

EXTERNAL MERCHANDISE TRADE STATISTICS

JULY 2021

- Merchandise export and import amounted to MOP1.12 billion and MOP15.39 billion in July, up by 5.2% and 111.7% respectively year-on-year. Merchandise trade deficit totalled MOP14.27 billion.
- In the first seven months of 2021, merchandise export rose by 29.5% year-on-year, with re-exports and domestic exports increasing by 29.8% and 27.9% respectively; meanwhile, merchandise import soared by 143.6%. External merchandise trade surged by 127.4% year-on-year to MOP97.04 billion. Merchandise trade deficit totalled MOP81.39 billion, an increase of MOP50.80 billion from MOP30.59 billion a year earlier.
- Analysed by destination, merchandise export to mainland China (MOP1.17 billion), Hong Kong (MOP5.48 billion) and the USA (MOP385 million) in the first seven months of 2021 expanded by 23.1%, 33.6% and 33.4% respectively year-on-year. By place of origin, merchandise import from mainland China (MOP29.65 billion), the EU (MOP27.82 billion) and Switzerland (MOP7.70 billion) leapt by 127.3%, 188.7% and 343.3% respectively year-on-year.

Principal indicators

	Current month	Year-on-year (%)	Cumulative	Year-on-year (%)
Exports (Million MOP)	1,119.3	5.2	7,826.8	29.5
Domestic exports	175.9	13.6	1,092.1	27.9
Re-exports	943.4	3.7	6,734.8	29.8
Imports	15,389.6	111.7	89,215.7	143.6
Total trade	16,508.9	98.1	97,042.6	127.4
Trade balance	-14,270.3	..	-81,388.9	..

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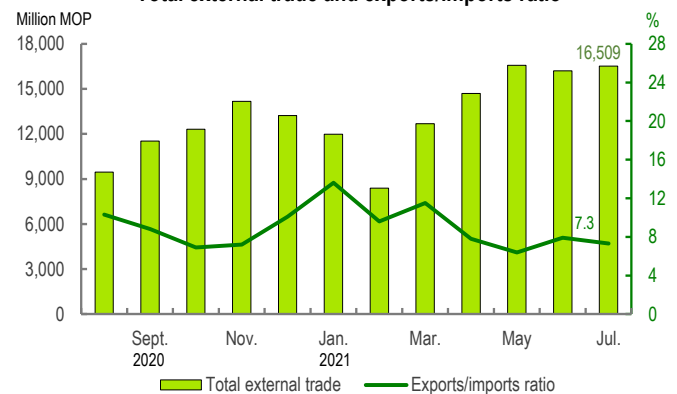
Principal merchandise export

	Current month	Year-on-year (%)	Cumulative	Year-on-year (%)
Textiles & garments (Million MOP)	146.3	-14.2	814.6	-14.3
Garments, not knitted or crocheted	89.6	-5.2	508.5	-9.8
Garments, knitted or crocheted	55.7	-23.6	292.9	-10.5
Non-textiles	973.0	8.9	7,012.2	37.7
Machines, apparatus & parts	190.6	67.1	1,632.1	71.8
Diamond & diamond jewellery	112.2	-27.7	1,032.6	89.2
Watches	143.2	20.7	1,009.6	95.3
Electronic components	59.2	33.8	311.0	46.0

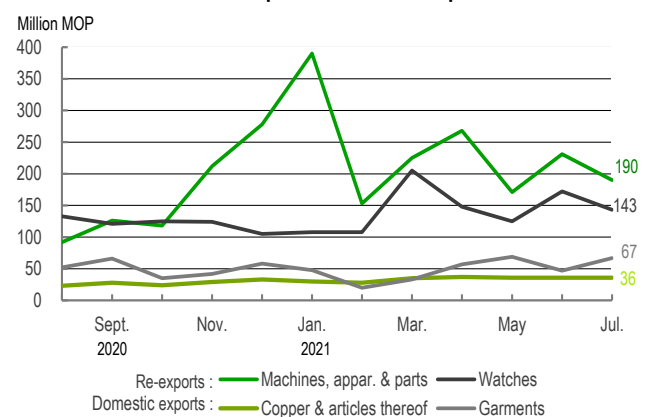
Principal merchandise import

	Current month	Year-on-year (%)	Cumulative	Year-on-year (%)
Beauty, cosmetic & skincare products (Million MOP)	2,958.1	88.7	14,023.5	254.5
Mobile phones	2,167.0	653.8	12,368.6	800.1
Food & beverages	1,394.5	72.2	7,984.9	40.2
Garments & footwear	1,162.1	105.8	7,813.9	148.5
Watches	1,045.9	311.0	7,508.7	360.3
Handbags & wallets	1,039.8	247.9	6,508.8	276.3
Gold jewellery	839.9	536.6	5,980.7	436.9
Fuels & lubricants	588.4	14.1	3,389.2	10.3
Construction materials	218.7	1.1	1,772.3	71.7

