



BELGIUM & UNITED STATES

2021

United States = 4 th client	EUR 27.7 billion: +6.6%
United States = 4 th supplier	EUR 27.8 billion: +14.3%
Trade balance : EUR -156.6 million	

Major sections

Exports	Share	Imports	Share
Chemicals	58.0%	Chemicals	45.4%
Machinery & equipment	11.0%	Machinery & equipment	11.1%
Precious metals & stones	6.2%	Plastics	10.8%

2020

United States = 5 th client	EUR 26.0 billion: +5.7%
United States = 4 th supplier	EUR 24.3 billion: -16.5%
Trade balance : EUR 1.7 billion	

Major sections

Exports	Share	Imports	Share
Chemicals	64.6%	Chemicals	38.2%
Machinery & equipment	10.0%	Transport equipment	13.5%
Transport equipment	4.5%	Machinery & equipment	11.9%

Importance of the United States and its neighbouring countries in Belgium's foreign trade (2021)



United States
4th client
EUR 27.7 billion
4th supplier
EUR 27.8 billion



Canada
18th client
EUR 4.3 billion
19th supplier
EUR 3.6 billion



Mexico
38th client
EUR 1.6 billion
21st supplier
EUR 4.3 billion

2017-2021

In billion EUR	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Exports	18.5	20.4	24.6	26.0	27.7
Imports	25.6	26.3	29.1	24.3	27.8
Trade balance	-7.1	-5.9	-4.5	1.7	-0.1
Exports: variation %	-11.7	10.5	20.4	5.7	6.6
Imports: variation %	-5.8	2.6	10.8	-16.5	14.3