

Transport statistics

January 2019

Tirana, 27 February 2019: The volume of freight loading/unloading in ports, in the January 2019 is 296 thousand / tonnes, decreasing 1.8 % compared to January 2018.

The volume of freight transported by rail is 1,249 thousand tonnes–kilometre increasing by 64.1 % compared to January 2018.

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
January- 2018	301,549	761	182
January- 2019	295,972	1,249	198
Annual change (%)	-1.8	64.1	8.8

* - Includes freights and mail

In January 2019, the volume of freights transported by air is 198 tonnes, increasing 8.8 % compared to January 2018.

The number of flights in January 2019 is 1,977, marking a 3.7 % decrease compared to January 2018.

Tab. 2 Air transport indicators

Period	Number of airlines	Number of flights	Number of overflights
January- 2018	17	2,052	8,817
January- 2019	17	1,977	9,308
Annual change (%)	-	-3.7	5.6

The number of passengers traveling by sea line is 66.571 persons in January 2019 compared to January 2018, this indicator decreased by 1.1 %.

In January 2018, passenger air transport occupies 76.1 % of the total transport. The number of passengers traveling by line in January of 2019 is 222,113 persons, increased by 3.7 % compared to the same period of year, 2018.

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Tab. 3 Passenger transport by mode of travel

Period	Passenger Transport		
	By rail	By sea	By air
January- 2018	2,343	67,295	214,191
January- 2019	2,996	66,571	222,113
Annual change (%)	27.9	-1.1	3.7

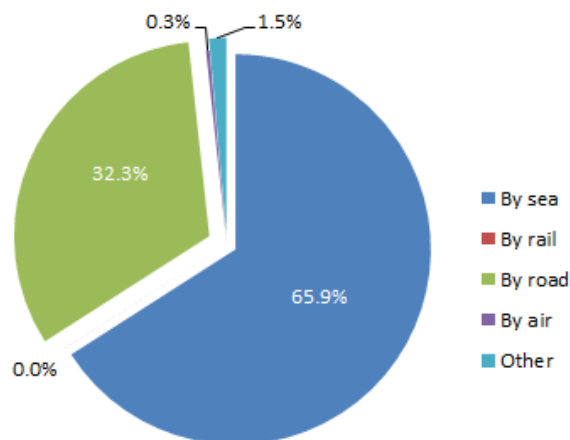
Exports/Imports of goods by mode of transport

In January 2019, the value of goods traded (exports and imports) is 64 billion ALL and 55.6 % of them is transported by sea.

Exports of goods

In January 2019, goods exported by sea represent 65.9 %, by road 32.3 % and by air 0.3 % of total exports of goods.

Goods exported in January 2019 by road decreased 9.1 % and by sea decreased 4.6 %, compared with the same period, January 2018.

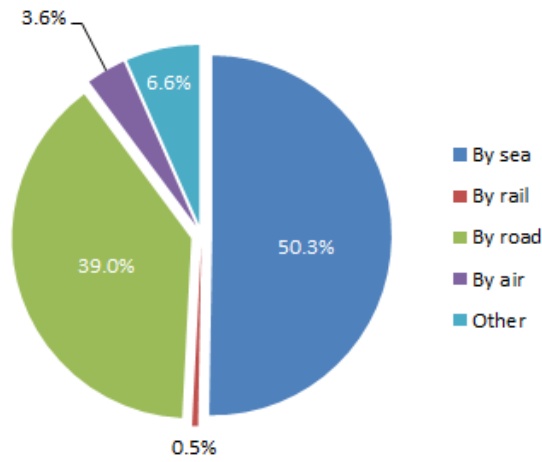
.Fig. 1 Structure of exports by mode of transport, January 2019

Imports of goods

In January 2019, goods imported by sea represent 50.3 %, by road 39.0 % and by air 3.6 %.

Goods imported by sea in January 2019 decreased by 4.3 % and road by 7.3 %, compared to January 2018.

Fig. 2 Structure of imports by mode of transport, January 2019



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

Source 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

0 value less than half of unit of measure

- no value