

Transport statistics

September 2018

Tirana, 29 October 2018: The volume of freight loading/unloading in ports, in the September 2018 is 321 thousand / tonnes, decreasing 10.2 % compared to September 2017.

In nine months 2018, the volume of freight loading/unloading in ports is 2,900 thousand/tonnes, decreasing by 2.6 % compared to the same period of year 2017.

The volume of freight transported by rail is 2,233 thousand tonnes-kilometer increasing by 2.6 % compared to September 2017.

In the nine months 2018, volume of freights transported by rail is 14,425 thousand tonnes-km, decreased by 21.6 % compared with the same period of 2017.

Tab. 1 Volume of freight transported by sea, by rail and by air

Period	By sea tonnes	By rail 000/tonnes.km	By air* tonnes
September - 2017	357,511	2,177	184
September - 2018	321,046	2,233	180
Annual change (%)	-10.2	2.6	-2.2
January – September 2017	2,976,941	18,398	1,662
January – September 2018	2,899,645	14,425	1,601
* Progressive annual change (%)	-2.6	-21.6	-3.7

Includes freights and mail

In September 2018 ,the volume of freights transported by air is 180 tonnes.

In the nine months 2018, the volume of freightst transported by is 1,601 tonnes, decreasing by 3.7 % compared to the same period of year 2017.

In September 2018, number of flights is 2,428 marking an decreasing by 1.1 %, compared to September 2017.

In nine months 2018, are concluded 19,840 flights, marking an increased by 7,6 % compared to the same period of year 2017.

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Tab. 2 Air transport indicators

Period	Number of airlines	Number of flights	Number of overflights
September - 2017	19	2,454	19,184
September - 2018	19	2,428	19,831
Annual change (%)	-	-1.1	3.4
January – September 2017	19	18,432	132,896
January – September 2018	19	19,840	140,649
Progressive annual change (%)	-	7.6	5.8

The number of passengers traveling by sea line in September 2018, is 184.696 passengers, compared to in September 2017, this indicator increased by 8.5 %.

In nine months of 2018, 1,311, 047 passengers traveled by sea, increased 1.6% compared to the same period a previous year.

In nine months 2018, passenger air transport occupies zë 62.5 % of the total transport. The number of passengers traveling by line in nine months of 2018 is 2.291,833 persons, increasing by 14.1 % compared to the same period of year 2017.

Tab. 3 Passenger transport by mode of travel

Period	Passenger Transport		
	By rail	By sea	By air
September - 2017	3,487	170,161	267,104
September - 2018	5,529	184,696	299,354
Annual change (%)	58.6	8.5	12.1
January – September 2017	58,522	1,290,481	2,008,811
January – September 2018	65,562	1,311,047	2,291,883
Progressive annual change (%)	12.0	1.6	14.1

Exports/Imports of goods by mode of transport

In September 2018, the value of goods traded (exports and imports) is 77 billion ALL and 54.8 % of them is transported by sea.

In nine months of 2018, the value of goods traded (exports and imports) is 698 billion lekë and 54.0 % of them is transported by sea.

Exports of goods

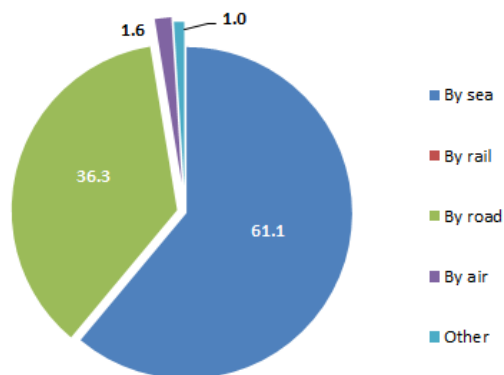
In September 2018, goods exported by sea represent 61.1 %, by road 36.3 % and by air 1.6 % of total exports of goods.

Goods exported by road, in September 2018, increased by 1.5 %, compared with a same period of previous year.

In nine months of 2018, goods exported by sea represent 58.6 %, by road 35.8 % and by air 0.6 %.

Goods exported by road, in nine months of 2018, increased by 16.2 % compared with a same period of previous year.

Fig. 1 Structure of exports by mode of transport, September 2018



Imports of goods

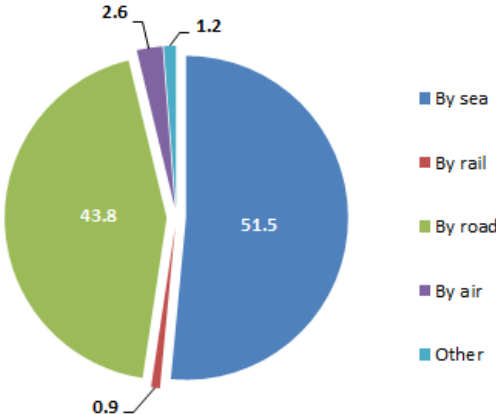
In September 2018, goods imported by sea represent 51.5 %, by road 43.8 % and by air 2.6 %.

Goods imported by road in September 2018 decreased by 0.6% compared to September 2017.

In nine months of 2018, goods imported by sea represent 51.7 %, by road 43.4 % and by air 2.8 %.

Goods imported by road, in nine months of 2018, increased by 1.7, compared with a same period of previous year.

Fig. 2 Structure of imports by mode of transport, September 2018



Methodology

Definitions

Airlines include companies that transporting passengers and goods.

Transport: Movement of people and / or freights using various means of transport. Transport July be carried out by land, air and sea means.

Rail transport: **Every** movement of freights and / passengers using wheeled vehicles run on the track.

Maritime transport: Any movement of goods and / or passengers using commercial vessel trips, which are undertaken wholly or partly by sea.

Air transport: Any movement of freights and / or passengers using aircraft on trips, which are undertaken wholly or partly by air.

Exports are goods destined to a third country, placed under customs export or outward processing arrangements or re-exported following inward processing.

The FOB (free on board) value of exports of goods is the value of the goods at the exporter's customs frontier.

Imports are goods arrived from a third country and are directly placed, or are left in warehouse, under customs procedure of release for free circulation, inward processing or processing under customs control.

The cost, insurance and freight (CIF) price is the price of a good delivered at the frontier of the importing country, or the price of a service delivered to resident, before the payment of any import duties or other taxes on imports or trade and transport margins within the country.

Standard Goods Classification for Transport Statistics (NST2007) is a goods nomenclature used mainly for transports statistics

Sorce data: The data are provided by the Ministry of Transport and Infrastructure aand General Directorate of Customs

The data of maritime, rail and air transport are preliminary and subject to revision. For more refer: <http://www.instat.gov.al/en/about-us/quality-in-statistics.aspx> /Statistical revision policy

Explanation of Symbols

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0 value less than half of unit of measure

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