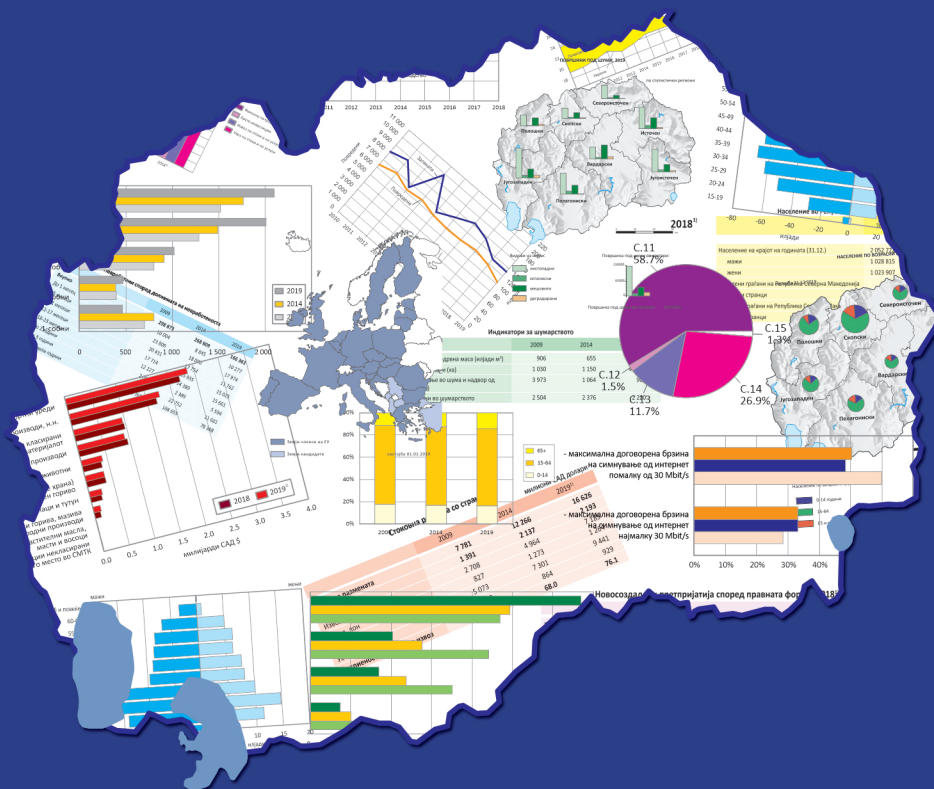


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Foreword

Dear users,

This is the latest issue of "North Macedonia in Figures", a statistical narrative about the demographic and socio-economic situation in the country.

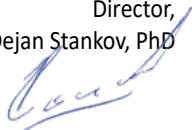
Starting with the general and regional statistics, population and social statistics, followed by data on the economy, finance, income, expenditure and prices, as well as statistics on agriculture, industry, construction, energy and trade, the statistical review continues with data on transport, tourism and business entities.

Although small in size, this publication contains a variety of statistics and information from the statistical surveys, organised into tables, charts and maps. Presented in this manner, the statistics are easy to understand and use.

We expect this content-rich, pocket edition to find wide application in society and to be a useful guide in everyday work.

June 2025

Director,
Dejan Stankov, PhD



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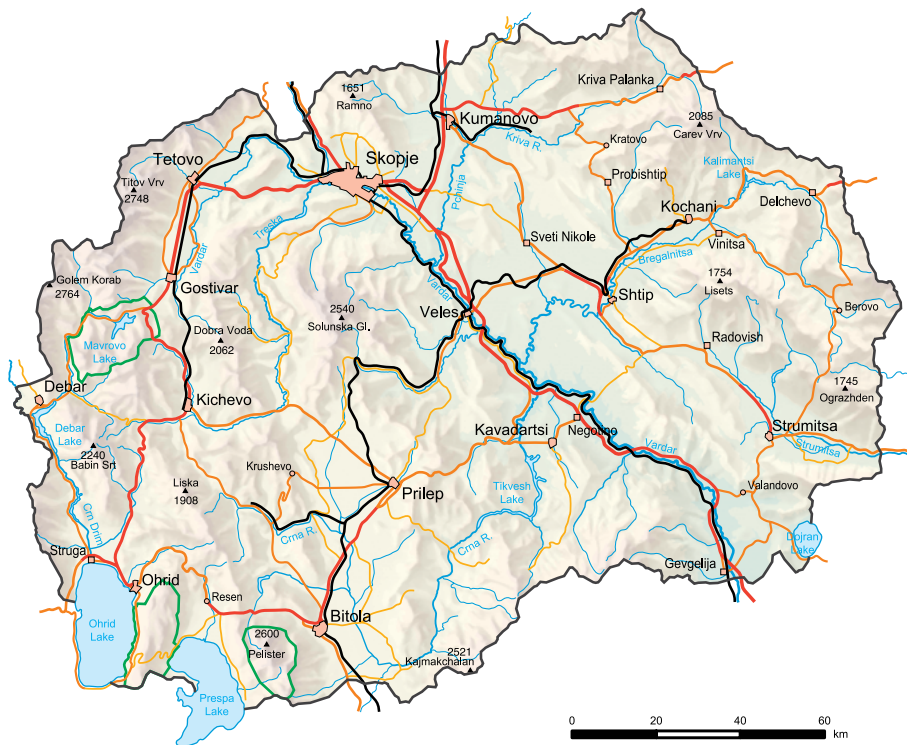
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Map of the Republic of North Macedonia



Skopje		≥ 100000 inhabitants
Bitola		50000 - 99999 inhabitants
Strumitsa		20000 - 49999 inhabitants
Sveti Nikole		10000 - 19999 inhabitants
Krushevo		< 10000 inhabitants

	lake
	national park
	2600
	Pelister
	mountain peak

river
 railway
 highway
 motorway

Basic information

Name of the country	Republic of North Macedonia
Surface area	25 436 km ²
Capital	Skopje
Independence of the Republic of North Macedonia	8 September 1991
President of the Republic of North Macedonia	Gordana Siljanovska Davkova
President of the Assembly of the Republic of North Macedonia	Afrim Gashi
President of the Government of the Republic of North Macedonia	Hristijan Mickoski
National currency	denar
Number of municipalities	80

Basic indicators

	2014	2019 ²⁾	2024
Population, 31.12	1 919 380	1 883 505	1 822 612
Growth rate of consumer prices, %	-0.3	0.8	3.5
Industrial production index	91.8	109.0	96.8
Unemployment rate	28.0	17.1	12.4
Gross domestic product at current prices (in million denars)	527 631	692 683	948 904 ¹⁾
Real GDP growth rate, %	103.6	103.9	102.8 ¹⁾

¹⁾Estimated data

²⁾The data has been updated according to the data from the Census population 2021

Geographical coordinates of the furthest points of the Republic of North Macedonia

	Latitude North	Longitude East ¹⁾	Locality	Municipality
North	42°22'	22°18'	Anishta (Mt. Ducat)	Kriva Palanka
South	40°51'	21°08'	Markova Noga (Border Stone 177)	Resen
East	41°43'	23°02'	Chengino Kale (Border Stone 47)	Pehchevo
West	41°31'	20°28'	Kestenjar (Border marker E16/VIII)	Debar

¹⁾ Greenwich

Source: Agency for Real Estate Cadastre

National parks

	Geographical coordinates ¹⁾	Surface area, ha	Year of proclamation
Shar Planina	41°01'N/20°86'E	62 705	2021
Galichitsa	40°59'N/20°52'E	22 750	1958
Mavrovo	41°40'N/20°46'E	73 088	1949
Pelister	40°57'N/21°14'E	12 500	1948

¹⁾ Greenwich Longitude

Source: Ministry of Environment and Physical Planning

Geographical coordinates of the furthest points of the Republic of North Macedonia

	Surface area, km ²	Altitude, m	Maximum depth, m
Ohrid	349 ¹⁾	693	286
Prespa	274 ²⁾	853	54
Dojran	43 ³⁾	148	10

¹⁾ 118.9 km² belong to Albania

²⁾ 49.4 km² belong to Albania and 47.8 km² to Greece

³⁾ 15.6 km² belong to Greece

Source: Geographical Institute at the Faculty of Natural Sciences and Mathematics

Climate, 2024

Main meteorological stations	Average annual air temperature in C°	Annual precipitation in mm	Days with		
			Rain	Snow	Fog
Berovo	9.7	545.7	96	10	6
Bitola	12.6	411.1	102	9	9
Demir Kapija	15.0	494.1	72	3	17
Kriva Palanka	11.2	682.0	105	5	10
Ohrid	12.3	627.0	93	2	0
Prilep	12.5	530.8	-	-	-
Skopje	13.9	411.5	-	-	-
Shtip	14.2	336.0	106	8	5

Source: Hydro-Meteorological Service of Republic of North Macedonia

Population of the Republic of North Macedonia

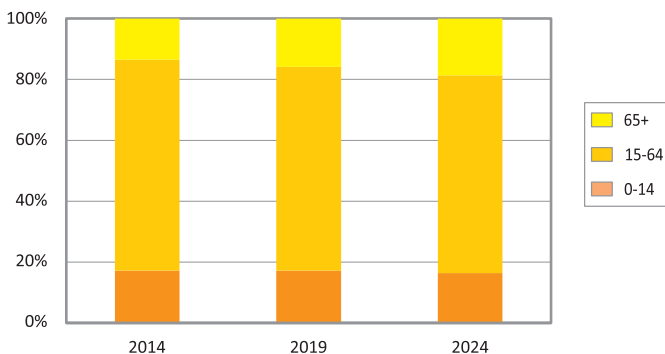
	2014	2019	2024
Population at the end of the year	1 919 380*	1 883 505*	1 822 612
Male	953 477*	937 771*	902 696
Female	965 903*	945 734*	919 916
Immigrated citizens of the Republic of North Macedonia	265	336	512
Immigrated foreigners	2273	2811	6 946
Emigrated citizens of the Republic of North Macedonia	740	612	1 476
Emigrated foreigners	99	186	235

*Revised data based on the Population Census 2021

According to the population estimate at 31.12.2024, the Republic of North Macedonia has 1 822 612 inhabitants, which is 96 768 persons or 5.0% less compared to the population estimates in 2014, and 60 893 persons or 3.2% less compared to 2019.

Regarding the age structure, the Macedonian population is increasingly ageing. In the period 2014-2024, the share of the old population (age group 65 and over) grew from 13.5% to 18.6%.

Population by age groups (at 31.12.2024) structure in %



Vital statistics

	2014	2019	2024
Live births	23 596	19 845	16 061
Male	12 172	10 276	8 277
Female	11 424	9 569	7 784
Deaths	19 718	20 446	20 201
Male	10 210	10 616	10 604
Female	9 508	9 830	9 597
Marriages	13 813	13 814	11 066
Divorces	2 210	1 990	2 024

Average age at first marriage:

groom	28.8	29.7	30.1
bride	26.0	26.9	27.6

Per 1000 population

Live births	11.4	9.6	8.8
Deaths	9.5	9.8	11.1
Marriages	6.7	6.7	6.1
Divorces	1.1	1.0	1.1

During the period 2014-2024, the number of live births decreased by 7 535, and the birth rate decreased from 11.4‰ to 8.8‰ (live births per 1000 population) in 2024.

