1.4%	1.1%	90.2%	-52.8%	10.7%	
<b>12 months ended:</b>																
2015 Aug	27 623	39 346	-11 723	14 901	25 368	-10 467	46 763	89 309	-42 546	19 058	25 689	-6 631	180	404	-224	
2016 Aug	28 023	39 753	-11 730	14 338	25 443	-11 105	50 812	94 510	-43 698	19 848	27 394	-7 546	166	392	-226	
2017 Aug	29 357	42 004	-12 647	15 761	26 764	-11 003	54 029	101 758	-47 729	20 794	28 988	-8 194	206	407	-201	
2018 Aug	28 456	40 974	-12 518	16 577	27 454	-10 877	56 236	99 074	-42 838	21 292	30 282	-8 990	503	815	-312	
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>																
2016 Aug	400	407	-7	-563	75	-638	4 049	5 201	-1 152	790	1 705	-915	-14	-12	-2	
2017 Aug	1 334	2 251	-917	1 423	1 321	102	3 217	7 248	-4 031	946	1 594	-648	40	15	25	
2018 Aug	-901	-1 030	129	816	690	126	2 207	-2 684	4 891	498	1 294	-796	297	408	-111	
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>																
2016 Aug	1.4%	1.0%	-0.2%	-3.8%	0.3%	-2.7%	8.7%	5.8%	-1.3%	4.1%	6.6%	-5.1%	-7.8%	-3.0%	-0.5%	
2017 Aug	4.8%	5.7%	-2.5%	9.9%	5.2%	1.1%	6.3%	7.7%	-3.0%	4.8%	5.8%	-4.7%	24.1%	3.8%	1.1%	
2018 Aug	-3.1%	-2.5%	2.8%	5.2%	2.6%	1.2%	4.1%	-2.6%	11.5%	2.4%	4.5%	-4.6%	144.2%	100.2%	-4.1%	

<sup>1</sup> CVM balances are Exports minus Imports

† Earliest date for revisions to trade in goods is July 2018.

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 13 UK TRADE IN GOODS COMMODITIES TRADED WITH NON-EU COUNTRIES AT CHAINED VOLUME MEASURES (CVM)

### Balance of Payments basis

Reference year = 2016

£ million, Seasonally Adjusted

	SITC 0 Food & live animals			SITC 1 Beverages & tobacco			SITC 2 Crude materials			SITC 3 Fuels			SITC 4 Animal & vegetable oils & fats		
	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>
	SHFP	SHGC	CTYD	SHHP	SHIC	CTYE	SHJR	SHKE	CTYG	SDLE	SDLW	CTYH	SIGX	SIHK	CTYI
<b>Annual</b>															
2015	3 808	10 055	-6 247	4 469	2 330	2 139	3 274	4 297	-1 023	6 943	27 020	-20 077	63	368	-305
2016	4 048	10 891	-6 843	4 544	2 426	2 118	3 658	4 078	-420	7 363	25 392	-18 029	90	368	-278
2017	4 316	10 716	-6 400	4 359	2 245	2 114	4 832	4 341	491	9 026	28 494	-19 468	88	521	-433
<b>Quarterly</b>															
2017 Q1	997	2 658	-1 661	1 038	574	464	1 167	1 193	-26	2 335	7 497	-5 162	23	122	-99
Q2	1 071	2 671	-1 600	1 015	550	465	1 226	1 035	191	2 578	6 683	-4 105	19	139	-120
Q3	1 165	2 673	-1 508	1 198	569	629	1 216	1 039	177	2 238	6 985	-4 747	29	119	-90
Q4	1 083	2 714	-1 631	1 108	552	556	1 223	1 074	149	1 875	7 329	-5 454	17	141	-124
2018 Q1	1 015	2 792	-1 777	1 160	564	596	1 168	1 053	115	1 601	7 206	-5 605	17	116	-99
Q2	1 026	2 762	-1 736	1 194	582	612	1 226	1 068	158	2 051	6 413	-4 362	21	97	-76
<b>Monthly</b>															
2018 Jan	343	961	-618	390	189	201	399	358	41	559	2 440	-1 881	3	47	-44
2018 Feb	326	901	-575	380	170	210	383	352	31	499	2 037	-1 538	9	36	-27
2018 Mar	346	930	-584	390	205	185	386	343	43	543	2 729	-2 186	5	33	-28
2018 Apr	341	888	-547	409	195	214	405	336	69	727	2 357	-1 630	7	29	-22
2018 May	342	942	-600	407	196	211	396	341	55	820	1 973	-1 153	8	37	-29
2018 Jun	343	932	-589	378	191	187	425	391	34	504	2 083	-1 579	6	31	-25
2018 Jul	338	954	-616	412	198	214	428	370	58	713	2 344	-1 631	5	44	-39
2018 Aug	343	915	-572	298	193	105	411	412	-1	896	2 496	-1 600	9	35	-26
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 Jun	1	-10	11	-29	-5	-24	29	50	-21	-316	110	-426	-2	-6	4
2018 Jul	-5	22	-27	34	7	27	3	-21	24	209	261	-52	-1	13	-14
2018 Aug	5	-39	44	-114	-5	-109	-17	42	-59	183	152	31	4	-9	13
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 Jun	0.3%	-1.1%		-7.1%	-2.6%		7.3%	14.7%		-38.5%	5.6%		-25.0%	-16.2%	
2018 Jul	-1.5%	2.4%		9.0%	3.7%		0.7%	-5.4%		41.5%	12.5%		-16.7%	41.9%	
2018 Aug	1.5%	-4.1%		-27.7%	-2.5%		-4.0%	11.4%		25.7%	6.5%		80.0%	-20.5%	
<b>3 months ended:</b>															
2017 Nov	1 094	2 673	-1 579	1 160	568	592	1 215	1 112	103	2 181	7 172	-4 991	23	130	-107
2018 Feb	1 038	2 775	-1 737	1 106	541	565	1 209	1 038	171	1 512	7 053	-5 541	18	131	-113
2018 May	1 029	2 760	-1 731	1 206	596	610	1 187	1 020	167	2 090	7 059	-4 969	20	99	-79
2018 Aug	1 024	2 801	-1 777	1 088	582	506	1 264	1 173	91	2 113	6 923	-4 810	20	110	-90
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	-56	102	-158	-54	-27	-27	-6	-74	68	-669	-119	-550	-5	1	-6
2018 May	-9	-15	6	100	55	45	-22	-18	-4	578	6	572	2	-32	34
2018 Aug	-5	41	-46	-118	-14	-104	77	153	-76	23	-136	159	0	11	-11
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	-5.1%	3.8%		-4.7%	-4.8%		-0.5%	-6.7%		-30.7%	-1.7%		-21.7%	0.8%	
2018 May	-0.9%	-0.5%		9.0%	10.2%		-1.8%	-1.7%		38.2%	0.1%		11.1%	-24.4%	
2018 Aug	-0.5%	1.5%		-9.8%	-2.3%		6.5%	15.0%		1.1%	-1.9%		0.0%	11.1%	
<b>12 months ended:</b>															
2015 Aug	3 841	9 960	-6 119	4 334	2 273	2 061	3 465	4 457	-992	5 628	26 657	-21 029	48	340	-292
2016 Aug	4 013	10 507	-6 494	4 662	2 377	2 285	3 344	3 992	-648	7 661	25 776	-18 115	81	375	-294
2017 Aug	4 139	10 925	-6 786	4 305	2 318	1 987	4 529	4 327	202	8 939	27 847	-18 908	97	466	-369
2018 Aug	4 185	11 009	-6 824	4 560	2 287	2 273	4 875	4 343	532	7 896	28 207	-20 311	81	470	-389
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	172	547	-375	328	104	224	-121	-465	344	2 033	-881	2 914	33	35	-2
2017 Aug	126	418	-292	-357	-59	-298	1 185	335	850	1 278	2 071	-793	16	91	-75
2018 Aug	46	84	-38	255	-31	286	346	16	330	-1 043	360	-1 403	-16	4	-20
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	4.5%	5.5%		7.6%	4.6%		-3.5%	-10.4%		36.1%	-3.3%		68.8%	10.3%	
2017 Aug	3.1%	4.0%		-7.7%	-2.5%		35.4%	8.4%		16.7%	8.0%		19.8%	24.3%	
2018 Aug	1.1%	0.8%		5.9%	-1.3%		7.6%	0.4%		-11.7%	1.3%		-16.5%	0.9%	

<sup>1</sup> CVM balances are Exports minus Imports

† Earliest date for revisions to trade in goods is July 2018.