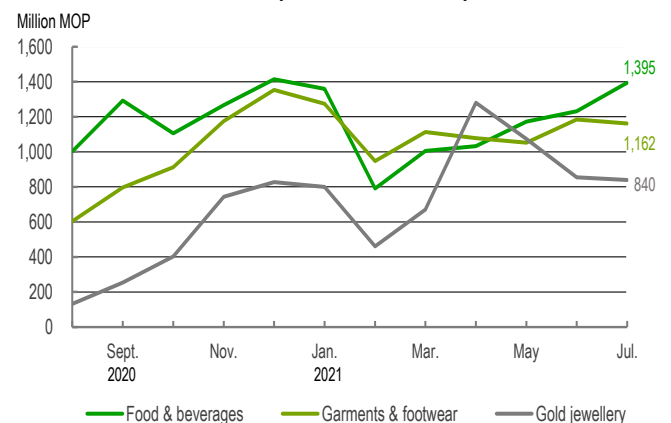
Total external trade and exports/imports ratio



Principal merchandise export



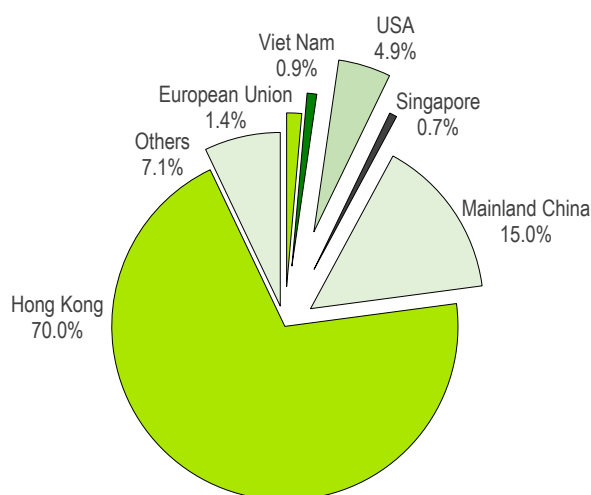
Principal merchandise import



Principal merchandise export destinations

	Current month	Year-on-year (%)	Cumulative	Year-on-year (%)
Mainland China (Million MOP)	209.7	35.5	1,174.0	23.1
Hong Kong	724.2	-6.1	5,480.9	33.6
USA	69.6	-7.6	385.0	33.4
European Union	14.5	-18.5	109.9	-4.6
Netherlands	8.7	56.9	58.4	64.2
France	1.7	-74.4	23.9	-19.5
Viet Nam	4.0	396.2	71.4	123.3
Singapore	11.5	403.8	55.5	137.7

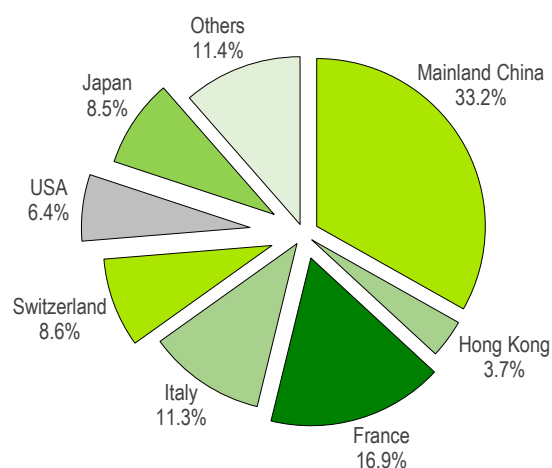
Merchandise export destinations (Cumulative)



Principal merchandise import origins

	Current month	Year-on-year (%)	Cumulative	Year-on-year (%)
Mainland China (Million MOP)	4,837.9	112.9	29,646.3	127.3
Hong Kong	550.8	202.1	3,332.4	149.5
European Union	4,829.4	155.6	27,816.6	188.7
France	2,881.0	195.1	15,100.7	299.4
Italy	1,503.1	135.0	10,046.4	183.7
Switzerland	1,115.8	320.1	7,700.3	343.3
Japan	1,493.5	82.3	7,558.7	139.0
USA	1,226.1	58.4	5,741.4	137.6

Merchandise import origins (Cumulative)



Historical data of external merchandise trade for July

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Exports (Million MOP)	952.1	831.0	1,113.7	917.1	1,041.6	1,064.2
Domestic exports	170.0	185.8	155.7	126.1	123.9	154.9
Re-exports	782.0	645.2	958.0	791.1	917.7	909.3
Imports	7,221.5	5,655.6	6,102.3	7,437.4	7,095.8	7,268.0
Total trade	8,173.6	6,486.6	7,216.0	8,354.5	8,137.4	8,332.1
Trade balance	-6,269.5	-4,824.6	-4,988.5	-6,520.2	-6,054.2	-6,203.8
Exports/Imports ratio (%)	13.2	14.7	18.3	12.3	14.7	14.6

Sources of data: Macao Customs Service, Economic and Technological Development Bureau

For additional information:

<http://www.dsec.gov.mo/e/trade.aspx>