The changes in the age structure are reflected in the number of deaths in the country. The constant increase in the number of deaths caused an increase in the mortality rate to 11.1‰ in 2024, compared to 2014 when it was 9.5‰ (deaths per 1000 population).

Compared to 2014, the number of marriages in 2024 decreased by 19.9%, while the number of divorces decreased by 8.4%.

Live births by ethnic affiliation of mother and father, 2024

Ethnic affiliation of mother	Total	Ethnic affiliation of father								
		Macedonian	Albanian	Turkish	Roma	Vlach	Serbian	Bosniak	Other	Unknown
Total	16 061	6 692	5 361	556	594	15	84	139	123	2 497
Macedonian	6 842	6 440	80	32	26	9	48	14	41	152
Albanian	5 475	63	5 147	47	16	-	1	14	4	183
Turkish	602	16	47	447	11	-	1	6	1	73
Roma	917	18	11	9	535	-	1	1	3	339
Vlach	15	5	-	-	2	4	-	-	-	4
Serbian	84	48	1	1	-	-	31	-	2	1
Bosniak	150	7	21	10	-	-	1	102	1	8
Other	161	55	25	6	1	1	1	2	66	4
Unknown	1815	40	29	4	3	1	-	-	5	1733

Deaths by ethnic affiliation and sex, 2024

		Ethnic affiliation							
	Total	Macedonian	Albanian	Turkish	Roma	Vlach	Serbian	Bosniak	Other and unknown
Total	20 201	14 760	3 309	437	445	31	222	109	888
Male	10 604	7 745	1 721	245	238	15	129	44	467
Female	9 597	7 015	1 588	192	207	16	93	65	421

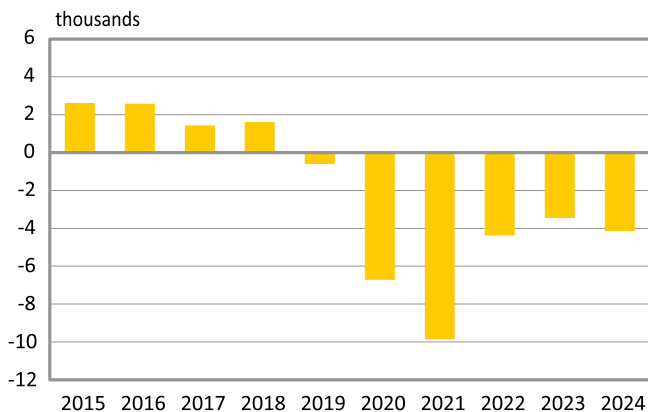
Marriages by ethnic affiliation of bride and groom, 2024

Ethnic affiliation of bride	Total	Ethnic affiliation of groom								
		Macedonian	Albanian	Turkish	Roma	Vlach	Serbian	Bosniak	Other	Unknown
Total	11 066	3 754	2 853	215	142	3	23	35	109	3 932
Macedonian	3 712	3 593	30	15	4	3	20	2	43	2
Albanian	2 795	29	2 736	11	3	-	-	3	13	-
Turkish	165	18	6	135	-	-	-	3	3	-
Roma	141	3	7	2	127	-	-	-	2	-
Vlach	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Serbian	42	35	3	1	1	-	2	-	-	-
Bosniak	34	7	4	2	-	-	-	21	-	-
Other	246	66	67	49	7	-	1	6	48	2
Unknown	3 931	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3 928

Divorces by ethnic affiliation of wife and husband, 2024

Ethnic affiliation of wife	Ethnic affiliation of husband									
	Total	Macedonian	Albanian	Turkish	Roma	Vlach	Serbian	Bosniak	Other	Unknown
Total	2 024	1 172	439	53	96	3	20	23	22	196
Macedonian	1 157	1 116	5	2	1	2	17	1	12	1
Albanian	375	11	356	5	-	-	-	-	3	-
Turkish	49	3	5	39	-	-	-	2	-	-
Roma	97	-	1	1	93	-	-	1	1	-
Vlach	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Serbian	27	19	3	-	-	-	3	2	-	-
Bosniak	22	1	4	2	-	-	-	15	-	-
Other	100	21	65	3	2	-	-	2	6	1
Unknown	196	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	194

Natural increase



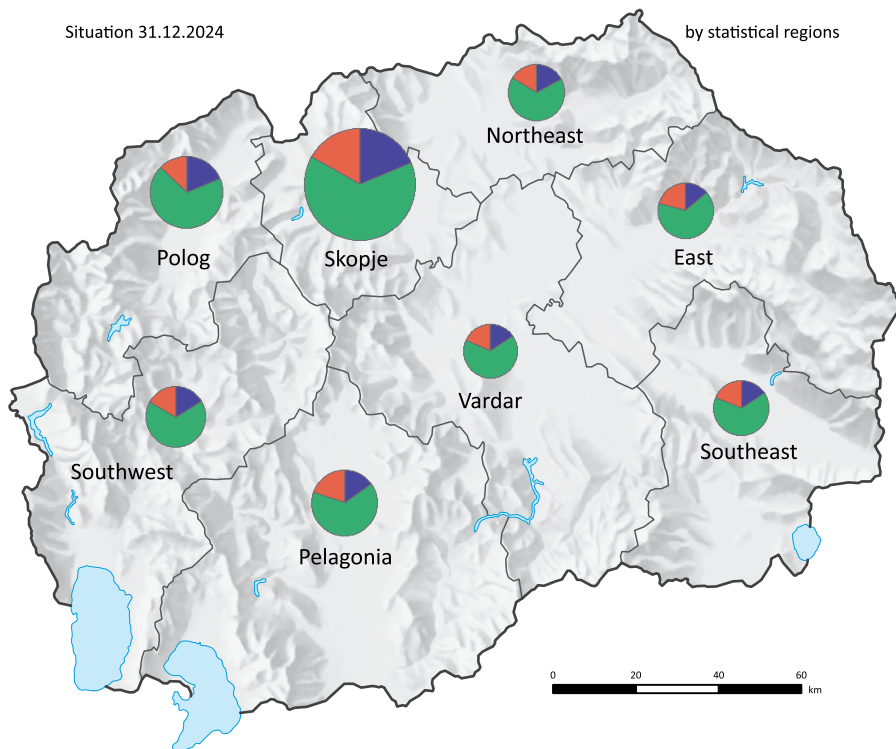
Most common names, 2024 (situation at 31.12.)

No.	Male		No.	Female	
	Name	Total		Name	Total
1	LUKA	181	1	HANA	145
2	DAMJAN	157	2	JANA	142
3	MATEJ	147	3	SOFIJA	141
4	MARKO	141	4	DUA	123
5	MIHAIL	138	5	ANA	118
6	JAKOV	133	6	JOVANA	101
7	DAVID	129	7	MIA	97
8	JOVAN	116	8	MILA	97
9	PETAR	110	9	SARA	88
10	MATEO	108	10	BISERA	85

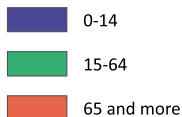
Population by age groups, 31.12.2024

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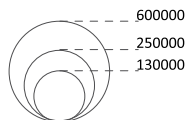
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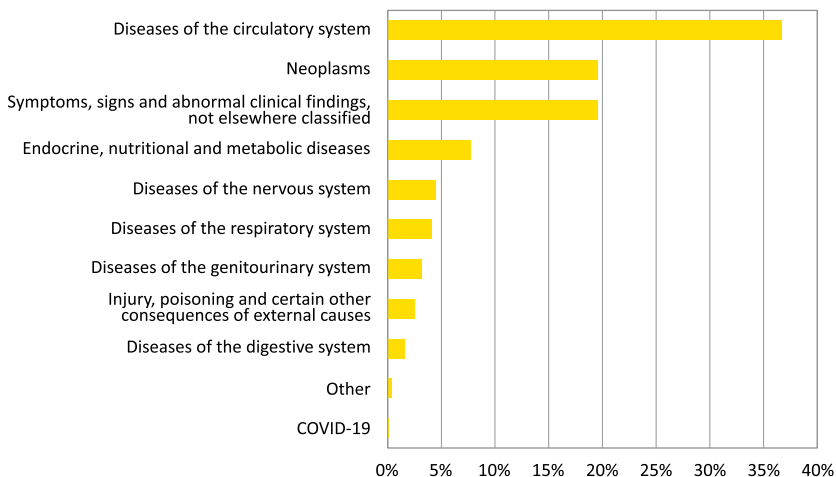
Total population 31.12.2024:

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Basic data on health care

	2014	2019	2023
Physicians - Total	6 035	6 473	6 225
Dentists	1 762	1 796	1 759
Pharmacists	1 002	1 057	1 106
Number of physicians per 1000 inhabitants	3.3	3.5	3.4
Number of dentists per 1000 inhabitants	0.5	1.0	1.0
Hospital beds	9 088	8 853	9 243
Number of hospital beds per 1000 inhabitants	5.0	4.9	5.1

Deaths by causes of death in 2024 - structure (%)¹⁾



Most deaths, by ICD-X, were due to circulatory diseases (I00-I99), making up 36.7% of the total number of deaths, followed by neoplasms (C00-D48) with 19.6%, deaths due to endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases (E00-E90) with 7.7%, respiratory system diseases (J00-J99) with 4.1%, and other causes of death with lower participation.

¹⁾ International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision (ICD-X).

Basic data on culture

Theatres¹⁾	2013/2014	2018/2019	2023/2024
Professional theatres - number	20	19	21
Performances	1220	1 295	1 131
Attendance (in thousands)	231	257	188
Cinemas	2014	2019	2024
Cinemas - number	14	15	18
Performances	14 797	15 667	13 837
Attendance (in thousands)	414	539	334
Museums	2018	2021	2024
Museums - number	26	25	27
Attendance (in thousands)	427	184	289
Libraries²⁾	2016	2019	2022
Libraries - number	57	57	45
Members (in thousands)	43	37	52

¹⁾ Theatre for children and youth is also included

²⁾ The number of libraries - national facilities and public libraries is included

In the 2023/2024 season, the number of performances at professional theatres increased by 11.5%, also the attendance increased by 3.1% compared to 2022/2023.

In 2024, compared to 2023, there was an upward trend in the number of performances in the cinemas in the Republic of North Macedonia.

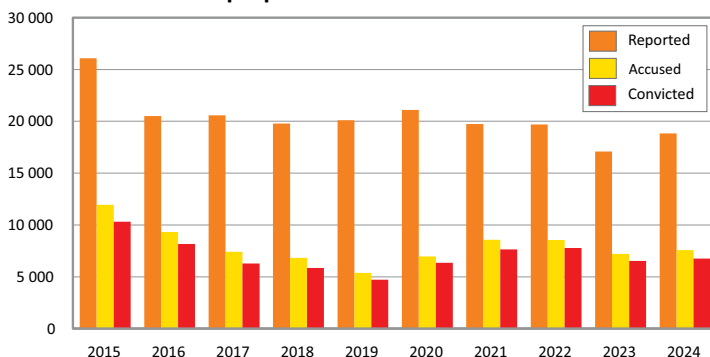
Convicted adult perpetrators by type of criminal offence

	2014	2019	2024
Total	11 683	4 712	6 755
Murder	32	18	15
Bodily harm	526	258	320
Grievous bodily harm	211	87	132
Rape	15	10	15
Theft	1 112	320	475
Aggravated theft	1 634	622	892
Robbery	141	31	53
Fraud	326	110	104
Misuse of official position and authority	193	36	19
Unauthorised production and release for trade of narcotics, psychotropic substances and precursors	391	235	376
Facilitating the use of narcotics and psychotropic substances	81	39	36
Endangering traffic safety	1 700	783	1 216
Other crimes	5 321	2 163	3 102

Of the total number of convicted adult perpetrators, most were perpetrators convicted of aggravated thefts and crimes against traffic safety.