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 13 UK TRADE IN GOODS COMMODITIES TRADED WITH NON-EU COUNTRIES AT CHAINED VOLUME MEASURES (CVM)

### Balance of Payments basis

Reference year = 2016

£ million, Seasonally Adjusted

	SITC 5 Chemicals			SITC 6 Material manufactures			SITC 7 Machinery & transport equipment			SITC 8 Miscellaneous manufactures			SITC 9 Unspecified goods		
	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>	Exports	Imports	Balance <sup>1</sup>
	SENN	SEOY	CTYJ	SMJU	SMKH	CTYK	SMNC	SMNP	CTYL	SMVM	SMVZ	CTYM	SGSB	SGTO	CTYN
<b>Annual</b>															
2015	28 609	13 714	14 895	14 300	20 141	-5 841	69 135	65 388	3 747	25 260	43 564	-18 304	6 360	3 801	2 559
2016	25 429	14 208	11 221	12 431	19 934	-7 503	71 038	70 877	161	22 958	42 041	-19 083	4 809	4 443	366
2017	26 237	14 347	11 890	13 277	22 152	-8 875	77 374	75 064	2 310	24 338	42 069	-17 731	2 919	3 824	-905
<b>Quarterly</b>															
2017 Q1	6 587	3 606	2 981	3 132	5 056	-1 924	18 891	18 368	523	5 815	10 181	-4 366	711	272	439
Q2	6 700	3 633	3 067	3 260	5 694	-2 434	18 846	19 049	-203	6 150	10 670	-4 520	1 037	1 351	-314
Q3	6 519	3 608	2 911	3 393	5 756	-2 363	19 855	18 697	1 158	6 404	10 605	-4 201	602	1 180	-578
Q4	6 431	3 500	2 931	3 492	5 646	-2 154	19 782	18 950	832	5 969	10 613	-4 644	569	1 021	-452
2018 Q1	6 737	3 836	2 901	3 683	5 630	-1 947	20 275	17 852	2 423	6 229	10 279	-4 050	350	987	-637
Q2	6 754	3 378	3 376	3 457	5 466	-2 009	18 791	17 714	1 077	5 892	9 966	-4 074	607	2 057	-1 450
<b>Monthly</b>															
2018 Jan	2 378	1 309	1 069	1 111	1 969	-858	6 902	6 512	390	2 000	3 622	-1 622	197	107	90
2018 Feb	2 065	1 287	778	1 244	1 643	-399	6 802	5 534	1 268	2 110	3 302	-1 192	78	89	-11
2018 Mar	2 294	1 240	1 054	1 328	2 018	-690	6 571	5 806	765	2 119	3 355	-1 236	75	791	-716
2018 Apr	1 993	1 135	858	1 143	1 715	-572	6 026	5 663	363	1 991	3 286	-1 295	66	1 446	-1 380
2018 May	2 286	1 228	1 058	1 109	1 814	-705	6 034	5 724	310	1 951	3 334	-1 383	133	532	-399
2018 Jun	2 475	1 015	1 460	1 205	1 937	-732	6 731	6 327	404	1 950	3 346	-1 396	408	79	329
2018 Jul	2 351	1 121	1 230	1 221	1 865	-644	6 502	6 211	291	1 882	3 486	-1 604	672	135	537
2018 Aug	2 233	1 203	1 030	1 124	1 977	-853	6 424	6 895	-471	2 045	3 334	-1 289	610	80	530
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 Jun	189	-213	402	96	123	-27	697	603	94	-1	12	-13	275	-453	728
2018 Jul	-124	106	-230	16	-72	88	-229	-116	-113	-68	140	-208	264	56	208
2018 Aug	-118	82	-200	-97	112	-209	-78	684	-762	163	-152	315	-62	-55	-7
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>															
2018 Jun	8.3%	-17.3%		8.7%	6.8%		11.6%	10.5%		-0.1%	0.4%		206.8%	-85.2%	
2018 Jul	-5.0%	10.4%		1.3%	-3.7%		-3.4%	-1.8%		-3.5%	4.2%		64.7%	70.9%	
2018 Aug	-5.0%	7.3%		-7.9%	6.0%		-1.2%	11.0%		8.7%	-4.4%		-9.2%	-40.7%	
<b>3 months ended:</b>															
2017 Nov	6 246	3 600	2 646	3 447	5 759	-2 312	20 194	19 524	670	6 444	10 686	-4 242	910	837	73
2018 Feb	6 743	3 774	2 969	3 548	5 529	-1 981	20 050	17 766	2 284	6 065	10 382	-4 317	396	457	-61
2018 May	6 573	3 603	2 970	3 580	5 547	-1 967	18 631	17 193	1 438	6 061	9 975	-3 914	274	2 769	-2 495
2018 Aug	7 059	3 339	3 720	3 550	5 779	-2 229	19 657	19 433	224	5 877	10 166	-4 289	1 690	294	1 396
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	497	174	323	101	-230	331	-144	-1 758	1 614	-379	-304	-75	-514	-380	-134
2018 May	-170	-171	1	32	18	14	-1 419	-573	-846	-4	-407	403	-122	2 312	-2 434
2018 Aug	486	-264	750	-30	232	-262	1 026	2 240	-1 214	-184	191	-375	1 416	-2 475	3 891
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>															
2018 Feb	8.0%	4.8%		2.9%	-4.0%		-0.7%	-9.0%		-5.9%	-2.8%		-56.5%	-45.4%	
2018 May	-2.5%	-4.5%		0.9%	0.3%		-7.1%	-3.2%		-0.1%	-3.9%		-30.8%	505.9%	
2018 Aug	7.4%	-7.3%		-0.8%	4.2%		5.5%	13.0%		-3.0%	1.9%		516.8%	-89.4%	
<b>12 months ended:</b>															
2015 Aug	27 189	13 175	14 014	15 211	20 037	-4 826	70 627	65 008	5 619	24 519	43 322	-18 803	5 390	6 818	-1 428
2016 Aug	26 071	14 135	11 936	12 715	19 193	-6 478	69 524	69 100	424	24 062	42 322	-18 260	5 678	4 120	1 558
2017 Aug	26 288	14 321	11 967	12 783	21 645	-8 862	74 747	73 758	989	23 271	41 950	-18 679	4 130	3 385	745
2018 Aug	26 621	14 316	12 305	14 125	22 614	-8 489	78 532	73 916	4 616	24 447	41 209	-16 762	3 270	4 357	-1 087
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	-1 118	960	-2 078	-2 496	-844	-1 652	-1 103	4 092	-5 195	-457	-1 000	543	288	-2 698	2 986
2017 Aug	217	186	31	68	2 452	-2 384	5 223	4 658	565	-791	-372	-419	-1 548	-735	-813
2018 Aug	333	-5	338	1 342	969	373	3 785	158	3 627	1 176	-741	1 917	-860	972	-1 832
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>															
2016 Aug	-4.1%	7.3%		-16.4%	-4.2%		-1.6%	6.3%		-1.9%	-2.3%		5.3%	-39.6%	
2017 Aug	0.8%	1.3%		0.5%	12.8%		7.5%	6.7%		-3.3%	-0.9%		-27.3%	-17.8%	
2018 Aug	1.3%	0.0%		10.5%	4.5%		5.1%	0.2%		5.1%	-1.8%		-20.8%	28.7%	

<sup>1</sup> CVM balances are Exports minus Imports

<sup>†</sup> Earliest date for revisions to trade in goods is July 2018.



OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 14 UK TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES IMPLIED DEFLATORS (IDEF)

### Balance of Payments basis

Reference year = 2016

Seasonally Adjusted

	Trade in goods		Trade in services		Total trade	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	BOVW	BPGW	CTWG	CTWH	CTWJ	CTWK
<b>Annual</b>						
2015	94.6	97.3	93.8	92.6	94.3	96.0
2016	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2017	106.2	105.8	103.5	105.0	104.9	105.6
<b>Quarterly</b>						
2017 Q1	106.5	105.3	103.1	105.1	105.0	105.3
Q2	105.7	105.4	103.8	105.1	104.8	105.3
Q3	105.2	105.8	104.2	104.9	104.8	105.6
Q4	107.3	106.7	102.8	105.0	105.2	106.2
2018 Q1	107.0	105.9	103.6	105.5	105.4	105.8
Q2	109.5	108.2	105.6	106.4	107.7	107.7
<b>Monthly</b>						
2018 Jan	108.2	105.8	102.8	105.2	105.7	105.7
2018 Feb	106.5	106.0	103.5	105.5	105.1	105.8
2018 Mar	106.3	105.9	104.5	105.8	105.5	105.9
2018 Apr	108.5	106.5	105.4	106.2	107.1	106.4
2018 May	110.5	109.5	105.9	106.5	108.3	108.7
2018 Jun	109.4	108.5	105.6	106.6	107.7	108.0
2018 Jul	110.0	110.6	105.0	106.5	107.7	109.5
2018 Aug	111.3	111.2	104.5	106.5	108.2	110.0
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>						
2018 Jun	-1.1	-1.0	-0.3	0.1	-0.6	-0.7
2018 Jul	0.6	2.1	-0.6	-0.1	0.0	1.5
2018 Aug	1.3	0.6	-0.5	0.0	0.5	0.5
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>						
2018 Jun	-1.0%	-0.9%	-0.3%	0.1%	-0.6%	-0.6%
2018 Jul	0.5%	1.9%	-0.6%	-0.1%	0.0%	1.4%
2018 Aug	1.2%	0.5%	-0.5%	0.0%	0.5%	0.5%
<b>3 months ended:</b>						
2017 Nov	106.9	106.2	103.2	104.9	105.2	105.9
2018 Feb	107.1	106.2	102.9	105.3	105.1	105.9
2018 May	108.4	107.3	105.3	106.2	107.0	107.0
2018 Aug	110.2	110.1	105.0	106.5	107.9	109.2
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>						
2018 Feb	0.2	0.0	-0.3	0.4	0.0	0.0
2018 May	1.4	1.1	2.3	0.9	1.8	1.1
2018 Aug	1.8	2.8	-0.2	0.4	0.9	2.2
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>						
2018 Feb	0.2%	0.0%	-0.3%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%
2018 May	1.3%	1.0%	2.3%	0.9%	1.7%	1.0%
2018 Aug	1.7%	2.6%	-0.2%	0.3%	0.8%	2.0%
<b>12 months ended:</b>						
2015 Aug	97.5	99.8	93.4	93.5	95.6	98.1
2016 Aug	96.0	97.5	96.6	95.8	96.3	97.0
2017 Aug	105.6	104.7	103.9	104.9	104.8	104.7
2018 Aug	108.2	107.5	104.1	105.7	106.3	107.0
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>						
2016 Aug	-1.5	-2.3	3.2	2.4	0.7	-1.0
2017 Aug	9.6	7.2	7.3	9.1	8.5	7.7
2018 Aug	2.6	2.8	0.2	0.8	1.5	2.3
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>						
2016 Aug	-1.5%	-2.3%	3.4%	2.5%	0.7%	-1.1%
2017 Aug	10.0%	7.4%	7.5%	9.4%	8.8%	7.9%
2018 Aug	2.4%	2.7%	0.2%	0.8%	1.4%	2.2%

