

Foreign Trade

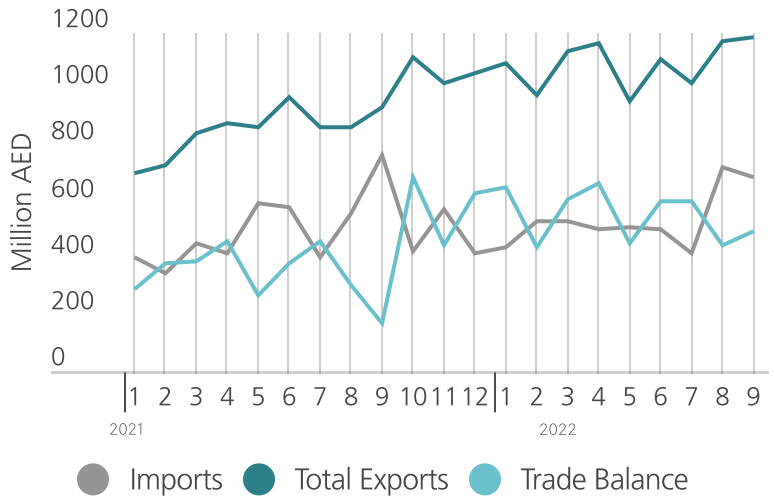
Third Quarter 2022



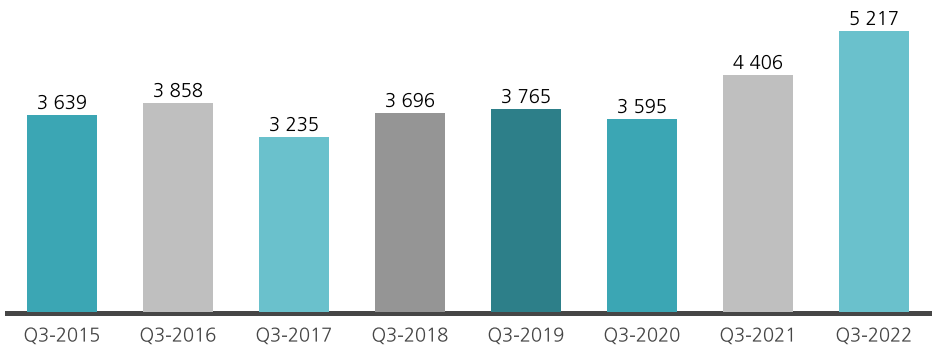
A quarterly bulletin issued by Ras Al Khaimah Center for Statistics and Studies, contains foreign trade data received from the Customs Department in Ras Al Khaimah, which includes trade movement data made through the emirate's ports.

Main Points

- **5,217** million dirahms
Size of total trade in Ras Al Khaimah in the third quarter of 2022.
- **65%**
Share of total exports in total trade.
- **35%**
Share of imports in total trade.
- **18%**
Increase in the trade size compared with same quarter in 2021.
- **27%**
Increase in total exports compared with the same quarter in 2021.



International Trade for the third Quarters Through Ras Al Khaimah ports 2015-2022(million AED)



Introduction

Foreign trade Statistics are important statistics, they enable the production of a wide group of statistical indicators that show movement of goods that entered or exited from emirates ports (Marine, land, and air). The department of customs in Ras Al Khaimah is the main source of the data, as it monitors the trade movement through 12 custom centers in the emirate.

The data in the report, covers all the trade movement through the emirate's ports to the outside world; it does not include trade transactions of Ras Al Khaimah done through the ports in other emirates.

The center has adopted the general trade system in producing trade data based on international recommendations to adopt this system to produce the data.

The center extends its sincere thanks to the customs department in Ras Al Khaimah for its full collaboration with the center in providing the data to produce the foreign trade statistics.

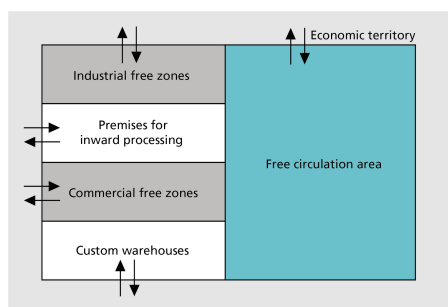
Notes

- The data in the report is preliminary data.
- Any difference in totals is because of rounding.
- "0" = the value is less than one million dirham.
- "-" = The value equals zero.