In 2024, the number of perpetrators of crimes against traffic safety increased by 55.3% compared to 2019. Over the same period, the number of perpetrators of the crime of aggravated theft increased by 43.4%.

Adult perpetrators of criminal offences



Basic data on education

	2014/2015	2019/2020	2024/2025
Primary and lower secondary education¹⁾			
Number of primary and lower secondary schools	1 036	1 036	987
Students in primary and lower secondary schools	193 747	188 350	181 462
Girls	93 740	90 910	87 782
Boys	100 007	97 440	93 680
Number of teachers	17 937	18 561	19 707
Women	12 215	13 129	14 169
Men	5 722	5 432	5 538
Upper secondary education²⁾			
Number of upper secondary schools	122	136	134
Students in upper secondary schools	84 047	70 402	67 540
Girls	40 453	33 752	33 030
Boys	43 594	36 650	34 510
Number of teachers	7 523	7 464	7 198
Women	4 441	4 536	4 663
Men	3 082	2 928	2 535
Tertiary education			
Students in tertiary education	59 359	51 734	53 535
Women	32 175	29 515	31 734
Men	27 184	22 219	21 801
Number of teachers ³⁾	2 453	3 162	3 325
Women	1 045	1 468	1 659
Men	1 048	1 694	1 666

¹⁾ The data refer to all types of schools from I to IX grade (regular schools, schools for students with special needs and adult schools)

²⁾ The data refer to all types of upper secondary schools (regular schools, schools for students with special needs and religious schools)

³⁾ The data refer only to teachers, without supporting staff in the educational process

The situation in the field of education does not differ depending on the level of education.

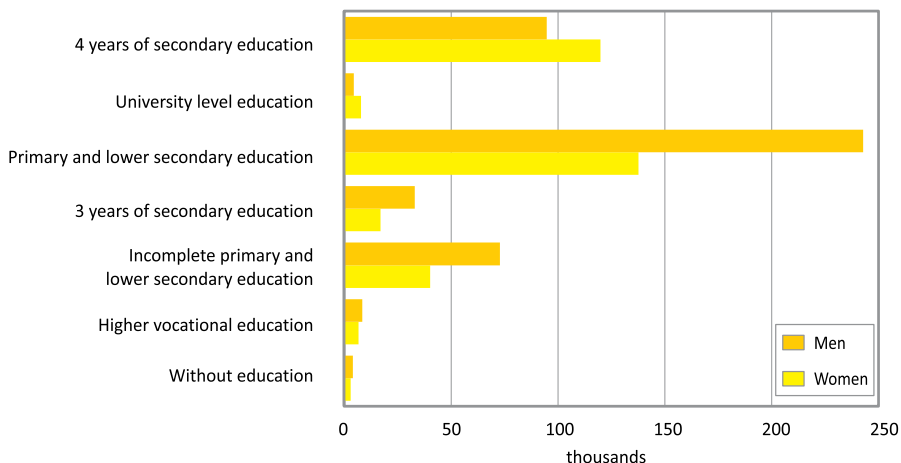
Over the years, there has been a decrease in the number of school entrants in primary and lower secondary education, as well as in the total number of students.

The number of enrolled students in primary and lower secondary education in the school year 2024/2025 was lower by 6.3% compared with 2014/2015.

The number of enrolled students in upper secondary education has decreased as well, and in 2024/2025, compared with 2014/2015, it was lower by 19.6%.

In tertiary education, the number of students enrolled in 2024/2025 was lower by 9.8% in comparison with 2014/2015.

Working age population by gender and educational attainment, LFS 2024



Basic data on gross domestic product

	2022	2023 ¹⁾
Gross domestic product at market prices in current prices (in million denars)	816 084	897 694
real growth rate (in %)	2.8	2.1
in million Euros (at current exchange rate)	13 243	14 583
per capita in Euros (at current exchange rate)	7 230	7 978
GDP in million PPS (EU-27 2020 = 100)	27 635	28 925
GDP per capita in PPS (EU-27 2020 = 100)	15 100	15 800

¹⁾ Preliminary data

Gross domestic product and gross value added by sections (NKD Rev.2), at current prices

Section	Description	In million denars		Distribution	
		2022	2023 ¹⁾	2022	2023 ¹⁾
A	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	59 410	59 491	7.3	6.6
B, C, D, E and F	Mining and quarrying; Manufacturing; Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply; Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities; Construction	187 899	208 784	23.0	23.3
G to T	Services	460 001	513 559	56.4	57.2
A. Value added		707 309	781 834	86.7	87.1
B. Taxes on products Minus: Subsidies on products		108 775	115 859	13.3	12.9
Gross Domestic Product (A+B)		816 084	897 694	100.0	100.0

¹⁾ Preliminary data

The structure of GDP in 2022 and 2023 was dominated by the section Services with 56.4% and 57.2%, respectively.

The sections Mining and quarrying; Manufacturing; Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply; Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities; and Construction participated with 23.0% and 23.3% in 2022 and 2023, respectively.

Agriculture, forestry and fishing had a share in the structure of GDP of 7.3% in 2022 and 6.6% in 2023.

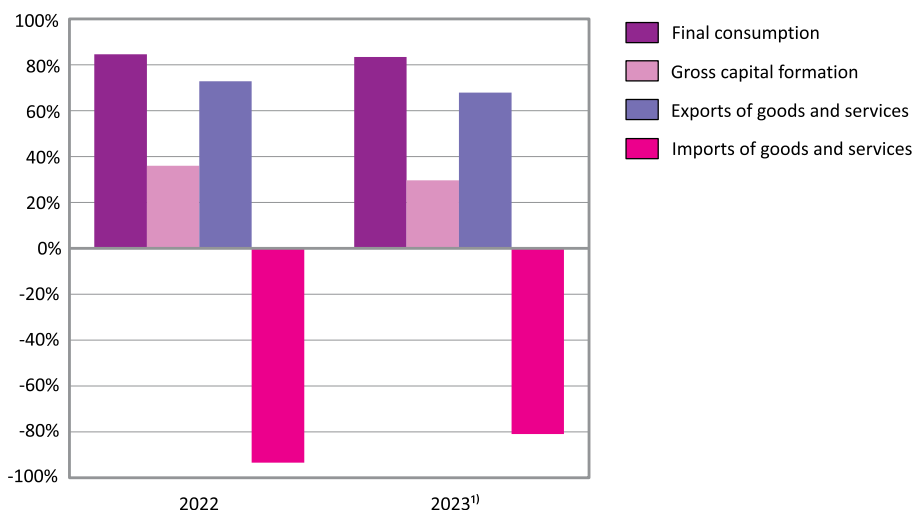
Real growth rates of the gross domestic product components, by expenditure approach

	Real growth in %	
	2022	2023 ¹⁾
Gross domestic product	2.8	2.1
Final consumption	3.6	0.7
Household final consumption, including NPISHs	5.5	1.2
General government final consumption	-4.3	-1.8
Gross capital formation	11.9	-9.6
Exports of goods and services	10.6	-0.6
Imports of goods and services	13.6	-5.8

¹⁾ Preliminary data

The gross domestic product real growth rate for 2023 was 2.1%. This is due to the increase in final consumption by 0.7%, while decrease was in gross capital formation by -9.6%, exports of goods and services by -0.6% and imports of goods and services by -5.8%.

Distribution of expenditure components of gross domestic product at current prices



¹⁾ Preliminary data

Gross fixed capital formation by sections, organisational principle

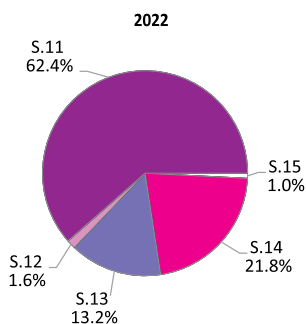
million denars

NKD Rev.2 section	Purpose of investment	2022	2023 ¹⁾
Total		196 027	222 114
A	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	4 638	5 098
B,C,D,E and F	Mining and quarrying; Manufacturing; Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply; Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities; Construction	105 411	126 962
G to S	Services	85 978	90 053

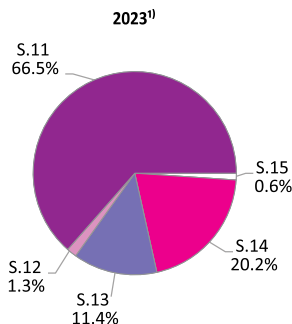
¹⁾ Preliminary data

The highest value of GFCF was recorded in: Mining and quarrying; Manufacturing; Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply; Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities; Construction.

Gross fixed capital formation by institutional sectors



S.11 - Non-financial corporations
S.12 - Financial corporations
S.13 - General government



S.14 - Households
S.15 - Non-profit institutions

¹⁾ Preliminary data

Balance of payments of the Republic of North Macedonia¹⁾

In USD Million

	2022	2023	2024
I. Current account	-869.0	56.6	-374.4
Credit	13,045.8	14,004.9	13,599.87
Debit	13,914.8	13,948.3	13,974.25
Goods and services	-2,886.2	-2,057.5	-2,198.7
Credit	10,123.1	10,690.6	10,445.05
Debit	13,009.3	12,748.1	12,643.72
Goods	-3,668.3	-2,848.9	-3,352.46
Credit	7,694.1	7,823.2	7,281.96
Debit ²⁾	11,362.3	10,672.1	10,634.43
Services	782.0	791.4	1,153.8
Credit	2,429.0	2,867.4	3,163.09
Debit	1,647.0	2,076.0	2,009.29
Primary income	-598.1	-802.8	-866.84
Credit	159.1	207.4	255.75
Debit	757.2	1,010.2	1,122.59
Secondary income	2,615.4	2,916.8	2,691.12
Credit	2,763.6	3,106.9	2,899.06
Debit	148.3	190.0	207.94
II. Capital account	0.0	-1.0	9.43
Credit	3.9	1.9	12.09
Debit	3.8	2.9	2.7
Net lending (+) / net borrowing (-) (balance from current and capital account)	-868.9	55.6	-364.95
III. Financial account	-822.2	107.6	-242.62
Direct investment	-683.8	-527.9	-1,175.31
Net acquisition of financial assets	170.3	113.6	-2.99
Net incurrence of liabilities	854.2	641.5	1,172.32
Portfolio investment	-31.1	58.4	314.65
Net acquisition of financial assets	141.6	122.8	84.05
Net incurrence of liabilities	172.6	64.4	-230.6
Financial derivatives (other than reserves) and employee stock options	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other investment	-312.2	-60.0	279.41
Net acquisition of financial assets	716.9	295.5	491.44
Net incurrence of liabilities	1,029.1	355.5	212.03
Other equity	-3.5	-0.8	-8.05
Net acquisition of financial assets	-3.1	-0.9	-0.92
Net incurrence of liabilities	0.4	-0.1	7.1
Currency and deposits	402.9	452.8	419.05
Net acquisition of financial assets	595.3	443.4	377.6
Central banks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Deposit-taking corporations, except central bank	-8.3	-3.2	0.89
General government	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other sectors	603.6	446.6	376.67

Balance of payments of the Republic of North Macedonia¹⁾

In USD Million

	2022	2023	2024
Net incurrence of liabilities	192.4	-9.4	-41.50
Central banks	0.0	0.0	0.0
Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank	192.4	-9.4	-41.5
General government	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other sectors	0.0	0.0	0.0
Loans	-364.4	-444.2	-391.6
Net acquisition of financial assets	125.4	-147.3	113.9
Net incurrence of liabilities	489.9	296.9	505.5
Insurance, pension, and standardized guarantee schemes	0.0	0.0	0.0
Trade credit and advances	-340.0	-72.7	258.8
Net acquisition of financial assets	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net incurrence of liabilities	340.0	72.7	-258.8
Other accounts receivable/payable	-6.1	5.6	0.9
Net acquisition of financial assets	-0.7	0.2	0.9
Net incurrence of liabilities	5.4	-5.4	0.0
Special drawing rights (Net incurrence of liabilities)	1.1	0.8	-0.3
Reserve assets³⁾	204.9	637.2	338.6
IV. Net errors and omissions	46.7	52.0	122.3

Source: National Bank of the Republic of North Macedonia

¹⁾ Provisional data for 2023 and 2024.

a. Revision of data has been done in September 2024 in the following categories:

- for 2023: Direct Investment, Primary Income, Secondary Income, Capital Account, due to inclusion of data from the annual FDI Survey VS 11 and VS 22;

- all components for 2023 - as a result of improved coverage of data;

- for 2022: Goods, Services, Secondary Income and Trade credits data due to the final data on foreign trade.