† Earliest date for revisions to both trade in goods and trade in services is January 2017.

## 15 UK TRADE IN GOODS COMMODITIES TRADED WITH WHOLE WORLD COUNTRIES IMPLIED DEFLATORS (IDEF)

### Balance of Payments basis

Reference year = 2016

Seasonally Adjusted

	SITC 0 Food & live animals		SITC 1 Beverages & tobacco		SITC 2 Crude materials		SITC 3 Fuels		SITC 4 Animal & vegetable oils & fats			
	Exports		Imports		Exports		Imports		Exports		Imports	
	EDHK	EDHL	EDHM	EDHN	EDHP	EDHO	BOVC	BPGC	EDHS	EDHT		
<b>Annual</b>												
2015	91.9	97.3	94.5	97.9	98.7	96.6	106.8	107.8	94.6	95.7		
2016	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0		
2017	107.1	105.7	109.7	105.8	101.8	108.2	129.5	123.6	105.8	108.7		
<b>Quarterly</b>												
2017 Q1	106.6	103.9	109.9	103.5	101.7	105.8	136.0	122.7	103.6	112.4		
Q2	106.6	105.9	108.8	104.8	101.4	108.6	121.2	117.7	101.6	109.9		
Q3	108.7	106.8	110.7	107.0	102.3	109.6	122.0	122.2	109.8	104.4		
Q4	106.3	106.0	109.4	107.9	101.6	109.0	141.3	131.3	107.6	108.9		
2018 Q1	106.7	102.9	107.7	105.0	101.0	110.0	154.2	133.2	105.8	112.2		
Q2	108.0	103.5	107.1	105.8	103.0	112.1	168.6	153.3	102.2	115.9		
<b>Monthly</b>												
2018 Jan	106.1	102.3	109.0	105.9	101.2	112.4	156.1	134.7	110.5	111.0		
2018 Feb	107.2	103.3	109.1	105.4	102.1	107.3	153.7	138.0	100.0	110.6		
2018 Mar	106.7	103.2	105.0	103.7	99.7	110.3	152.7	128.3	106.8	115.8		
2018 Apr	107.8	103.4	105.8	106.5	102.7	111.1	160.5	139.9	93.0	120.5		
2018 May	108.9	104.0	108.0	107.5	103.3	113.7	174.3	156.3	108.2	119.1		
2018 Jun	107.2	103.2	107.6	103.4	102.8	111.4	171.6	165.1	104.3	108.2		
2018 Jul	107.8	105.2	107.3	105.1	104.4	115.3	161.8	164.3	105.9	117.0		
2018 Aug	108.4	106.4	131.8	106.7	106.7	115.5	171.8	163.2	100.0	113.4		
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>												
2018 Jun	-1.7	-0.8	-0.4	-4.1	-0.5	-2.3	-2.7	8.8	-3.9	-10.9		
2018 Jul	0.6	2.0	-0.3	1.7	1.6	3.9	-9.8	-0.8	1.6	8.8		
2018 Aug	0.6	1.2	24.5	1.6	2.3	0.2	10.0	-1.1	-5.9	-3.6		
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>												
2018 Jun	-1.6%	-0.8%	-0.4%	-3.8%	-0.5%	-2.0%	-1.5%	5.6%	-3.6%	-9.2%		
2018 Jul	0.6%	1.9%	-0.3%	1.6%	1.6%	3.5%	-5.7%	-0.5%	1.5%	8.1%		
2018 Aug	0.6%	1.1%	22.8%	1.5%	2.2%	0.2%	6.2%	-0.7%	-5.6%	-3.1%		
<b>3 months ended:</b>												
2017 Nov	106.8	106.4	108.9	107.7	102.4	108.7	138.8	128.7	109.6	109.5		
2018 Feb	106.4	103.7	110.0	106.4	101.0	109.7	150.6	135.7	107.4	108.9		
2018 May	107.8	103.5	106.3	105.9	101.9	111.7	162.5	141.5	102.7	118.5		
2018 Aug	107.8	104.9	115.6	105.1	104.6	114.1	168.4	164.2	103.4	112.9		
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>												
2018 Feb	-0.4	-2.8	1.1	-1.3	-1.4	1.0	11.8	7.0	-2.2	-0.6		
2018 May	1.4	-0.1	-3.7	-0.5	0.9	2.0	11.9	5.8	-4.7	9.6		
2018 Aug	0.0	1.4	9.3	-0.8	2.7	2.4	5.9	22.7	0.7	-5.6		
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>												
2018 Feb	-0.3%	-2.6%	1.0%	-1.2%	-1.3%	0.9%	8.5%	5.4%	-2.0%	-0.5%		
2018 May	1.3%	-0.1%	-3.4%	-0.5%	0.9%	1.8%	7.9%	4.3%	-4.4%	8.8%		
2018 Aug	0.0%	1.4%	8.8%	-0.8%	2.7%	2.1%	3.6%	16.0%	0.7%	-4.7%		
<b>12 months ended:</b>												
2015 Aug	92.8	97.7	98.4	98.4	99.0	98.8	131.1	127.6	96.9	100.6		
2016 Aug	95.5	97.9	95.2	99.0	99.3	97.0	92.1	93.8	95.9	95.7		
2017 Aug	107.0	104.6	108.8	103.3	101.4	106.5	123.7	117.6	104.9	108.2		
2018 Aug	107.2	104.6	110.2	106.3	102.5	111.1	155.1	142.5	105.8	112.4		
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>												
2016 Aug	2.7	0.1	-3.2	0.6	0.3	-1.8	-39.0	-33.8	-1.0	-4.9		
2017 Aug	11.5	6.7	13.6	4.3	2.1	9.5	31.6	23.9	9.0	12.5		
2018 Aug	0.3	0.1	1.4	3.0	1.1	4.5	31.4	24.9	0.8	4.2		
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>												
2016 Aug	2.9%	0.2%	-3.3%	0.6%	0.3%	-1.8%	-29.7%	-26.5%	-1.1%	-4.9%		
2017 Aug	12.0%	6.8%	14.3%	4.4%	2.1%	9.8%	34.3%	25.5%	9.4%	13.1%		
2018 Aug	0.2%	0.1%	1.3%	2.9%	1.1%	4.2%	25.4%	21.2%	0.8%	3.9%		

† Earliest date for revisions to trade in goods is July 2018.

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 15 UK TRADE IN GOODS COMMODITIES TRADED WITH WHOLE WORLD COUNTRIES IMPLIED DEFLATORS (IDEF)