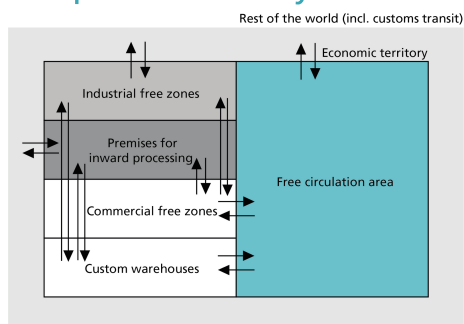
Concepts and Terminology

- **The economic territory:** is the area under the effective economic control of a single Government in which it gets things done effectively.
- **The General trade system and the Special trade system:** The general trade system is in use when the statistical territory in a country coincides with the economic territory. While the special trade system is in use when the statistical territory comprises only a particular part of the economic territory.

General trade System



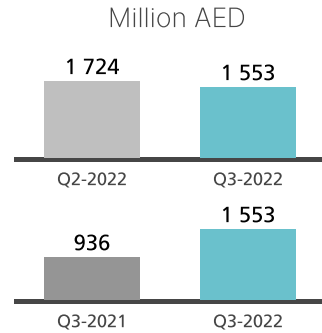
Special trade system



Trade Balance & Imports

Trade Balance

The trade balance has a surplus of 1,553 million dirhams in the third quarter of 2022, decreasing by 10% in comparison with the second quarter of 2022, and has increased by 66% in comparison with the same quarter of the previous year.



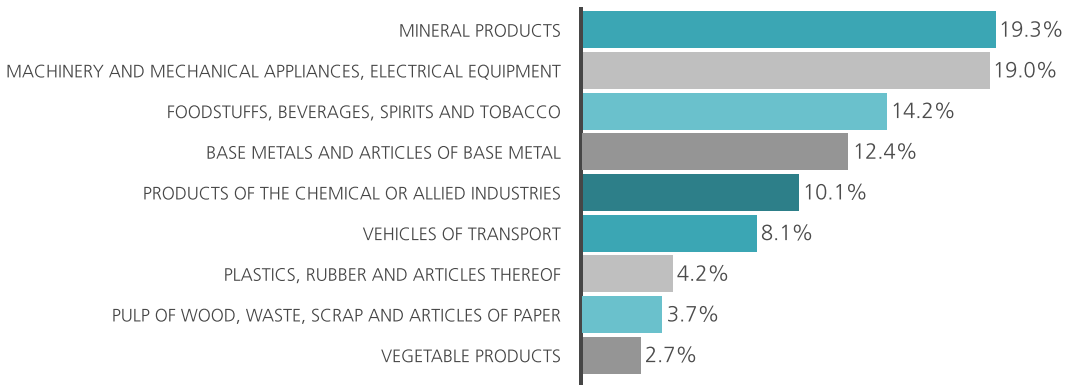
Imports

The total imports were 1,832 million dirhams in the third quarter in the 2022 comparing it with 1,512 million dirhams in the second quarter of 2022, increasing by 21%, and comparing it with the same quarter of the previous year, the data showed that the increasing was approximately 6%.

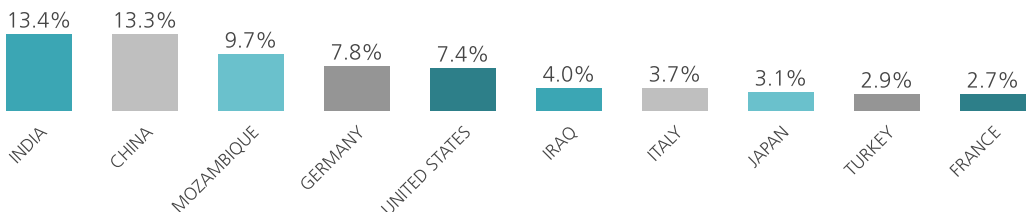
As for the country of origin, 13% of the imports were from India, 13% China and 10% from Mozambique.