²⁾ Imports data are on fob basis in accordance with IMF VI Balance of Payments Manual. Calculation of cif / fob factor as % of imports cif is: 1993-20%, 1994-20%, 1995-20%, 1996-14%, 1997-10%, 1998-5,02%, 1999-4,86%, 2000-3,9%, 2001-4,2%, 2002-3,8%, 2003-4,06%, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007-4,14%, 2008-2024-3,86%.

³⁾ For the period after 2006 excluding price changes and exchange rate differences.

Broad Money and Components ^{1) 2) 3) 4) 5)}

	Dec-22	Dec-23	Dec-24
BROAD MONEY	499 803	529 264	583 268
Currency in Circulation Outside Depository Corporations	47 494	50 002	56 226
Deposits in Depository Corporations	452 308	479 262	527 043
MONETARY AGGREGATES_national definition
1. Currency in Circulation Outside Depository Corporations	47 494	50 002	56 226
2. Demand deposits	188 036	211 402	236 065
3. Monetary Aggregate M1	235 530	261 405	292 291
4. Short-term deposits up to 1 year	214 490	215 860	223 172
4.1. In national currency	39 429	40 454	47 174
4.2. In foreign currency	175 061	175 406	175 999
4.2.1. In foreign currency	174 609	175 019	175 697
4.2.2. In national currency with foreign clause	451	387	302
5. (3+4.1.) Monetary aggregate M2 - in national currency	274 960	301 859	339 465
6. (5+4.2.) Monetary aggregate M2 - total	450 020	477 265	515 464
7. Long-term deposits over 1 to 2 years	49 782	51 999	67 805
7.1. In national currency	28 003	32 088	43 162
7.2. In national currency with foreign clause and in foreign currency	21 779	19 911	24 643
7.2.1. In foreign currency	21 702	19 901	24 634
7.2.2. In denars with foreign clause	77	10	9
8. (5+7.1) Monetary aggregate M3 - in national currency	302 963	333 946	382 627
9. (6+7) Monetary aggregate M3 - total	499 803	529 264	583 268
10. Long-term deposits up to 2 years	47 552	65 887	80 027
10.1. In national currency	25 521	31 162	36 697
10.2. In national currency with foreign clause and in foreign currency	22 031	34 725	43 330
10.2.1. In foreign currency	21 979	34 716	43 329
10.2.2. In denars with foreign clause	52	9	0
11. Total long-term deposits	97 335	117 887	147 831
11.1. Total long-term deposits, in national currency	53 524	63 250	79 859
11.2. Total long-term deposits, in foreign currency	43 810	54 637	67 973
12. (8+10.1) Monetary aggregate M4 - in national currency	328 484	365 108	419 324
13. (9+10) Monetary aggregate M4 - total	547 355	595 151	663 295

Source: National Bank of the Republic of North Macedonia

¹⁾ Preliminary data

²⁾ Data in accordance with the final balance sheets submission

³⁾ Starting from January 2009, the accrued interest is included in Broad Money data

⁴⁾ The time series of data for the period from January 2009 onward has been revised for the purposes of applying a new methodology in accordance with the new IMF Monetary and Financial Statistics Manual and Compilation Guide, 2016.

⁵⁾ As of August 2020, the reports no longer contain data on the bank against which bankruptcy proceedings have recently been opened.

Exchange rates (average for the period)

	CHF ¹⁾	GBP	USD	EUR	JPY ²⁾
2022	61.3752	72.3059	58.5999	61.6219	0.4473
2023	63.3694	70.7835	56.9426	61.557	0.4063
2024	64.6098	72.6839	56.8709	61.5319	0.3758

CHF Swiss franc

EUR Euro

GBR British pound

JPY Japanese yen

USD US dollar

Source: National Bank of the Republic of North Macedonia

¹⁾ According to the Instructions for the implementation of the Decision on the manner of establishing and publishing exchange rates of the National Bank of Macedonia ("Official Gazette of the Republic of Macedonia" no. 13/2010), according to the Exchange Rate List from February 10, 2010, the CHF currency unit is 1

²⁾ Pursuant to the Decision on amending the Decision on the manner of establishing and publishing exchange rates of the National Bank of Macedonia ("Official Gazette of the Republic of Macedonia" no. 102/2014) on the exchange rate list from July 09, 2014, the JPY currency is presented in unit 1

Distribution of household expenditures

	2022	2023	2024
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	51.5	50.1	50.8
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	5.2	5.7	5.8
Clothing and footwear	4.2	5.2	5.6
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	10.7	8.9	7.9
Furnishings, household equipment and routine maintenance of the house	3.9	4.4	5.1
Health	3.2	3.7	3.6
Transport	5.5	5.9	5.2
Communications	2.7	3.0	2.7
Recreation and culture	0.7	1.5	1.2
Education	0.2	0.1	0.2
Restaurants and hotels	3.2	4.0	4.5
Miscellaneous goods and services	5.6	5.6	4.9
Other ¹⁾	3.3	1.9	2.5

¹⁾ Includes expenditures other than for personal consumption: repayment and debt servicing, real estate investments and savings

The average household in North Macedonia spent about 69.5% of its consumption expenditures to satisfy basic needs such as food, clothing, housing and household equipment.

The structure of incomes in 2024 was dominated by revenues from regular and irregular work with 67.9%, pensions 21.8%, revenues from agriculture with 6.2%, revenues from abroad with 1.4% and social benefits 0.9%.

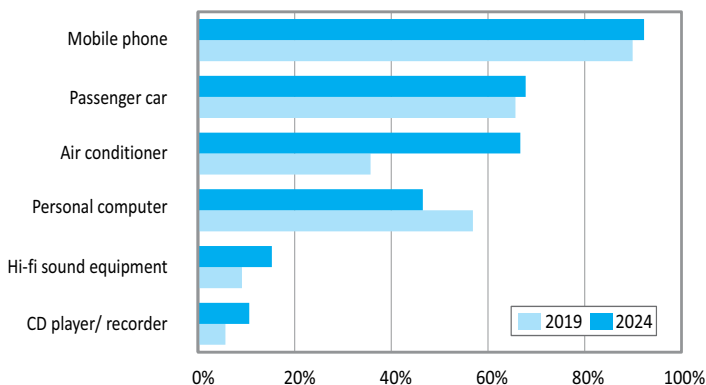
Consumer price index by COICOP

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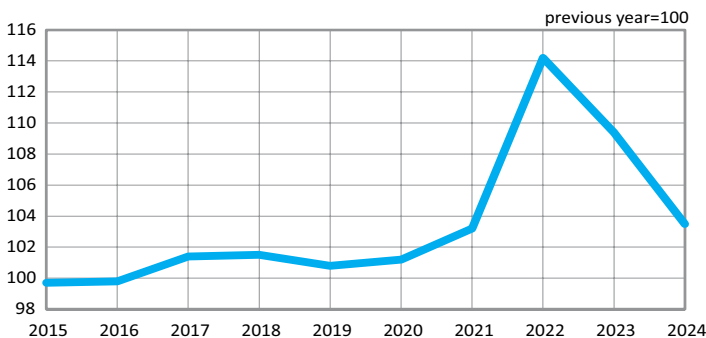
	2022	2023	2024
Total	114.2	109.4	103.5
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	120.9	111.7	102.9
Alcoholic beverages, tobacco and narcotics	107.5	108.0	107.6
Clothing and footwear	101.8	104.4	103.1
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	113.3	110.4	101.4
Furnishings, household equipment and routine maintenance of the house	108.6	113.6	103.8
Health	104.0	104.6	105.3
Transport	119.5	100.5	101.4
Communication	100.4	101.1	102.9
Recreation and culture	104.9	106.7	104.9
Education	100.3	102.9	100.2
Restaurants and hotels	115.5	112.7	109.9
Miscellaneous goods and services	108.9	111.6	105.1

Inflation measured through the Consumer Price Index by COICOP in 2024, in comparison with the previous year, increased by 3.5%.

Household possession of durable goods



Consumer price index, 2015-2024



Labour force and activity rates

	2014	2019	2024
Labour force	958 998	858 252	792 779
Men	579 906	501 314	460 436
Women	379 092	356 938	332 342
Activity rate	58.3	57.3	52.3
Men	66.7	67.4	61.8
Women	50.2	47.3	43.1
Employed persons	690 188	711 082	694 506
Men	419 589	417 990	399 164
Women	270 599	293 093	295 342
Employment rate	41.3	47.5	45.8
Men	47.4	56.2	53.6
Women	35.4	38.9	38.3
Unemployed persons	268 809	147 170	98 273
Men	160 316	83 325	61 272
Women	108 493	63 845	37 001
Unemployment rate	29.2	17.1	12.4
Men	29.0	16.6	13.3
Women	29.4	17.9	11.1

In the period from 2019 to 2024, the activity, employment and unemployment rates have varied from year to year, in terms of increase and/or decrease.

In the last year of this period, the male activity rate decreased by 5.0 percentage points compared to 2019. The highest employment rate of 45.8 was recorded in 2024, and the lowest unemployment rate of 12.4 was also registered in 2024.

A higher employment rate in the specified period is observed for men (53.6%), indicating greater male participation in the total number of employees.

The employment rate among women during the period also recorded a decrease of 0.6 percentage points compared to 2019.