### Balance of Payments basis

Reference year = 2016

Seasonally Adjusted

	SITC 5 Chemicals		SITC 6 Material manufactures		SITC 7 Machinery & transport equipment		SITC 8 Miscellaneous manufactures		SITC 9 Unspecified goods	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	ENFC	ENHW	EDHW	EDHX	EDHY	EDHZ	EDIB	EDIA	BOVF	OMUB
<b>Annual</b>										
2015	93.5	96.9	95.3	94.4	93.5	97.0	93.5	94.9	92.8	99.4
2016	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2017	104.5	105.2	106.0	106.5	103.6	103.0	104.0	103.5	103.5	100.7
<b>Quarterly</b>										
2017 Q1	105.1	104.4	104.6	106.9	104.0	102.5	103.0	103.3	103.0	107.3
Q2	104.9	104.8	105.0	106.3	103.6	103.5	104.7	103.5	103.0	103.2
Q3	102.7	105.4	105.8	106.2	102.9	103.0	104.6	103.9	102.2	98.1
Q4	105.2	106.0	108.4	106.8	104.0	103.1	103.7	103.5	106.9	98.7
2018 Q1	104.6	105.9	106.0	106.5	102.7	102.1	103.9	101.6	97.7	95.2
Q2	105.6	106.5	107.2	107.3	104.5	103.5	105.2	102.5	103.2	94.8
<b>Monthly</b>										
2018 Jan	105.7	105.4	111.2	107.4	103.2	101.7	104.2	101.5	99.1	87.1
2018 Feb	105.1	106.0	104.5	107.1	102.5	101.6	102.7	101.5	98.9	102.1
2018 Mar	102.9	106.2	102.7	105.2	102.5	103.0	104.8	102.0	93.3	95.1
2018 Apr	107.0	106.5	109.9	106.4	102.6	102.8	103.2	101.9	90.0	93.5
2018 May	104.6	107.5	108.6	108.0	105.7	104.6	106.0	103.2	95.9	96.1
2018 Jun	105.3	105.6	103.3	107.4	105.1	103.1	106.5	102.3	108.0	107.4
2018 Jul	104.2	106.9	106.0	110.2	105.5	105.3	106.9	103.0	103.4	92.3
2018 Aug	103.2	108.6	107.6	110.6	105.8	104.7	106.3	104.3	103.9	109.1
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>										
2018 Jun	0.7	-1.9	-5.3	-0.6	-0.6	-1.5	0.5	-0.9	12.1	11.3
2018 Jul	-1.1	1.3	2.7	2.8	0.4	2.2	0.4	0.7	-4.6	-15.1
2018 Aug	-1.0	1.7	1.6	0.4	0.3	-0.6	-0.6	1.3	0.5	16.8
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>										
2018 Jun	0.7%	-1.8%	-4.9%	-0.6%	-0.6%	-1.4%	0.5%	-0.9%	12.6%	11.8%
2018 Jul	-1.0%	1.2%	2.6%	2.6%	0.4%	2.1%	0.4%	0.7%	-4.3%	-14.1%
2018 Aug	-1.0%	1.6%	1.5%	0.4%	0.3%	-0.6%	-0.6%	1.3%	0.5%	18.2%
<b>3 months ended:</b>										
2017 Nov	103.8	106.2	108.1	106.8	103.5	102.4	104.3	103.7	105.9	99.2
2018 Feb	105.7	105.3	107.1	106.9	102.9	102.2	103.2	101.9	101.6	95.1
2018 May	104.8	106.7	107.1	106.5	103.6	103.5	104.7	102.4	93.1	94.9
2018 Aug	104.2	107.0	105.6	109.4	105.5	104.4	106.6	103.2	105.1	102.9
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>										
2018 Feb	1.9	-0.9	-1.0	0.1	-0.6	-0.2	-1.1	-1.8	-4.3	-4.0
2018 May	-0.9	1.4	0.0	-0.4	0.7	1.2	1.5	0.5	-8.5	-0.2
2018 Aug	-0.6	0.3	-1.4	2.9	1.9	0.9	1.9	0.8	12.0	8.0
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>										
2018 Feb	1.8%	-0.8%	-0.9%	0.1%	-0.6%	-0.2%	-1.1%	-1.8%	-4.1%	-4.1%
2018 May	-0.8%	1.4%	0.0%	-0.3%	0.7%	1.2%	1.4%	0.5%	-8.4%	-0.2%
2018 Aug	-0.6%	0.3%	-1.3%	2.7%	1.8%	0.9%	1.8%	0.8%	12.9%	8.5%
<b>12 months ended:</b>										
2015 Aug	94.9	98.8	97.6	96.7	94.2	97.4	94.2	95.0	94.2	105.9
2016 Aug	96.7	97.6	96.7	95.9	96.5	98.7	96.6	97.6	95.0	95.5
2017 Aug	103.9	104.5	104.7	105.7	103.7	102.4	104.2	103.3	100.6	101.4
2018 Aug	104.7	106.3	107.0	107.4	103.9	103.1	104.7	102.8	101.4	98.0
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>										
2016 Aug	1.8	-1.3	-0.9	-0.8	2.3	1.2	2.4	2.6	0.8	-10.5
2017 Aug	7.3	6.9	8.1	9.8	7.2	3.8	7.6	5.6	5.6	5.9
2018 Aug	0.7	1.8	2.2	1.7	0.1	0.7	0.5	-0.5	0.8	-3.4
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>										
2016 Aug	1.9%	-1.3%	-0.9%	-0.8%	2.4%	1.2%	2.5%	2.8%	0.9%	-9.9%
2017 Aug	7.5%	7.1%	8.3%	10.2%	7.5%	3.8%	7.9%	5.8%	5.9%	6.2%
2018 Aug	0.7%	1.8%	2.1%	1.6%	0.1%	0.7%	0.5%	-0.5%	0.8%	-3.3%

† Earliest date for revisions to trade in goods is July 2018.

## 16 UK TRADE IN GOODS COMMODITIES TRADED WITH EU COUNTRIES IMPLIED DEFLATORS (IDEF)

### Balance of Payments basis

Reference year = 2016

Seasonally Adjusted

	SITC 5 Chemicals		SITC 6 Material manufactures		SITC 7 Machinery & transport equipment		SITC 8 Miscellaneous manufactures		SITC 9 Unspecified goods	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	SEKO	SELZ	CTXB	CTXC	CTXF	CTXG	CTXI	CTXH	SGOY	SGQJ
<b>Annual</b>										
2015	91.8	96.2	95.7	95.3	94.2	99.4	92.9	95.8	90.8	98.9
2016	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2017	106.4	105.2	106.9	108.3	104.5	102.9	105.1	104.9	101.2	106.8
<b>Quarterly</b>										
2017 Q1	105.7	104.3	104.6	107.3	104.5	101.0	103.4	104.0	80.4	109.8
Q2	106.0	104.5	105.9	106.9	103.1	103.1	104.1	104.9	89.2	104.9
Q3	106.5	105.9	107.5	108.5	104.9	103.1	106.5	105.5	96.2	100.8
Q4	107.3	106.3	109.3	110.6	105.7	104.4	106.3	104.9	150.0	109.1
2018 Q1	107.9	106.8	109.3	110.7	106.1	104.1	106.4	103.9	76.2	106.3
Q2	109.7	107.2	109.5	111.3	105.7	105.2	107.6	104.3	94.4	115.4
<b>Monthly</b>										
2018 Jan	109.6	106.1	109.4	111.9	107.3	103.3	105.4	103.9	60.0	95.8
2018 Feb	108.7	107.6	109.4	111.4	106.2	103.9	106.8	104.2	91.7	104.0
2018 Mar	105.5	106.7	109.0	108.9	104.9	105.2	107.1	103.7	80.0	133.3
2018 Apr	109.5	108.4	108.6	112.1	106.0	105.6	107.5	104.1	57.1	114.3
2018 May	109.7	108.3	110.0	110.4	105.6	106.5	108.1	105.3	83.3	116.4
2018 Jun	110.0	105.1	109.9	111.4	105.5	103.7	107.4	103.5	117.9	118.7
2018 Jul	110.4	108.0	110.2	115.4	105.9	107.7	109.2	105.1	80.0	100.0
2018 Aug	109.9	108.9	108.8	115.0	105.2	104.4	107.6	105.7	64.0	107.3
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>										
2018 Jun	0.3	-3.2	-0.1	1.0	-0.1	-2.8	-0.7	-1.8	34.6	2.3
2018 Jul	0.4	2.9	0.3	4.0	0.4	4.0	1.8	1.6	-37.9	-18.7
2018 Aug	-0.5	0.9	-1.4	-0.4	-0.7	-3.3	-1.6	0.6	-16.0	7.3
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>										
2018 Jun	0.3%	-3.0%	-0.1%	0.9%	-0.1%	-2.6%	-0.6%	-1.7%	41.5%	2.0%
2018 Jul	0.4%	2.8%	0.3%	3.6%	0.4%	3.9%	1.7%	1.5%	-32.1%	-15.8%
2018 Aug	-0.5%	0.8%	-1.3%	-0.3%	-0.7%	-3.1%	-1.5%	0.6%	-20.0%	7.3%
<b>3 months ended:</b>										
2017 Nov	35.6	35.4	36.4	36.8	35.2	34.4	35.3	34.9	44.2	33.5
2018 Feb	36.1	35.5	36.3	37.1	35.3	34.7	35.4	34.7	33.9	34.2
2018 May	36.1	35.9	36.4	36.8	35.2	35.3	35.9	34.8	24.5	40.4
2018 Aug	36.7	35.8	36.5	38.0	35.2	35.1	36.0	34.9	29.1	36.2
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>										
2018 Feb	0.5	0.0	-0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.1	-0.2	-10.2	0.7
2018 May	-0.1	0.5	0.1	-0.3	-0.2	0.6	0.5	0.1	-9.5	6.3
2018 Aug	0.6	-0.2	0.1	1.2	0.0	-0.2	0.2	0.1	4.6	-4.2
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>										
2018 Feb	1.5%	0.1%	-0.3%	0.9%	0.5%	0.8%	0.2%	-0.6%	-23.1%	2.0%
2018 May	-0.2%	1.3%	0.3%	-0.8%	-0.5%	1.7%	1.3%	0.2%	-27.9%	18.4%
2018 Aug	1.7%	-0.4%	0.4%	3.1%	0.0%	-0.5%	0.5%	0.4%	18.8%	-10.4%
<b>12 months ended:</b>										
2015 Aug	7.9	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.0	8.4	7.8	8.0	7.6	8.8
2016 Aug	8.0	8.1	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.3	8.0	8.1	7.7	8.4
2017 Aug	8.8	8.7	8.8	8.9	8.6	8.5	8.7	8.7	7.7	8.6
2018 Aug	9.0	8.9	9.1	9.3	8.8	8.7	8.9	8.7	8.2	9.0
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>										
2016 Aug	0.1	-0.1	-0.2	-0.1	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	-0.4
2017 Aug	0.8	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.6	0.1	0.7	0.5	0.0	0.2
2018 Aug	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.5	0.4
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>										
2016 Aug	1.2%	-1.0%	-2.2%	-1.5%	1.1%	-0.4%	2.9%	1.3%	0.8%	-4.3%
2017 Aug	10.2%	7.4%	8.8%	10.2%	7.0%	1.4%	8.1%	6.5%	0.3%	2.0%
2018 Aug	2.9%	2.4%	4.0%	5.0%	1.8%	3.1%	2.6%	0.5%	6.6%	4.7%

† Earliest date for revisions to trade in goods is July 2018.