As for the types of the imported goods, the data showed that the imports of mineral products were in the first place with a value of around 353 million dirhams followed by the machinery and mechanical appliances and electrical equipment with 349 million dirhams and products of the foodstuffs, Beverages, spirits and tobacco 260 million dirhams.

Imports By Type of Commodity-Q3-2022



Imports by Main Trade Partner - Q3 - 2022



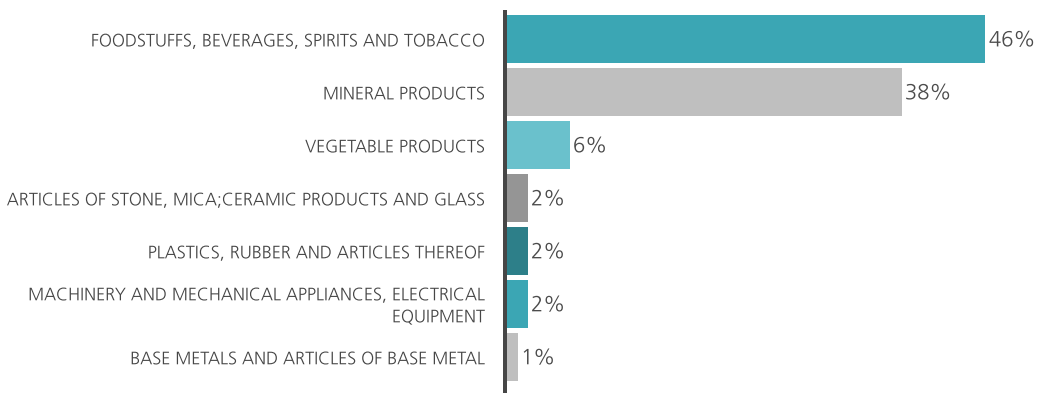
Exports

In comparison with the second quarter of 2022, exports increased by 6% in the third quarter of 2022 and reached around 2,753 million dirhams in the third quarter. By comparing it with the third quarter of the previous year (2021), it increased by 20% where the total exports were 2,300 million dirhams.

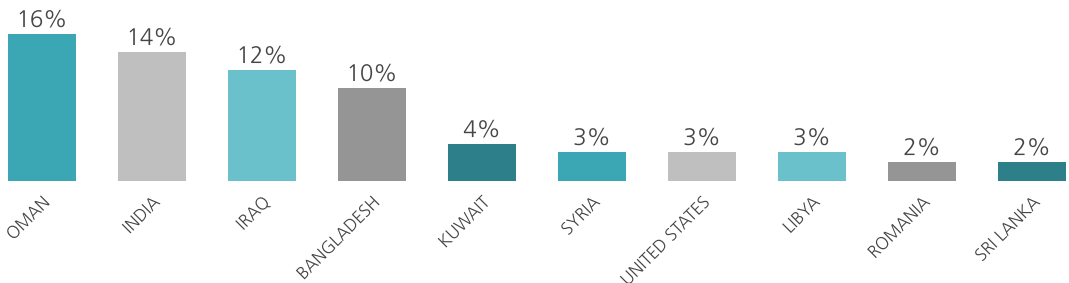
The data showed that most of the exports were in the foodstuffs, beverages, spirits and tobacco products, the exports of this group were around 1,258 million dirhams, followed by mineral products with 1,054 million dirhams.

Based on the destination, exports to Oman were 16% in the third quarter of the year, exports to India were 14%, and exports to Iraq were 12% of total exports.