Activity rates of the population by educational attainment

	Activity rate		
	2022	2023	2024
Total			
Total	55.2	52.3	52.3
Without education	17.5	24.8	22.9
Incomplete primary and lower secondary education	21.3	27.6	23.5
Primary and lower secondary education	28.6	30.3	28.2
3 years of secondary education	52.4	49.7	48.6
4 years of secondary education	64.8	60.4	62.0
Higher vocational education	49.4	45.7	37.7
University level education ¹⁾	84.5	70.2	79.6
Men			
Total	66.3	62.0	61.8
Without education	33.9	38.2	46.0
Incomplete primary and lower secondary education	42.7	41.8	39.0
Primary and lower secondary education	46.1	44.2	42.2
3 years of secondary education	62.7	58.0	55.6
4 years of secondary education	72.7	68.8	70.1
Higher vocational education	47.8	50.2	32.3
University level education ¹⁾	84.3	73.3	77.7
Women			
Total	44.3	42.8	43.1
Without education	13.0	18.5	13.6
Incomplete primary and lower secondary education	10.9	18.1	15.6
Primary and lower secondary education	15.9	19.1	17.6
3 years of secondary education	37.8	39.9	39.0
4 years of secondary education	54.7	50.9	51.5
Higher vocational education	50.9	41.4	41.5
University level education ¹⁾	84.8	67.4	81.1

¹⁾ University level education includes: higher education, master's degree and doctorate

Employed persons by sectors of activities¹⁾ of the business entities, 2022 – 2024

	2022	2023	2024
Total	692 034	688 296	694 506
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	69 143	53 746	62 287
Mining and quarrying	6 678	4 360	6 369
Manufacturing	135 478	134 462	137 626
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	7 967	8 901	7 792
Water supply, sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	14 592	15 519	14 377
Construction	44 976	50 372	46 385
Wholesale and retail trade, repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	107 327	105 666	102 075
Transportation and storage	35 159	36 663	36 184
Accommodation and food service activities	24 492	26 748	27 561
Information and communication	21 192	24 254	23 624
Financial and insurance activities	10 459	12 443	13 352
Real estate activities	1 695	1 310	1 410
Professional, scientific and technical activities	18 905	18 478	19 503
Administrative and support service activities	17 673	16 477	17 124
Public administration and defence, compulsory social security	50 650	51 623	52 676
Education	47 751	49 110	44 994
Human health and social work activities	46 516	48 655	48 657
Arts, entertainment and recreation	14 978	14 704	15 950
Other service activities	14 728	13 580	14 894
Activities of households as employers; undifferentiated goods- and services-producing activities of households for own use	:	577	(688)
Activities of extraterritorial organisations and bodies	1 192	646	(977)

¹⁾ For sectors of activity the National Classification of Activities NACE Rev.2 is applied

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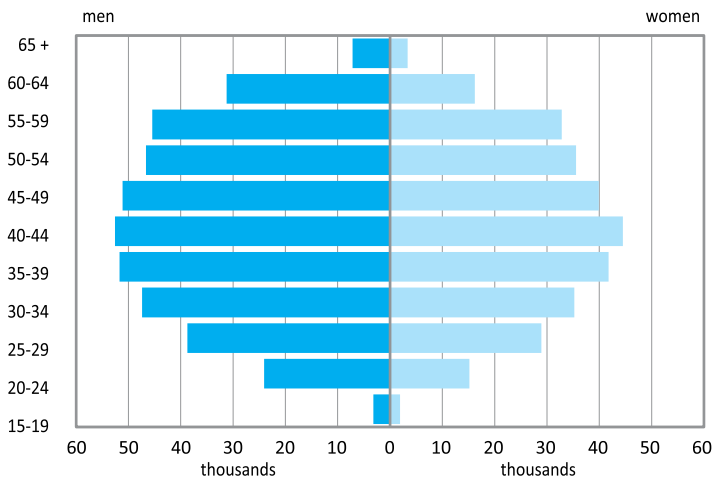
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Unemployed persons by duration of unemployment

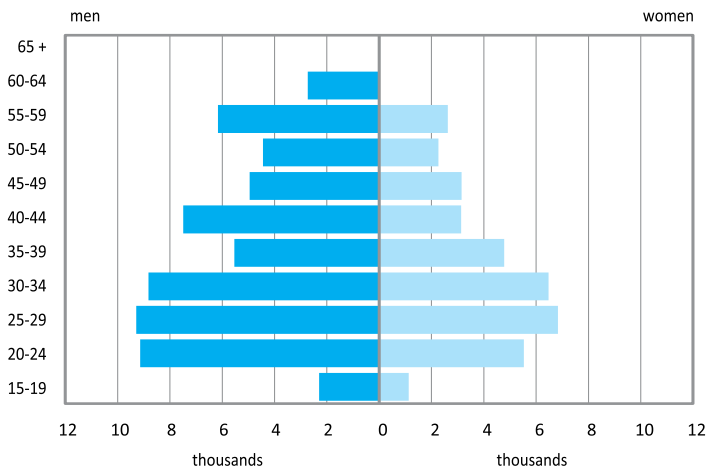
	2014	2019	2024
Total	268 809	147 170	98 273
Up to 1 month	8 845	8 954	6 022
2-5 month	18 090	16 707	13 456
6-11 months	17 754	10 730	10 863
12-17 months	15 935	13 982	7 966
18-23 months	14 389	13 867	5 592
2 years	2 389	5 522	886
3 years	22 752	9 857	7 436
4 years and longer	168 655	67 550	46 051

The total number of unemployed persons is dominated by long-term unemployed persons who have been unemployed for one year and more. The unemployment rate of long-term unemployed for 2024 was 8.6%, a decrease of 4.3 percentage points compared to 2019.

Employed persons by age groups, 2024



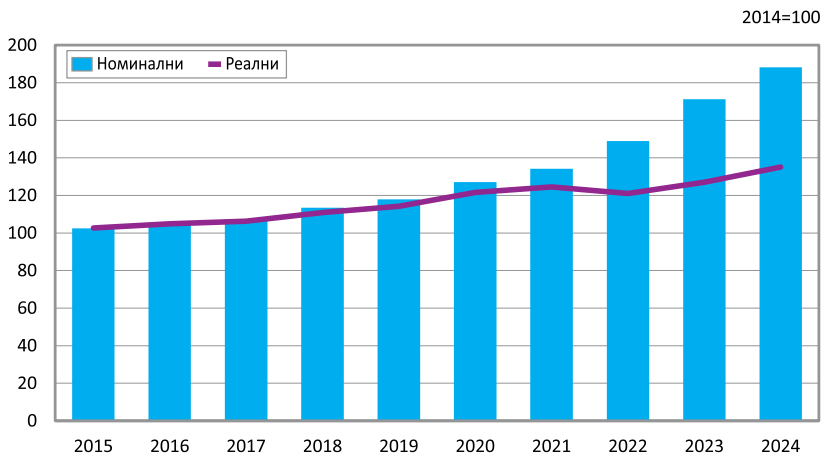
Unemployed persons by age groups, 2024



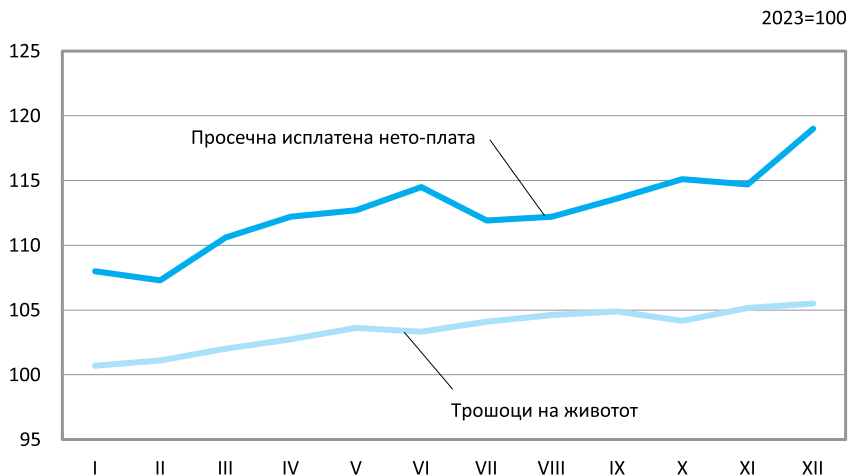
Average monthly net wage in 2024, by quarters

	I	II	III	IV
Total	39 771	41 424	41 212	42 569
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	31 840	32 758	32 116	32 782
Mining and quarrying	49 733	50 992	52 566	53 583
Manufacturing	34 737	36 183	36 576	37 975
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	53 277	53 864	53 003	54 242
Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	31 692	32 975	33 334	33 665
Construction	37 866	38 965	38 203	39 603
Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	36 647	38 611	38 043	39 146
Transportation and storage	37 155	38 459	38 618	39 802
Accommodation and food service activities	28 740	30 740	30 577	30 868
Information and communication	75 135	77 913	76 547	78 863
Financial and insurance activities	54 545	59 814	57 848	58 488
Real estate activities	36 352	38 407	38 082	39 846
Professional, scientific and technical activities	45 927	47 863	47 985	49 231
Administrative and support service activities	31 051	32 838	32 370	33 408
Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	42 695	44 449	44 506	46 021
Education	38 852	39 946	39 878	41 722
Human health and social work activities	43 100	44 150	43 836	45 463
Arts, entertainment and recreation	38 633	40 653	40 798	41 681
Other service activities	45 030	45 881	46 594	47 960

Indices of nominal and real wages



Indices of the average monthly net wage and consumer price index, 2023



Area by category of use, 2024

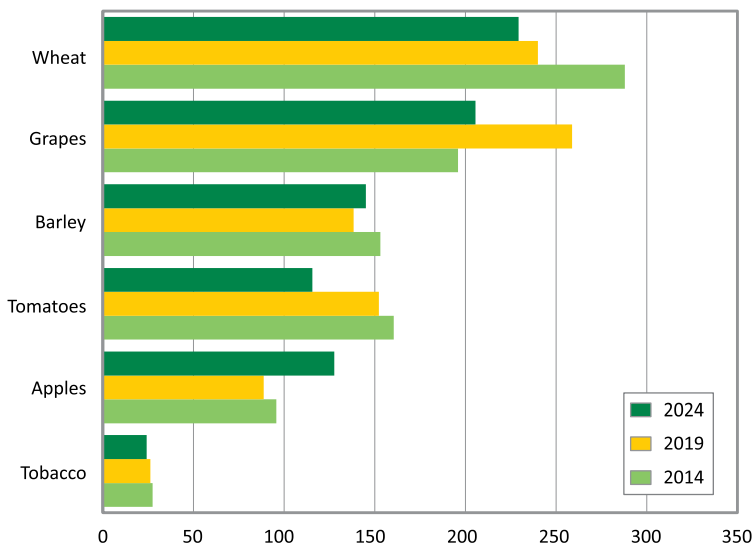
	ha
Agricultural area	1 241 613
Cultivated land - total	506 586
Arable land and gardens	408 055
Orchards	16 934
Vineyards	21 984
Meadows	59 613
Pastures	734 304

Main crops

	2014	2019	2024
Area in ha:			
Wheat	76 686	68 847	67 226
Barley	41 157	43 941	44 739
Tobacco	17 756	16 679	14 873
Tomatoes	5 720	5 497	5 597
Apples (number of fruit-bearing trees)	3 775 980	4 788 670	4 097 362
Grapes (number of fruit-bearing vines in 000)	84 481	86 387	77 046

Crop production in the period between 2014 and 2024 is characterised by a decrease in the area under wheat and tobacco, whereas an increase was registered in the area under barley.