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 17 UK TRADE IN GOODS COMMODITIES TRADED WITH NON-EU COUNTRIES IMPLIED DEFLATORS (IDEF)

### Balance of Payments basis

Reference year = 2016

Seasonally Adjusted

	SITC 0 Food & live animals		SITC 1 Beverages & tobacco		SITC 2 Crude materials		SITC 3 Fuels		SITC 4 Animal & vegetable oils & fats	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	CTXL	CTXM	CTXO	CTXP	CTYO	CTYP	SDKY	SDLR	CTYS	CTYT
<b>Annual</b>										
2015	93.1	95.8	93.6	99.0	99.1	96.4	105.1	108.1	95.2	94.6
2016	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2017	105.6	108.5	113.1	105.6	101.1	108.0	128.8	123.3	103.4	102.3
<b>Quarterly</b>										
2017 Q1	107.5	108.7	114.3	104.5	100.5	106.8	136.5	122.0	104.3	104.9
Q2	105.5	108.7	112.6	105.6	101.0	109.6	120.8	119.0	94.7	100.7
Q3	105.8	109.3	113.4	105.6	101.7	109.0	119.8	121.4	103.4	102.5
Q4	103.7	107.5	112.2	106.7	101.1	106.8	140.8	130.4	111.8	101.4
2018 Q1	104.3	100.1	109.7	103.7	100.1	107.5	156.5	132.9	100.0	103.4
Q2	104.9	101.2	108.8	105.8	100.9	110.1	162.4	160.1	100.0	116.5
<b>Monthly</b>										
2018 Jan	107.0	100.1	111.5	106.9	98.7	111.5	153.8	135.9	133.3	106.4
2018 Feb	103.1	99.9	111.8	103.5	101.8	104.8	160.3	138.0	100.0	97.2
2018 Mar	102.9	100.2	105.6	101.0	99.7	106.1	155.6	126.3	80.0	106.1
2018 Apr	103.2	100.1	107.6	107.7	100.2	109.5	149.9	144.7	100.0	124.1
2018 May	106.7	103.4	109.6	107.7	101.3	111.7	166.1	168.3	100.0	121.6
2018 Jun	104.7	100.1	109.3	102.1	101.2	109.2	174.4	169.9	100.0	103.2
2018 Jul	107.1	103.2	107.8	104.5	101.9	110.0	170.0	166.2	100.0	118.2
2018 Aug	110.8	104.8	150.3	104.7	103.9	111.7	173.4	168.0	100.0	120.0
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>										
2018 Jun	-2.0	-3.3	-0.3	-5.6	-0.1	-2.5	8.3	1.6	0.0	-18.4
2018 Jul	2.4	3.1	-1.5	2.4	0.7	0.8	-4.4	-3.7	0.0	15.0
2018 Aug	3.7	1.6	42.5	0.2	2.0	1.7	3.4	1.8	0.0	1.8
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>										
2018 Jun	-1.9%	-3.2%	-0.3%	-5.2%	-0.1%	-2.2%	5.0%	1.0%	0.0%	-15.1%
2018 Jul	2.3%	3.1%	-1.4%	2.4%	0.7%	0.7%	-2.5%	-2.2%	0.0%	14.5%
2018 Aug	3.5%	1.6%	39.4%	0.2%	2.0%	1.5%	2.0%	1.1%	0.0%	1.5%
<b>3 months ended:</b>										
2017 Nov	34.8	36.2	36.9	35.4	33.8	35.6	44.6	42.5	34.3	33.5
2018 Feb	34.7	34.0	37.8	35.3	33.5	36.0	51.4	45.3	40.7	34.2
2018 May	34.8	33.7	35.9	35.2	33.5	36.4	52.4	48.8	31.1	39.1
2018 Aug	35.8	34.2	40.8	34.6	34.1	36.8	57.5	56.0	33.3	37.9
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>										
2018 Feb	-0.1	-2.2	0.9	-0.1	-0.3	0.4	6.8	2.9	6.5	0.7
2018 May	0.1	-0.2	-2.0	-0.2	0.0	0.4	1.0	3.5	-9.6	4.9
2018 Aug	1.1	0.5	5.0	-0.6	0.6	0.4	5.1	7.2	2.2	-1.2
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>										
2018 Feb	-0.4%	-6.1%	2.6%	-0.2%	-0.9%	1.1%	15.3%	6.7%	18.9%	2.2%
2018 May	0.2%	-0.7%	-5.2%	-0.5%	-0.1%	1.1%	1.9%	7.6%	-23.6%	14.3%
2018 Aug	3.1%	1.4%	13.8%	-1.6%	1.9%	1.1%	9.8%	14.8%	7.1%	-3.0%
<b>12 months ended:</b>										
2015 Aug	7.8	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.3	8.3	10.9	10.7	8.7	8.4
2016 Aug	8.0	8.0	7.8	8.3	8.3	8.1	7.6	7.8	8.0	8.0
2017 Aug	8.9	8.9	9.4	8.6	8.4	8.9	10.3	9.8	8.5	8.7
2018 Aug	8.8	8.6	9.5	8.8	8.4	9.0	12.9	12.0	8.7	9.0
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>										
2016 Aug	0.2	0.0	-0.3	0.1	0.1	-0.3	-3.3	-2.9	-0.7	-0.4
2017 Aug	0.9	0.9	1.5	0.3	0.1	0.9	2.8	2.0	0.5	0.6
2018 Aug	-0.1	-0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	2.6	2.2	0.2	0.4
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>										
2016 Aug	3.2%	-0.2%	-3.7%	1.1%	0.6%	-3.2%	-30.5%	-26.8%	-8.4%	-4.7%
2017 Aug	10.6%	11.1%	19.6%	3.0%	0.7%	10.7%	36.5%	25.5%	6.8%	7.9%
2018 Aug	-1.2%	-3.4%	1.1%	2.3%	0.7%	1.4%	24.8%	22.9%	1.9%	4.2%

† Earliest date for revisions to trade in goods is July 2018.

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 17 UK TRADE IN GOODS COMMODITIES TRADED WITH NON-EU COUNTRIES IMPLIED DEFLATORS (IDEF)