Exports By Type Of Commodity - Q3- 2022



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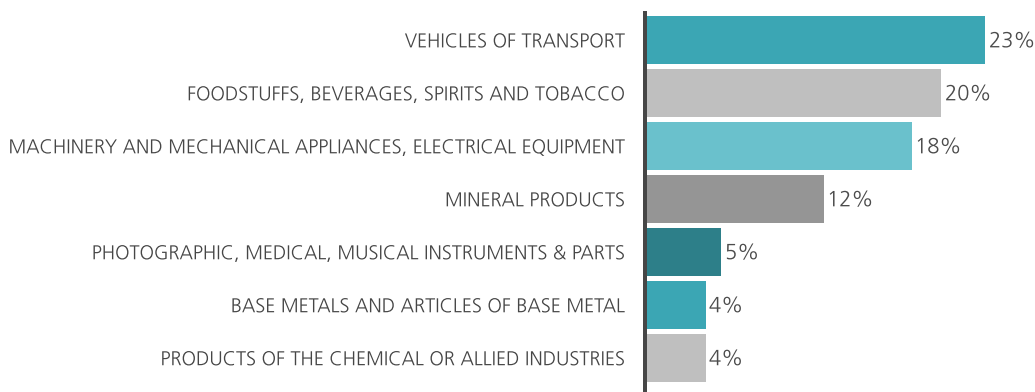
Re-exports

In the third quarter of 2022, the total of re-exports were around 632 million dirhams, increasing by 1% in comparison with the previous quarter (Q2 - 2022). By comparing it with the third quarter of the previous year, data shows that there is an increase in re-exports by 70%.

The data showed that re-exports of vehicles of transport were 145 million dirhams and of foodstuffs, beverages, spirits and tobacco were around 126 million dirhams.

Based on the trade partner out of total re-exports, the re-exports to Oman were 48%, to Libya 6%, and to Nigeria 5%.

Re-exports By Type of Commodity - Q3-2022



Notes

- **Data source:** Data of customs transactions from the Customs Department in Ras Al Khaimah.
- **Methodology of the data production:** The data was produced based on the General System of Foreign Trade.
- **Coverage:** The data contains all the transactions of importing, exporting, and re-exporting, done through the customs ports of Ras Al Khaimah, therefore, the data in this report does not include the foreign trade data of the emirate of Ras Al Khaimah done through other emirates.
- **Manuals and classifications used:**
 - The Harmonized System
 - International Merchandise Trade Statistics.

Tables

in million AED

International Trade through Ras Al Khaimah Ports by Country Groups

COUNTRY	IMPORTS	EXPORTS	RE-EXPORTS
GCC	53	651	316
Other Arab Countries	114	536	75
Non-Arab Asian Countries	730	1131	84
African - Non - Arabic Countries	253	107	85
European Countries	474	201	41
American Countries	192	124	30
Oceanic Countries	17	3	0
Other Countries not classified	0	0	1
Total	1,832	2,753	632

International Trade through Ras Al Khaimah Ports by Sections of H.S

THE HARMONISED SYSTEM	IMPORTS	EXPORTS	RE-EXPORTS
LIVE ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS	20	0	16
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	50	162	14
ANIMAL OR VEGETABLE FATS, OILS AND WAXES	1	1	1
FOODSTUFFS, BEVERAGES, SPIRITS AND TOBACCO	260	1 258	126
MINERAL PRODUCTS	353	1 054	77
PRODUCTS OF THE CHEMICAL OR ALLIED INDUSTRIES	185	28	23
PLASTICS, RUBBER AND ARTICLES THEREOF	77	43	8
ARTICLES OF LEATHER AND ANIMAL GUT; TRAVEL GOODS	0	0	1
ARTICLES OF WOOD, CORK; BASKETWARE AND WICKERWORK	4	0	5
PULP OF WOOD, WASTE, SCRAP AND ARTICLES OF PAPER	68	0	2
TEXTILES AND TEXTILE ARTICLES	49	33	16
FOOTWEAR, UMBRELLAS, ARTICLES OF FEATHER & HAIR	3	0	9
ARTICLES OF STONE MICA; CERAMIC PRODUCTS AND GLASS	10	49	5
PEARLS, STONES, PRECIOUS METALS AND ITS ARTICLES	0	0	0
BASE METALS AND ARTICLES OF BASE METAL	227	39	28
MACHINERY AND MECHANICAL APPLIANCES, ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT	349	42	117
VEHICLES OF TRANSPORT	148	35	145
PHOTOGRAPHIC, MEDICAL, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS & PARTS	21	9	34
ARMS AND AMMUNITION; PARTS & ACCESSORIES	0	0	0
MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES	6	0	7
PIECES AND ANTIQUES 'WORKS OF ART, COLLECTORS	0	0	0
TOTAL	1 832	2 753	632