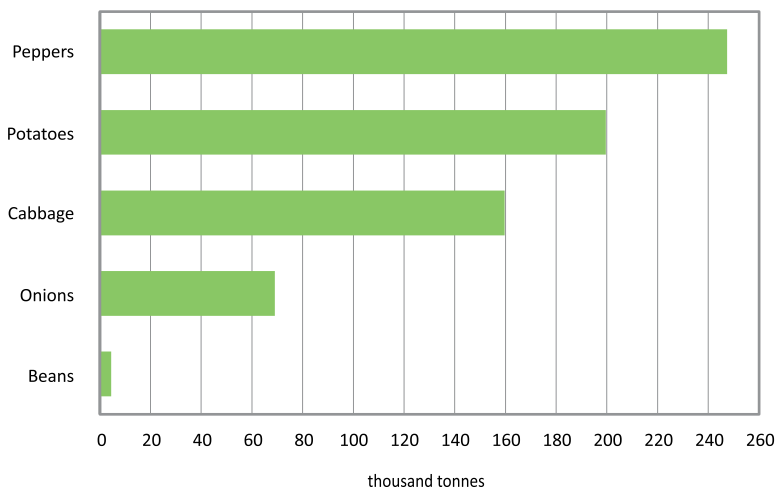
Production of main crops



Average yield of main crops

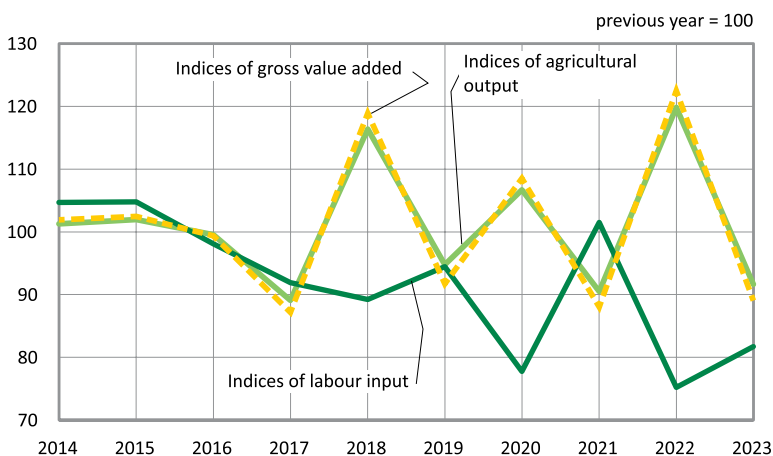
	Unit of measurement	2014	2019	2024
Wheat	kg/ha	3 755	3 485	3 411
Barley	kg/ha	3 719	3 151	3 244
Tobacco	kg/ha	1 553	1 573	1 621
Tomatoes	kg/ha	28 065	27 715	20 668
Apples	(kg/tree)	25	19	31
Grapes	(kg/vine)	2	3	3

Production of vegetables, 2024



Economic accounts for agriculture

Agricultural output, Gross value added and Labour input, 2014-2023

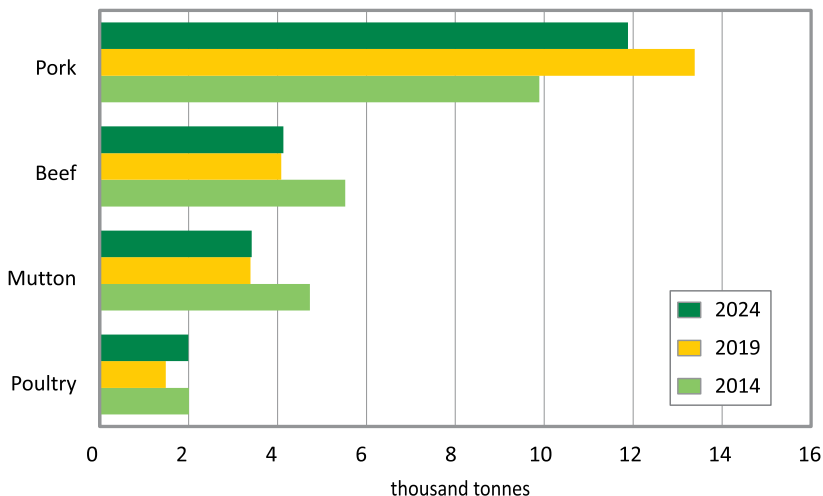


Number of livestock

	2014	2019	2024
Cattle	241 607	217 790	143 953
Sheep	740 457	684 558	517 128
Pigs	165 054	135 770	179 682
Poultry	1 939 879	1 562 089	1 573 294

In 2024, the number of cattle and sheep decreased and the number of pigs increased. Production of beef, mutton and poultry meat increased in 2024 compared to 2019, while production of pork has decreased.

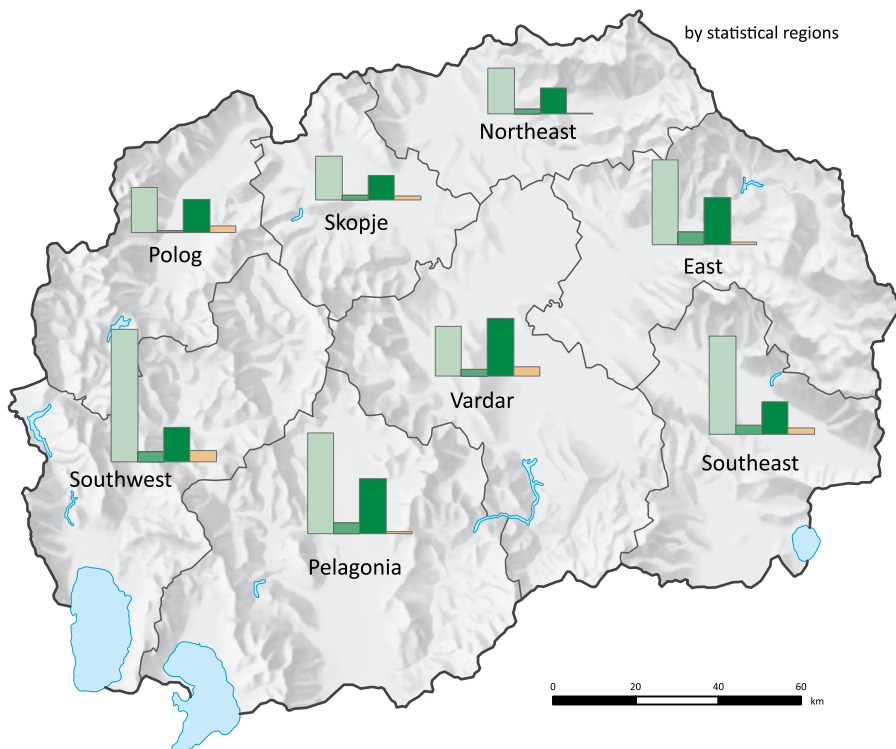
Meat production



Forestry indicators

	2014	2019	2024
Gross felled timber (000 m ³)	655	759	602
Forest fires (ha)	1 150	10 661	7 434
Afforestation in and outside forest (ha)	1 064	965	348
Employees in forestry	2 376	2 222	1 579

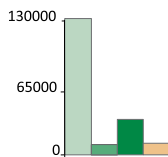
Areas under forest, 2024



Forest types:



Forests area in hectares:



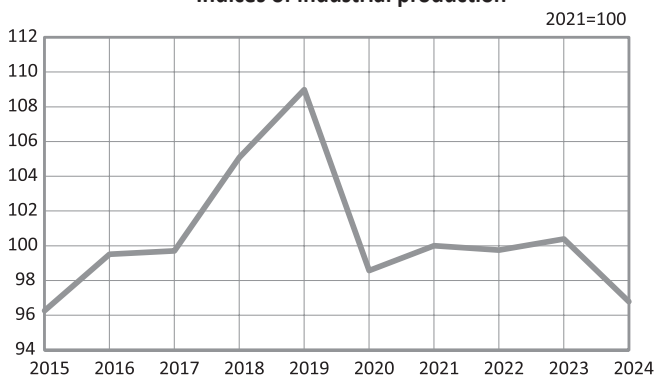
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Industrial production in natural data

Name of the product	Measurement unit	2022	2023	2024
Lead concentrates	t	58 246	61 846	59 175
Zinc concentrates	t	59 131	55 081	50 460
Processed liquid milk	t	31 308	28 138	21 557
Refined sunflower-seed and safflower oil and their fractions (excluding chemically modified)	t	29 673	27 146	34 305
Wine of fresh grapes, in bulk	hl	481 304	293 970	349 625
Wine of fresh grapes, in bottles	hl	261 662	226 939	216 270
Mineral waters and aerated waters, unsweetened	'000 hl	644	833	944
Fermented tobacco	t	12 611	12 227	7 306
Medicaments	kg	9 099 051	9 457 119	8 923 081
Non-refractory ceramic building bricks, flooring blocks, support or filler tiles and the like	'000 pieces NF	31 462	23 295	25 134
Ferro-alloys	t	8 349	3 812	0

The graph shows the industrial production in the period 2015-2024. The calculation of the Index of Industrial Production includes the sections Mining and quarrying, Manufacturing and Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply from the National Classification of Activities. From the graph, it can be seen that in 2024 the industrial production decreased in comparison with the previous year, mostly because of the decrease in production in the divisions Manufacture of wearing apparel, Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products, Manufacture of basic metals, Manufacture of machinery and equipment n.e.c., and Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply.

Indices of industrial production



Energy statistics and energy indicators

Energy statistics	Unit	2022	2023 ¹⁾
Total primary energy production	1000 toe	1 039	936
Net energy imports	1000 toe	1 733	1 712
Net oil imports	1000 toe	1 210	1 145
Net natural gas imports	1000 toe	239	302
Gross inland energy consumption	1000 toe	2 748	2 699
Final energy consumption	1000 toe	1 835	1 794
Industry	1000 toe	378	330
Transport	1000 toe	772	811
Services and households, etc.	1000 toe	685	654
Gross electricity generation	GWh	5 942	6 875
Final electricity consumption	GWh	5 898	5 586
Energy intensity			
Gross inland consumption/GDP ²⁾	kgoe/1000 EUR	350	335
Final energy consumption/GDP ²⁾	kgoe/1000 EUR	234	223
Energy consumption per inhabitant			
Gross inland energy consumption/capita	kgoe/capita	1 500	1 476
Final energy consumption/capita	kgoe/capita	1 002	981
Final energy consumption in households/capita	kgoe/capita	269	259
Final electricity consumption/capita	kWh/capita	3 220	3 056
Energy dependency			
Net energy imports / Gross inland consumption	in %	63.0	63.4
Energy efficiency			
Final energy consumption / Gross inland consumption	in %	66.8	66.5
Efficiency of thermal power stations	in %	30.1	31.1
Renewable energy			
Share of renewable energy in gross final energy consumption (normalised values)	in %	18.9	20.0
Share of electricity from renewable sources in total electricity production	in %	27.0	32.0
Share of electricity from renewable sources in gross consumption of electricity	in %	21.8	31.3

¹⁾ Preliminary data

²⁾ Gross domestic product (GDP) in euros with reference year 2005

In 2023, the energy import dependency of the Republic of North Macedonia was 62.8%.

Final energy consumption was 981 kgoe per capita, while final electricity consumption was 3056 kWh per capita.