### Balance of Payments basis

Reference year = 2016

Seasonally Adjusted

	SITC 5 Chemicals		SITC 6 Material manufactures		SITC 7 Machinery & transport equipment		SITC 8 Miscellaneous manufactures		SITC 9 Unspecified goods	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	SENG	SEOR	CTYW	CTYX	CTZA	CTZB	CTZD	CTZE	SGRU	SGTG
<b>Annual</b>										
2015	95.4	99.0	94.8	93.1	93.0	93.6	94.0	94.3	92.8	99.4
2016	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2017	102.4	104.9	104.9	104.4	103.0	103.2	103.1	102.6	103.9	99.6
<b>Quarterly</b>										
2017 Q1	104.5	104.6	104.5	106.4	103.6	104.6	102.5	102.8	104.8	106.6
Q2	103.7	105.9	103.9	105.6	104.0	103.9	105.1	102.6	103.9	103.0
Q3	98.4	104.1	103.7	103.5	101.4	102.7	103.1	102.7	105.3	97.8
Q4	102.9	105.1	107.2	102.2	102.9	101.4	101.5	102.5	101.4	95.2
2018 Q1	101.0	103.5	102.4	101.6	100.4	99.3	101.7	100.0	100.3	93.2
Q2	101.5	104.6	104.4	102.1	103.6	101.1	103.1	101.1	104.0	93.0
<b>Monthly</b>										
2018 Jan	101.6	103.6	113.2	102.3	100.4	99.6	103.0	99.8	102.0	83.2
2018 Feb	101.0	101.8	99.3	101.4	99.9	98.2	99.2	99.4	100.0	100.0
2018 Mar	100.3	105.1	96.2	100.9	100.8	99.9	102.9	100.7	96.0	93.8
2018 Apr	104.2	101.1	111.4	98.7	100.1	98.9	99.5	100.2	97.0	92.0
2018 May	99.6	105.5	106.9	104.9	105.9	101.9	104.0	101.6	97.0	93.8
2018 Jun	101.1	107.4	95.6	102.6	104.9	102.3	105.7	101.4	107.4	105.1
2018 Jul	98.1	103.7	101.2	103.9	105.3	102.3	104.7	101.5	104.3	90.4
2018 Aug	96.3	107.7	106.0	105.4	106.3	105.0	105.0	103.1	105.6	110.0
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>										
2018 Jun	1.5	1.9	-11.3	-2.3	-1.0	0.4	1.7	-0.2	10.4	11.3
2018 Jul	-3.0	-3.7	5.6	1.3	0.4	0.0	-1.0	0.1	-3.1	-14.7
2018 Aug	-1.8	4.0	4.8	1.5	1.0	2.7	0.3	1.6	1.3	19.6
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>										
2018 Jun	1.5%	1.8%	-10.6%	-2.2%	-0.9%	0.4%	1.6%	-0.2%	10.7%	12.0%
2018 Jul	-3.0%	-3.4%	5.9%	1.3%	0.4%	0.0%	-0.9%	0.1%	-2.9%	-14.0%
2018 Aug	-1.8%	3.9%	4.7%	1.4%	0.9%	2.6%	0.3%	1.6%	1.2%	21.7%
<b>3 months ended:</b>										
2017 Nov	33.4	35.3	35.6	34.2	34.0	33.8	34.3	34.3	34.4	33.3
2018 Feb	34.2	34.1	35.0	33.8	33.6	33.2	33.5	33.4	33.2	30.4
2018 May	33.8	34.6	34.9	33.8	34.1	33.4	34.0	33.6	32.2	31.1
2018 Aug	32.8	35.4	33.6	34.7	35.2	34.4	35.0	34.0	35.3	33.9
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>										
2018 Feb	0.8	-1.2	-0.6	-0.4	-0.4	-0.6	-0.8	-0.9	-1.2	-2.9
2018 May	-0.5	0.5	-0.1	0.0	0.5	0.2	0.5	0.2	-1.0	0.7
2018 Aug	-1.0	0.8	-1.3	0.8	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.4	3.0	2.9
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>										
2018 Feb	2.5%	-3.5%	-1.6%	-1.2%	-1.3%	-1.7%	-2.4%	-2.7%	-3.6%	-8.8%
2018 May	-1.3%	1.5%	-0.3%	0.0%	1.5%	0.5%	1.6%	0.7%	-2.9%	2.2%
2018 Aug	-2.8%	2.3%	-3.7%	2.4%	3.2%	3.0%	2.9%	1.2%	9.4%	9.3%
<b>12 months ended:</b>										
2015 Aug	8.0	8.4	8.0	7.9	7.7	7.8	7.9	7.8	7.9	8.8
2016 Aug	8.2	8.2	8.1	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.1	7.9	7.9
2017 Aug	8.5	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.4
2018 Aug	8.4	8.7	8.7	8.5	8.6	8.4	8.6	8.5	8.4	8.0
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>										
2016 Aug	0.2	-0.2	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.0	-0.8
2017 Aug	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.7	0.4
2018 Aug	-0.1	0.0	0.0	-0.2	-0.1	-0.2	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.3
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>										
2016 Aug	2.4%	-2.3%	0.4%	0.3%	3.5%	3.7%	2.2%	3.7%	-0.3%	-9.6%
2017 Aug	4.4%	6.2%	7.7%	10.1%	7.7%	7.4%	7.6%	5.3%	8.3%	5.7%
2018 Aug	-1.5%	0.1%	0.1%	-2.6%	-1.0%	-2.7%	-1.3%	-1.2%	-1.4%	-4.0%

† Earliest date for revisions to trade in goods is July 2018.

18 UK TRADE IN OIL<sup>1</sup>

## Balance of Payments basis

Seasonally Adjusted

	Balance of trade in oil £ million ENXQ	Exports					Imports				
		Crude oil (SITC 333)					Crude oil (SITC 333)				
		Total £ million ELBL	£ million BQNI	million <sup>2</sup> tonnes BOQM	Avg value <sup>3</sup> per tonne £ BPBN	Rest of SITC 33 £ million BOQN	Total £ million ENXO	£ million BQNJ	million tonnes BQBH	Avg value per tonne £ BQAX	Rest of SITC 33 £ million BQAY
<b>Annual</b>											
2015	-8 476	20 720	10 653	37.29	285	10 067	29 196	11 814	43.4	274	17 382
2016	-7 752	18 754	9 920	39.97	250	8 834	26 506	10 504	42.7	243	16 002
2017	-7 537	26 908	15 236	67.97	224	11 672	34 445	16 237	29.2	561	18 208
<b>Quarterly</b>											
2017 Q1	-2177	6734	3814	17.20	222	2920	8911	4165	6.5	646	4746
Q2	-1239	6726	3946	17.70	223	2780	7965	3778	7.1	530	4187
Q3	-1582	6719	3822	17.52	218	2897	8301	4011	8.3	485	4290
Q4	-2539	6729	3654	15.55	235	3075	9268	4283	7.4	583	4985
2018 Q1	-2066	7082	4081	13.85	295	3001	9148	3958	8.	497	5190
Q2	-2323	8096	4650	16.39	284	3446	10419	4622	6.4	722	5797
<b>Monthly</b>											
2018 Jan	-731	2561	1487	4.99	298	1074	3292	1528	3.1	494	1764
2018 Feb	-727	2184	1304	4.53	288	880	2911	1243	2.5	505	1668
2018 Mar	-608	2337	1290	4.33	298	1047	2945	1187	2.4	493	1758
2018 Apr	-616	2698	1667	6.03	276	1031	3314	1534	2.3	682	1780
2018 May	-754	2838	1676	5.75	291	1162	3592	1428	1.7	821	2164
2018 Jun	-953	2560	1307	4.61	284	1253	3513	1660	2.4	689	1853
2018 Jul	-552	3190	1959	5.40	363	1231	3742	1733	3.3	528	2009
2018 Aug	-755	3314	1941	7.89	246	1373	4069	2172	2.4	905	1897
<b>Value change, latest month compared with previous month:</b>											
2018 Jun	-199	-278	-369	-1.1	-7	91	-79	232	0.7	-132	-311
2018 Jul	401	630	652	0.8	79	-22	229	73	0.9	-161	156
2018 Aug	-203	124	-18	2.5	-117	142	327	439	-0.9	377	-112
<b>Percentage change, compared with previous month:</b>											
2018 Jun	26.4%	-9.8%	-22.0%	-19.8%	-2.4%	7.8%	-2.2%	16.2%	38.5%	-16.1%	-14.4%
2018 Jul	-42.1%	24.6%	49.9%	17.1%	27.8%	-1.8%	6.5%	4.4%	36.1%	-23.4%	8.4%
2018 Aug	36.8%	3.9%	-0.9%	46.1%	-32.2%	11.5%	8.7%	25.3%	-26.8%	71.4%	-5.6%
<b>3 months ended:</b>											
2017 Nov	-1 955	7 144	4 032	17.4	232	3 112	9 099	4 323	7.5	588	4 776
2018 Feb	-2 497	6 832	3 871	13.8	279	2 961	9 329	4 196	8.3	506	5 133
2018 May	-1 978	7 873	4 633	16.1	288	3 240	9 851	4 149	6.4	665	5 702
2018 Aug	-2 260	9 064	5 207	17.9	298	3 857	11 324	5 565	8.1	707	5 759
<b>Value change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>											
2018 Feb	-542	-312	-161	-3.6	47	-151	230	-127	0.9	-82	357
2018 May	519	1041	762	2.3	9	279	522	-47	-1.9	159	569
2018 Aug	-282	1191	574	1.8	10	617	1473	1416	1.7	42	57
<b>Percentage change, compared with 3 months previous:</b>											
2018 Feb	27.7%	-4.4%	-4.0%	-20.4%	20.3%	-4.9%	2.5%	-2.9%	11.4%	-13.9%	7.5%
2018 May	-20.8%	15.2%	19.7%	16.4%	3.2%	9.4%	5.6%	-1.1%	-22.9%	31.4%	11.1%
2018 Aug	14.3%	15.1%	12.4%	11.1%	3.5%	19.0%	15.0%	34.1%	26.4%	6.3%	1.0%
<b>12 months ended:</b>											
2015 Aug	-10 207	24 353	13 129	37.82	344	11 224	34 560	15 498	45.67	334	19 062
2016 Aug	-7 016	17 765	9 059	39.80	231	8 706	24 781	9 527	41.97	225	15 254
2017 Aug	-7 863	24 815	13 893	58.83	248	10 922	32 678	15 101	35.22	486	17 577
2018 Aug	-8 690	30 913	17 743	65.24	274	13 170	39 603	18 233	30.24	617	21 370
<b>Value change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>											
2016 Aug	3191	-6588	-4070	2.0	-113	-2518	-9779	-5971	-3.7	-109	-3808
2017 Aug	-847	7050	4834	19.0	17	2216	7897	5574	-6.8	261	2323
2018 Aug	-827	6098	3850	6.4	26	2248	6925	3132	-5.0	131	3793
<b>Percentage change, compared with 12 months previous:</b>											
2016 Aug	-31.3%	-27.1%	-31.0%	5.2%	-32.8%	-22.4%	-28.3%	-38.5%	-8.1%	-32.6%	-20.0%
2017 Aug	12.1%	39.7%	53.4%	47.8%	7.4%	25.5%	31.9%	58.5%	-16.1%	116.0%	15.2%
2018 Aug	10.5%	24.6%	27.7%	10.9%	10.5%	20.6%	21.2%	20.7%	-14.1%	27.0%	21.6%

<sup>1</sup> Trade in petroleum and petroleum products. These figures differ from those published by the Department of Energy and Climate Change which are compiled from different sources and are on a time of shipment basis.

<sup>2</sup> Months and quarters for millions tonnes may not sum to annual due to rounding.

<sup>3</sup> The average value per tonne may reflect not only changes in price but also changes in the commodity mix.

† Earliest date for revisions to trade in goods is July 2018.

[Return to Index](#)

**OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.**

**19 UK TRADE IN GOODS TOP 50 EXPORT MARKETS AND IMPORT SOURCES IN 2016 AND 2017**

Seasonally Adjusted

EXPORT MARKETS				IMPORT SOURCES				
Country	Value 2016 £ million	Value 2017 £ million	% of Total UK Goods	Country	Value 2016 £ million	Value 2017 £ million	% of Total UK Goods	
Exports 2017				Imports 2017				
1	United States inc Puerto Rico	48 543	51 388	15.2	Germany	63 308	68 845	14.5
2	Germany	32 403	37 182	11.0	China	39 486	43 377	9.1
3	France	19 516	24 214	7.1	Netherlands	34 959	40 482	8.5
4	Netherlands	19 052	22 032	6.5	United States inc Puerto Rico	36 410	39 748	8.4
5	Irish Republic	16 982	20 429	6.0	France	25 121	27 408	5.8
6	China	13 652	17 958	5.3	Belgium	23 780	25 435	5.3
7	Belgium	11 732	14 032	4.1	Norway	13 534	19 560	4.1
8	Italy	9 678	10 360	3.1	Italy	16 880	18 496	3.9
9	Spain	9 421	10 349	3.1	Spain	16 236	16 417	3.5
10	Hong Kong	6 441	7 908	2.3	Irish Republic	13 058	14 476	3.0
11	United Arab Emirates	6 935	7 642	2.3	Poland	9 158	10 459	2.2
12	Switzerland	8 596	7 501	2.2	Japan	7 997	9 401	2.0
13	Japan	5 040	6 373	1.9	Turkey	8 303	8 830	1.9
14	South Korea	4 587	6 306	1.9	Switzerland	9 921	7 880	1.7
15	Turkey	4 649	5 915	1.7	Hong Kong	6 508	7 719	1.6
16	Canada	4 997	5 403	1.6	India	6 341	7 672	1.6
17	Sweden	4 578	5 271	1.6	Sweden	6 426	7 005	1.5
18	Singapore	4 682	5 270	1.6	Russia	4 972	5 786	1.2
19	Poland	4 202	4 984	1.5	Czech Republic	5 386	5 601	1.2
20	Australia	4 162	4 976	1.5	Canada	5 339	5 424	1.1
21	India	3 456	4 462	1.3	Denmark	3 890	4 867	1.0
22	Saudi Arabia	4 621	4 216	1.2	South Korea	4 821	4 564	1.0
23	Norway	3 307	3 223	1.0	Vietnam	3 800	4 209	0.9
24	Russia	2 765	3 117	0.9	United Arab Emirates	3 076	4 187	0.9
25	Denmark	2 485	2 644	0.8	Taiwan	3 144	3 430	0.7
26	Qatar	1 992	2 557	0.8	Austria	3 171	3 262	0.7
27	South Africa	2 489	2 357	0.7	Singapore	2 631	3 222	0.7
28	Czech Republic	2 106	2 020	0.6	Thailand	2 803	3 059	0.6
29	Brazil	2 016	1 941	0.6	Portugal	2 642	2 972	0.6
30	Oman	443	1 932	0.6	South Africa	2 985	2 844	0.6
31	Austria	1 776	1 766	0.5	Bangladesh	2 199	2 751	0.6
32	Mexico	1 339	1 691	0.5	Hungary	2 650	2 703	0.6
33	Malaysia	1 342	1 465	0.4	Qatar	2 099	2 687	0.6
34	Portugal	1 400	1 429	0.4	Finland	2 222	2 454	0.5
35	Hungary	1 319	1 343	0.4	Slovakia	2 488	2 448	0.5
36	Thailand	1 154	1 299	0.4	Saudi Arabia	1 804	2 407	0.5
37	Nigeria	1 076	1 284	0.4	Australia	2 031	2 241	0.5
38	Egypt	1 293	1 278	0.4	Romania	1 685	1 906	0.4
39	Finland	1 305	1 259	0.4	Malaysia	1 817	1 821	0.4
40	Israel	1 151	1 237	0.4	Brazil	1 921	1 771	0.4
41	Taiwan	1 195	1 163	0.3	Algeria	686	1 393	0.3
42	Romania	1 018	1 138	0.3	Nigeria	906	1 315	0.3
43	Greece	896	880	0.3	Pakistan	1 142	1 215	0.3
44	FYR Macedonia	682	839	0.2	Mexico	1 024	1 187	0.2
45	New Zealand	718	827	0.2	Kuwait	1 046	1 131	0.2
46	Indonesia	541	798	0.2	Indonesia	1 241	1 100	0.2
47	Morocco	868	771	0.2	Israel	1 004	1 056	0.2
48	Pakistan	621	669	0.2	Cambodia	852	913	0.2
49	Kuwait	502	597	0.2	Libya	244	861	0.2
50	Vietnam	499	579	0.2	New Zealand	850	814	0.2



[Return to Index](#)

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

20 UK TRADE IN GOODS TOP 30 EXPORT AND IMPORT COMMODITIES IN 2016 AND 2017

Seasonally Adjusted

EXPORTS					IMPORTS					
Commodity	Division	Value 2016 £ million	Value 2017 £ million	% of Total UK Goods Exports 2017	Commodity	Division	Value 2016 £ million	Value 2017 £ million	% of Total UK Goods Imports 2017	
1	Cars	78M	31 151	34 197	10.1	Cars	78M	33 513	34 227	7.2
2	Medicinal & pharmaceutical products	54	25 473	27 282	8.1	Medicinal & pharmaceutical products	54	25 563	27 746	5.8
3	Mechanical power generators (intermediate)	71MI	19 061	23 469	6.9	Mechanical power generators (intermediate)	71MI	17 242	21 176	4.5
4	Aircraft	792	15 575	16 540	4.9	Clothing	84	18 946	20 020	4.2
5	Crude oil	33O	9 920	15 236	4.5	Telecoms & sound equipment (capital)	76K	15 316	18 212	3.8
6	Refined oil	33R	8 834	11 672	3.4	Refined oil	33R	16 002	18 208	3.8
7	Scientific instruments (capital)	87K	8 531	9 201	2.7	Crude oil	33O	10 504	16 237	3.4
8	Miscellaneous electrical goods (intermediate)	77I	7 877	8 921	2.6	Miscellaneous electrical goods (intermediate)	77I	14 996	15 761	3.3
9	Non-ferrous metals	68	6 629	8 607	2.5	Road vehicles other than cars (intermediate)	78I	12 922	13 723	2.9
10	Other manufactures (consumer)	89OC	7 279	8 406	2.5	Other manufactures (consumer)	89OC	12 631	13 551	2.8
11	Organic chemicals	51	7 744	8 393	2.5	Office machinery (capital)	75K	11 518	11 878	2.5
12	Beverages	11	7 030	7 666	2.3	Aircraft	792	13 593	11 505	2.4
13	General industrial machinery (capital)	74K	6 626	7 414	2.2	Vegetables & fruit	05	10 330	11 082	2.3
14	Clothing	84	6 243	6 803	2.0	Non-ferrous metals	68	8 073	10 647	2.2
15	General industrial machinery (intermediate)	74I	6 209	6 589	1.9	Miscellaneous metal manufactures	69	9 292	10 065	2.1
16	Telecoms & sound equipment (capital)	76K	5 431	6 253	1.8	Gas	34	6 304	8 820	1.9
17	Toilet & cleansing preparations	55	5 478	6 196	1.8	General industrial machinery (capital)	74K	7 504	8 448	1.8
18	Miscellaneous metal manufactures	69	5 605	6 110	1.8	Scientific instruments (capital)	87K	7 809	8 253	1.7
19	Specialised machinery (capital)	72K	5 498	5 997	1.8	Organic chemicals	51	6 390	7 485	1.6
20	Road vehicles other than cars (intermediate)	78I	5 114	5 705	1.7	General industrial machinery (intermediate)	74I	6 913	7 402	1.6
21	Works of art	896	5 536	5 455	1.6	Road vehicles other than cars (capital)	78K	6 431	6 795	1.4
22	Other chemicals	59	5 102	5 451	1.6	Mineral manufactures	66	6 169	6 691	1.4
23	Metal ores & scrap	28	3 433	4 464	1.3	Meat & meat preparations	01	6 195	6 686	1.4
24	Iron & steel	67	3 688	4 456	1.3	Toilet & cleansing preparations	55	5 867	6 505	1.4
25	Office machinery (capital)	75K	4 428	4 407	1.3	Iron & steel	67	5 192	6 484	1.4
26	Mineral manufactures	66	3 778	4 337	1.3	Beverages	11	6 154	6 352	1.3
27	Miscellaneous electrical goods (capital)	77K	3 492	4 108	1.2	Paper & paperboard	64	5 937	6 064	1.3
28	Jewellery	897C	3 695	4 048	1.2	Plastics in primary forms	57	4 830	5 726	1.2
29	Plastics in primary forms	57	3 142	3 624	1.1	Textile fabrics	65	5 279	5 702	1.2
30	Unspecified goods	9	4 974	3 545	1.0	Footwear	85	4 933	5 286	1.1