Completed construction works by business entities on structures in public ownership

million denars

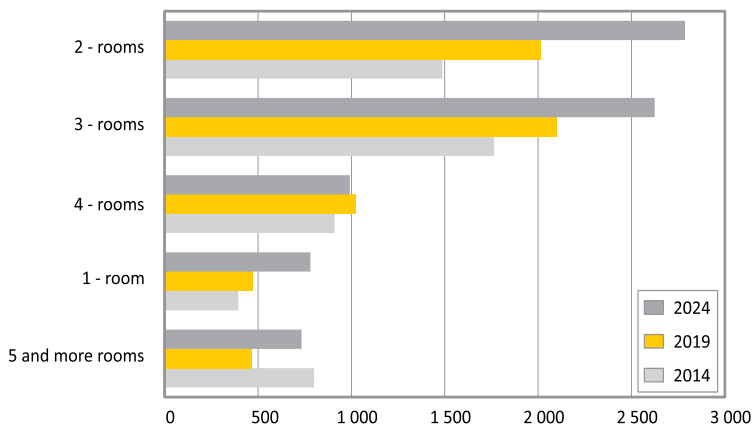
	2014	2019	2024
Total	16 236	18 175	21 981
Residential buildings	674	97	343
Non-residential buildings	2 429	1 412	851
Transport infrastructure	4 277	6 524	10 093
Pipelines, communication and electricity lines	1 024	4 571	2 016
Complex constructions on industrial sites	1 401	373	5
Other civil engineering works	283	287	231
Reconstruction, recovery, adaptation, capital repairs and current maintenance works on constructions	2 994	4 483	7 535
Construction works	3 154	428	907

The largest contributor to the total value of completed construction works on structures in the public sector, built by business entities, is transport infrastructure (26.3% in 2014, 35.9% in 2019 and 45.9% in 2024), followed by reconstruction, recovery, adaptation, capital repairs and current maintenance works on constructions (18.4% in 2014, 24.7% in 2019 and 34.3% in 2024), pipelines, communication and electricity lines (6.3% in 2014, 25.1% in 2019 and 9.2% in 2023).

In 2014, 2019 and 2024, dwellings with 2 rooms were built the most, their share in the total number of completed dwellings by years ranging between 27.8% in 2014, 33.2% in 2019 and 35.2% in 2024, followed by 3 rooms dwellings with 32.9% in 2014, 34.6% in 2019 and 33.1% in 2024.

In 2022, 2023 and 2024, most building permits were issued for buildings (50.9% in 2022, 49.7% in 2023 and 50.2% in 2024) and for reconstructions (28.2% in 2022, 20.3% in 2023 and 20.1% in 2024); consequently, the expected value of the buildings has the highest share (51.9% in 2022, 48.7% in 2023 and 59.2% in 2024), followed by civil engineering works (40.7 in 2022, 45.6% in 2023 and 32.5% in 2024).

Completed dwellings



Number of issued building permits

	Total	Buildings	Civil engineering	Reconstruction
2022	3 930	1 999	821	1 110
2023	3 932	1 953	1 180	799
2024	3 521	1 971	762	788

Predicted value of the structures for which building permits have been issued

thousand denars

	Total	Buildings	Civil engineering	Reconstruction
2022	77 099 835	39 980 247	31 371 421	5 748 167
2023	83 985 905	40 942 516	38 319 075	4 724 314
2024	71 215 988	42 146 662	23 168 485	5 900 841

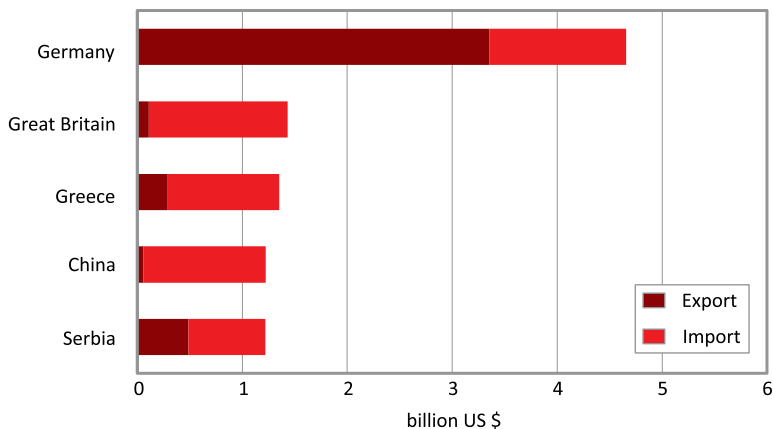
Foreign trade

	million US \$		
	2014	2019	2024 ¹⁾
Trade volume	12 266	16 644	20 395
Further processing volume	2 137	2 200	2 088
Export	4 964	7 198	8 425
Export - further processing	1 273	1 267	1 217
Import	7 301	9 446	11 970
Import - further processing	864	932	871
Import coverage by export	68.0	76.2	70.4

¹⁾ Preliminary data

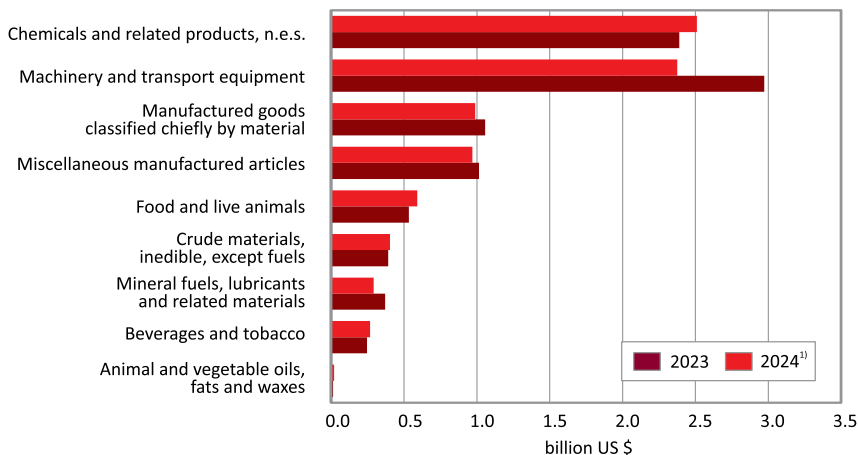
The positive tendency of increasing import coverage by export is reflected in the observation period as a result of the continued growth of the share of export in trade volume, which increased by 8.2% in 2019 and 2.4% in 2024 compared to 2014.

The most significant countries by trade volume, 2024¹⁾

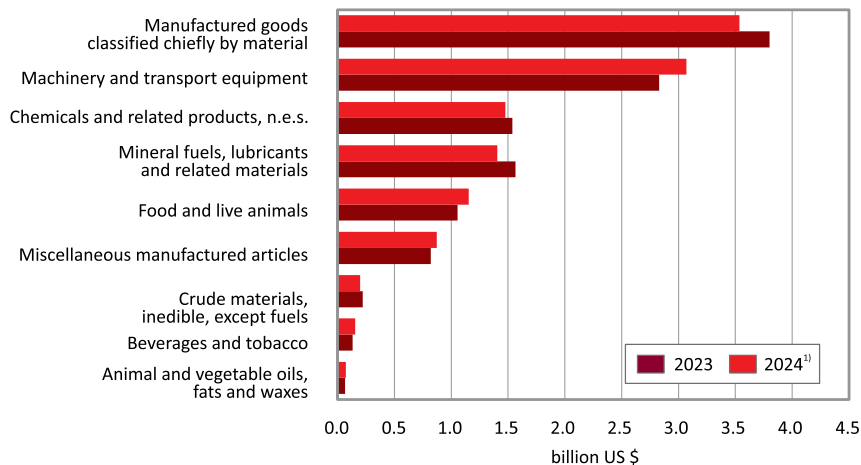


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Exports according to SITC sectors



Imports according to SITC sectors



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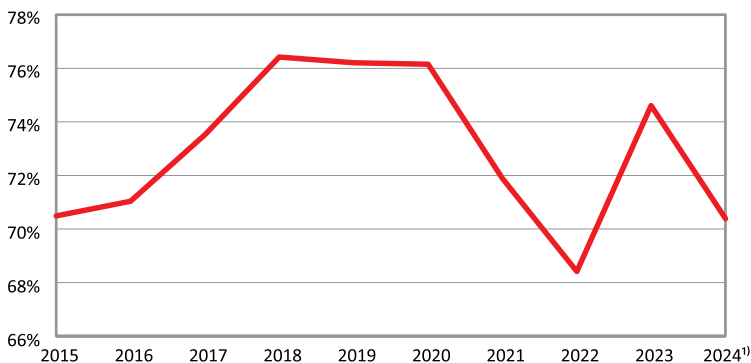
Exports/imports by divisions of the Classification of Products by Activity (CPA)

million US \$

	Export	Structure	Import	Structure
	2014			
Total	4 964	100.0	7 301	100.0
Industry	4 613	92.9	7 050	96.6
Agriculture	274	5.5	160	2.2
Other	77	1.6	91	1.3
	2019			
Total	7 198	100.0	9 446	100.0
Industry	6 784	94.2	9 208	97.5
Agriculture	304	4.2	155	1.6
Other	111	1.5	82	0.9
	2024¹⁾			
Total	8 425	100.0	11 970	100.0
Industry	7 957	94.4	11 652	97.3
Agriculture	360	4.3	192	1.6
Other	108	1.3	126	1.1

¹⁾ Preliminary data

Import coverage by export, 2015-2024



¹⁾ Preliminary data

Exports/imports grouped according to broad economic categories

million US \$

	Export	Structure	Import	Structure
	2014			
Total	4 964	100.0	7 301	100.0
Capital goods	603	12.1	737	10.1
Intermediate goods	2 881	58.0	4 985	68.3
Consumer goods	1 472	29.7	1 329	18.2
Other, not elsewhere specified	8	0.2	251	3.4
	2019			
Total	7 198	100.0	9 446	100.0
Capital goods	1 148	15.9	852	9.0
Intermediate goods	4 689	65.1	6 705	71.0
Consumer goods	1 337	18.6	1 585	16.8
Other, not elsewhere specified	25	0.3	304	3.2
	2024¹⁾			
Total	8 425	100.0	11 970	100.0
Capital goods	774	9.2	1 357	11.3
Intermediate goods	5 991	71.1	7 711	64.4
Consumer goods	1 638	19.4	2 426	20.3
Other, not elsewhere specified	22	0.3	475	4.0

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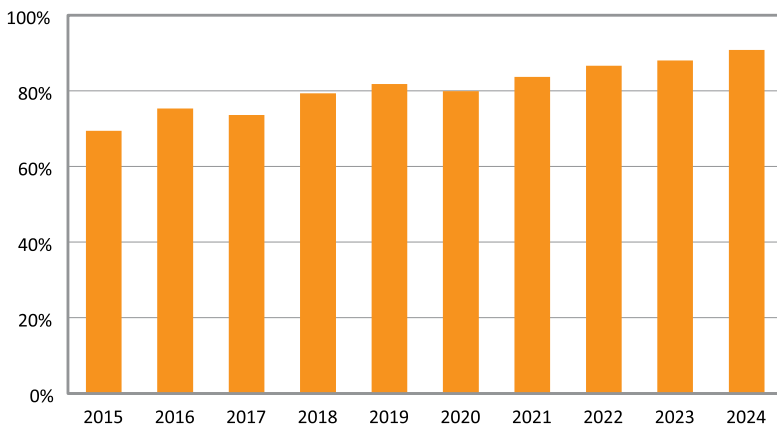
Internet usage by population aged 15-74

	2022	2023	2024
Internet users within the last 3 months ¹⁾	88.3%	85.3%	91.2%
Frequency of Internet usage in the last 3 months ¹⁾			
- every day	85.3%	80.5%	90.8%
- at least once a week	2.4%	3.9%	8.2%
- less than once a week	0.6%	0.9%	1.0%

¹⁾The period "last 3 months" is the first quarter of the year

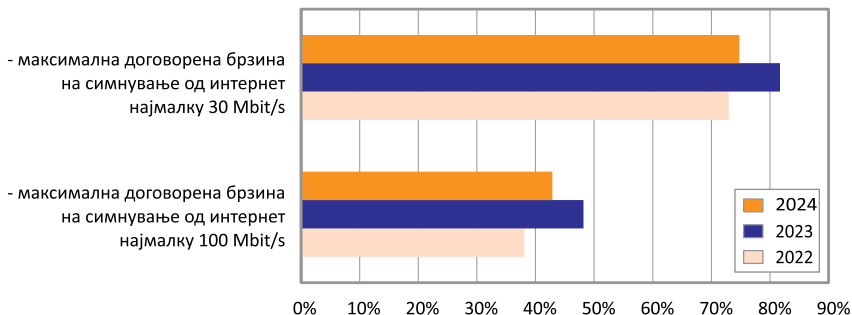
In the first quarter of 2024, 91.2% of people aged 15-74 used the Internet, and 90.8% used the Internet every day.

Households with internet access at home



In 2024, 90.8% of the households had access to the Internet at home, which represents an increase of 2.8 percentage points in comparison with 2023.

Fixed broadband internet connection in enterprises with 10 or more employees (%)



In 2024, 93.2% of the enterprises (with 10 or more employees) had fixed broadband connection, which is an increase of 1.6 percentage points compared to the previous year.

Passengers carried by mode of transport

thousands

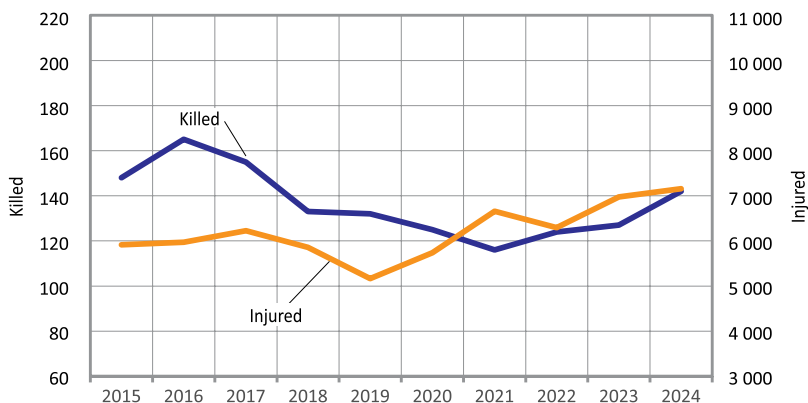
	2014	2019	2024
Road transport	8 115	6 471	3 985
Urban transport	84 476	72 040	37 888
Rail transport	803	549	238
Air transport	1 275	2 667	3 169

Goods carried by mode of transport

tonnes

	2014	2019	2024
Road transport, thousand	31 587	69 395	84 347
Rail transport, thousand	2 376	1 840	858
Air transport	3 112	3 088	3 353

Killed and injured persons in traffic accidents



Passenger transport by mode, in passenger-kilometres

million

	2014	2019	2024
Total	1 284	1 108	846
Road transport	1 204	1 046	820
Rail transport	80	62	25

In 2024, road passenger transport, with a share of 97.0%, was dominant over rail passenger transport, while in 2019 the participation was 94.4%, and in 2014 it was 93.8%.

Freight transport by mode, in tonne-kilometres

million

	2014	2019	2024
Total	7 810	10 615	13 626
Road transport	7 399	10 266	13 468
Rail transport	411	349	158

In 2024, road freight transport, with a share of 98.8%, was dominant over rail freight transport, the same as in 2019, when its share was 96.7%, and in 2014, with a share of 94.7%.

Domestic trade, 2024

		turnover, in million denars	employees
45	Wholesale and retail trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	49 230	52 449
46	Wholesale trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	435 974	312 569
47	Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	326 792	552 096

In 2024 in the Trade Sector, the turnover in Wholesale and retail trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles had a share of 6.06%, and in the same sector/division the number of employees participated with 5.72%. The turnover in Wholesale trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles accounted for 53.69%, and in the same sector/division the number of employees participated with 34.08%; the turnover in Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles had a share of 40.25%, and in the same sector/division the number of employees made up 60.20%.

Number of tourists and nights spent

	2014	2019	2024
Number of tourists			
Total	735 650	1 184 963	1 260 425
Domestic	310 336	427 370	430 246
Foreign	425 314	757 593	830 179
Number of nights spent			
Total	2 195 883	3 262 398	3 297 732
Domestic	1 273 370	1 684 627	1 765 093
Foreign	922 513	1 577 771	1 532 639

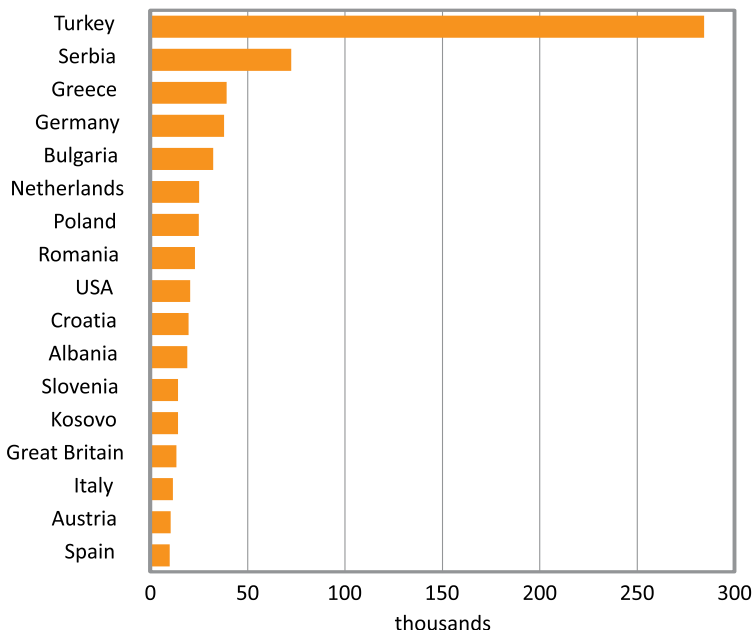
Tourists and nights spent by types of accommodation facilities, 2024

	Tourists	Nights spent
Total	1 260 425	3 297 732
Hotels - total	1 011 596	1 929 838
Hotels*****	339 580	584 394
Hotels****	492 854	959 205
Hotels***	150 175	321 638
Hotels**	25 469	55 663
Hotels*	3 518	8 938
Motels	3 330	7 311
Tourist apartments	1 455	3 493
Overnight lodging houses	16 215	28 293
Spas	8 642	81 449
Mountain lodges and houses	2 047	3 747
Workers' vacation facilities	8 170	29 993
Children and youth vacation facilities	7 131	29 273
Camps	8 966	25 901
Houses, vacation apartments and rooms for rent - total	181 659	1 130 141
Temporary lodging facilities	881	3 177
Uncategorized accommodation establishments	10 333	25 116

The total number of tourists in 2024 was 1 260 425, of which 34.1% were domestic tourists and the other 65.9% were foreign tourists. Compared to the previous year, the number of foreign tourists increased by 13.1%.

The number of nights spent in 2024 was 3 297 732, of which 53.5% by domestic and the other 46.5% by foreign tourists. Compared to the previous year, the number of nights spent by foreign tourists increased by 8.9%.

Tourists by country of origin, 2024



Accommodation capacity in hotels, 2024

	Number of rooms	Number of beds
Hotels - total	10 621	23 348
Hotels*****	2 183	4 462
Hotels****	4 293	9 310
Hotels***	2 560	5 848
Hotels**	1 170	2 819
Hotels*	415	909

Number of active enterprises by sectors of activity according to the National Classification of Activities NKD Rev.2

Sectors of activity	2023 ¹⁾	
	Total	%
Total	72 181	100.0
A Agriculture, forestry and fishing	2 189	3.0
B Mining and quarrying	192	0.3
C Manufacturing	7 816	10.8
D Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	452	0.6
E Water supply, sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	281	0.4
F Construction	5 804	8.0
G Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	21 440	29.7
H Transportation and storage	5 525	7.7
I Accommodation and food service activities	4 886	6.8
J Information and communication	2 767	3.8
K Financial and insurance activities	455	0.6
L Real estate activities	760	1.1
M Professional, scientific and technical activities	8 354	11.6
N Administrative and support service activities	1 719	2.4
O Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	285	0.4
P Education	1 306	1.8
Q Human health and social work activities	3 417	4.7
R Arts, entertainment and recreation	1 132	1.6
S Other service activities	3 401	4.7
T Activities of households as employers; undifferentiated goods- and services-producing activities of households for own use
U Activities of extraterritorial organisations and bodies

¹⁾With respect to the alignment with the new European business statistics regulation (EBS), Regulation (EU) 2019/2152, and the harmonisation of the methodology for maintaining statistical units in the national Statistical Business Register (SBR), kept by the State Statistical Office of the Republic of North Macedonia, the data for the reference year 2021, and beyond, have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the new EBS Regulation as well as Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/1197.

For the first time, for the reference year 2021, the SSO is publishing data on active enterprises (business entities), including complex enterprises that contain two or more legal units. The variables for the statistical units: enterprise, complex enterprise, local unit, and kind of activity unit have been updated in a way that enables a more precise definition of the economic activity status of the statistical unit in the reference year 2021.

Due to these methodological improvements, it will not be possible to compare previously disseminated yearly data from the Statistical Business Register with the current published data for 2021 and beyond. The published preliminary data on active business entities (enterprises) for 2021 were the last to be produced according to the old methodology.

... = data not available

Number of active enterprises by number of persons employed

	Total	0 ¹⁾	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-249	250 +
2023 ²⁾	72 181	4 967	60 161	3 248	2 155	1 421	229

¹⁾ Including enterprises with unascertained number of persons employed

²⁾ The total number of employed persons, including the self-employed, is taken into account.

According to the preliminary data of the State Statistical Office, the number of active enterprises in the Republic of North Macedonia in 2023 was 72 181.

The data on the structure of active enterprises by sections of activities show that the section with the highest share in the structure in 2023 was Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles with 29.7%

The data on the structure of active enterprises according to the number of persons employed show that the highest share of 83.3% belongs to enterprises with 1-9 persons employed, followed by enterprises with no persons employed and enterprises with unascertained number of persons employed (no data on persons employed) with 6.9%, and enterprises with 10-19 persons employed with 4.5%. The share of enterprises with 20-49 persons employed was 3.0%, those with 50-249 persons employed participated with 2.0%, while enterprises with 250 or more persons employed had a share of only 0.3%.

Basic structural business indicators, by group of activity sector, 2023

	million denars	
	Turnover	Value added at factor cost
Total	2 090 624	445 895
Industry	760 774	153 205
Construction	134 259	38 715
Wholesale and retail trade, repair of motor vehicles	816 683	92 933
Services	378 908	161 042

Market-oriented enterprises engaged in industry, construction, trade and other service activities in 2023 generated 2 090 624 million denars of turnover and 445 895 million denars of value added.

Basic structural business indicators, by size classes of number of persons employed, 2023