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 21 SELECTED AVERAGE STERLING EXCHANGE RATES<sup>1</sup>

### Balance of Payments basis

Not Seasonally Adjusted

	Sterling effective exchange rate index <sup>1</sup>	Euro	Australian dollar	Canadian dollar	Danish kroner	Hong Kong dollar	Japanese yen	New Zealand dollar	Norwegian kroner	South African rand	Swedish kronor	Swiss franc	United States dollar
	BK67	THAP	AJFP	AJFB	AJFK	AJFU	AJFO	AJFV	AJFJ	AJFW	AJFI	AJFD	AUSS
<b>Annual</b>													
2013	81.4102	1.1776	1.6226	1.6120	8.7827	12.1343	152.6864	1.9081	9.1976	15.1028	10.1885	1.4492	1.5642
2014	86.9352	1.2411	1.8263	1.8188	9.2515	12.7771	174.1627	1.9845	10.3700	17.8611	11.2902	1.5066	1.6477
2015	91.4308	1.3782	2.0368	1.9552	10.2796	11.8505	185.0475	2.1932	12.3239	19.5022	12.8945	1.4711	1.5285
2016	82.0010	1.2233	1.8229	1.7948	9.1085	10.5121	147.5553	1.9495	11.3882	19.9826	11.5818	1.3349	1.3549
2017	77.3374	1.1413	1.6808	1.6716	8.4900	10.0443	144.5462	1.8142	10.6543	17.1616	11.0079	1.2687	1.2890
<b>Quarterly</b>													
2016 Q1	87.0183	1.2981	1.9858	1.9669	9.6844	11.1247	164.9131	2.1579	12.3724	22.6593	12.1114	1.4229	1.4308
Q2	85.5367	1.2702	1.9242	1.8490	9.4490	11.1302	154.8983	2.0774	11.8385	21.5367	11.7859	1.3924	1.4346
Q3	78.8430	1.1763	1.7309	1.7124	8.7544	10.1824	134.4210	1.8169	10.9311	18.4593	11.1896	1.2808	1.3128
Q4	76.6058	1.1515	1.6560	1.6563	8.5663	9.6311	135.9888	1.7459	10.4109	17.2753	11.2404	1.2435	1.2416
2017 Q1	77.1158	1.1627	1.6341	1.6401	8.6451	9.6184	140.7739	1.7413	10.4495	16.3890	11.0578	1.2439	1.2396
Q2	77.9934	1.1621	1.7063	1.7221	8.6438	9.9733	142.2551	1.8167	10.9004	16.8956	11.2690	1.2604	1.2799
Q3	76.5321	1.1144	1.6582	1.6404	8.2894	10.2290	145.3264	1.7924	10.4224	17.2662	10.6564	1.2606	1.3091
Q4	77.7083	1.1269	1.7264	1.6865	8.3873	10.3582	149.8296	1.9065	10.8451	18.0955	11.0484	1.3101	1.3273
2018 Q1	79.0537	1.1324	1.7703	1.7605	8.4326	10.8949	150.6722	1.9130	10.9084	16.6463	11.2933	1.3192	1.3921
Q2	79.2072	1.1417	1.7977	1.7556	8.5040	10.6755	148.5582	1.9317	10.9129	17.2235	11.8037	1.3408	1.3610
<b>Monthly</b>													
2017 Jun	77.0608	1.1403	1.6947	1.7037	8.4810	9.9929	142.0913	1.7716	10.8418	16.5176	11.1210	1.2400	1.2813
2017 Jul	76.9841	1.1281	1.6669	1.6505	8.3891	10.1477	146.1195	1.7672	10.5984	17.0975	10.8143	1.2483	1.2994
2017 Aug	75.4841	1.0974	1.6372	1.6341	8.1623	10.1330	142.2666	1.7733	10.2297	17.1530	10.4827	1.2509	1.2955
2017 Sep	77.1281	1.1186	1.6716	1.6369	8.3229	10.4108	147.5932	1.8367	10.4391	17.5481	10.6722	1.2825	1.3324
2017 Oct	77.2558	1.1227	1.6949	1.6633	8.3560	10.3007	148.9964	1.8749	10.5537	18.0927	10.7927	1.2960	1.3197
2017 Nov	77.5956	1.1259	1.7343	1.6881	8.3788	10.3187	149.1007	1.9195	10.8302	18.5944	11.0890	1.3106	1.3219
2017 Dec	78.2736	1.1330	1.7536	1.7117	8.4334	10.4704	151.3918	1.9252	11.1515	17.5993	11.2636	1.3236	1.3402
2018 Jan	78.9388	1.1331	1.7376	1.7183	8.4362	10.8155	153.2613	1.9032	10.9255	16.8732	11.1247	1.3275	1.3832
2018 Feb	79.0003	1.1311	1.7741	1.7574	8.4223	10.9206	150.6083	1.9102	10.9431	16.5082	11.2450	1.3058	1.3961
2018 Mar	79.2220	1.1328	1.8008	1.8076	8.4385	10.9537	148.1470	1.9256	10.8565	16.5574	11.5103	1.3243	1.3970
2018 Apr	80.2991	1.1477	1.8323	1.7919	8.5487	11.0532	151.7348	1.9433	11.0464	17.0671	11.9128	1.3647	1.4083
2018 May	78.8334	1.1397	1.7892	1.7325	8.4889	10.5637	147.6933	1.9372	10.9087	16.9131	11.7982	1.3422	1.3459
2018 Jun	78.4891	1.1378	1.7732	1.7442	8.4766	10.4276	146.2465	1.9146	10.7836	17.6904	11.7000	1.3155	1.3288
2018 Jul	78.1626	1.1269	1.7791	1.7294	8.3981	10.3346	146.7800	1.9403	10.7068	17.6262	11.6162	1.3098	1.3169
2018 Aug	77.3971	1.1157	1.7579	1.6797	8.3182	10.1105	142.9793	1.9310	10.7360	18.1423	11.6748	1.2729	1.2880

<sup>1</sup> January 2005 = 100

OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE until 9.30am on Wednesday 10th October 2018.

## 22 SUMMARY OF REVISIONS

### Balance of Payments basis

	Current Prices (CP)								
	Trade in goods			Trade in services			Total trade		
	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance
	BOKG	BOKH	BOKI	IKBB	IKBC	IKBD	IKBH	IKBI	IKBJ
<b>Annual</b>									
2014	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2015	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2016	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2017	..	..	..	1 837	623	1 214	1 837	623	1 214
<b>Quarterly</b>									
2016 Q1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Q2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Q3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Q4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2017 Q1	..	..	..	- 329	- 14	- 315	- 329	- 14	- 315
Q2	..	..	..	- 238	- 268	30	- 238	- 268	30
Q3	..	..	..	953	230	723	953	230	723
Q4	..	..	..	1 451	675	776	1 451	675	776
2018 Q1	..	..	..	949	1 002	- 53	949	1 002	- 53
Q2	..	..	..	1 007	1 196	- 189	1 007	1 196	- 189
<b>Monthly</b>									
2017 May	..	..	..	- 102	- 108	6	- 102	- 108	6
2017 Jun	..	..	..	18	- 70	88	18	- 70	88
2017 Jul	..	..	..	177	3	174	177	3	174
2017 Aug	..	..	..	332	83	249	332	83	249
2017 Sep	..	..	..	444	144	300	444	144	300
2017 Oct	..	..	..	504	188	316	504	188	316
2017 Nov	..	..	..	503	224	279	503	224	279
2017 Dec	..	..	..	444	263	181	444	263	181
2018 Jan	..	..	..	362	301	61	362	301	61
2018 Feb	..	..	..	300	336	- 36	300	336	- 36
2018 Mar	..	..	..	287	365	- 78	287	365	- 78
2018 Apr	..	..	..	309	387	- 78	309	387	- 78
2018 May	..	..	..	340	401	- 61	340	401	- 61
2018 Jun	..	..	..	358	408	- 50	358	408	- 50
2018 Jul	- 293	121	- 414	364	411	- 47	71	532	- 461

<sup>1</sup> Revisions to CVMs are not available this month



# Office for National Statistics

## Media contact:

Tel Media Relations Office 0845 6041858

Emergency on-call 07867 906553

Email [press.office@ons.gov.uk](mailto:press.office@ons.gov.uk)

## Statistical contact:

Tel James Wells + 44 (0)1633 455582

Email [trade@ons.gov.uk](mailto:trade@ons.gov.uk)

## Contact us:

Tel 0845 601 3034

Email [info@ons.gov.uk](mailto:info@ons.gov.uk)

Website [www.ons.gov.uk](http://www.ons.gov.uk)

Twitter [www.twitter.com/ONS](https://www.twitter.com/ONS)