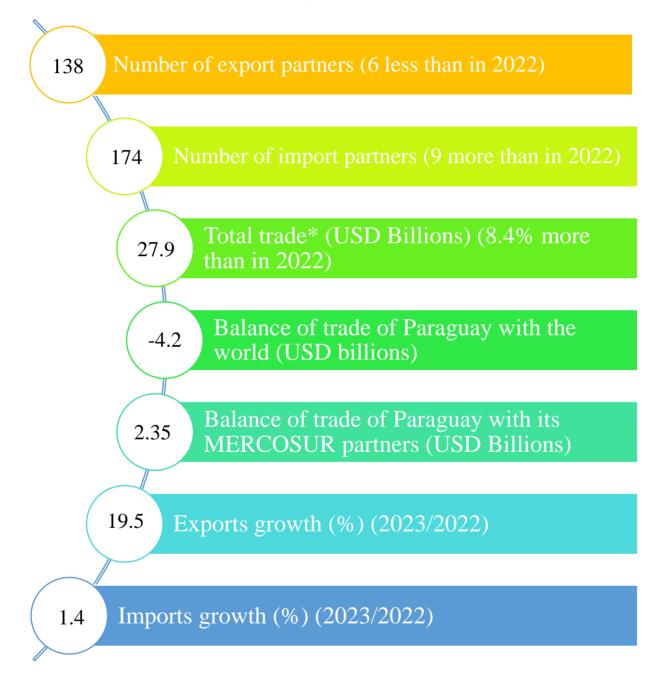


### TRADE INDICATORS OF PARAGUAY

December 2023



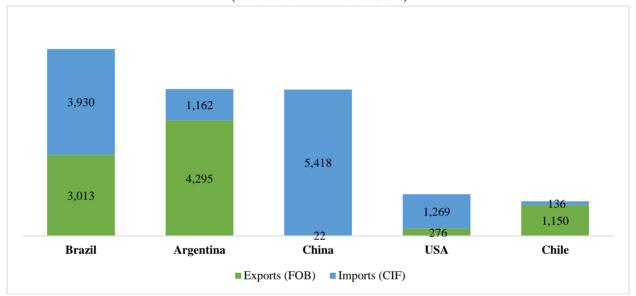
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Note: (\*) Total trade (exports expressed in FOB + imports expressed in CIF)



### **Top trading partners of Paraguay**

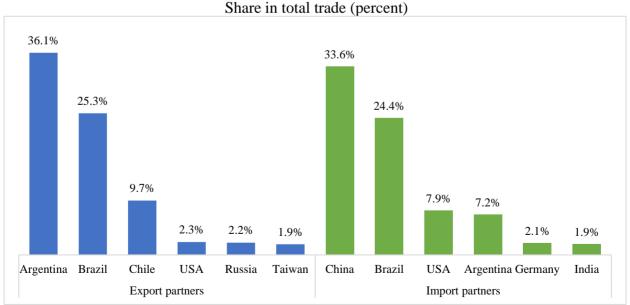
January-December 2023
Share in total trade
(Numbers in millions USD)



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#### Top import and export partners of Paraguay

January-December 2023



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## **Top traded products**

January-December 2023

Exports (in millions) USD FOB	2022	2023	Percent change
Soy	1,227	3,424	179.1
Electricity (hydropower) <sup>1</sup>	1,662	1,572	-5.4
Soy flour	586	885	51

Imports (in millions) USD CIF	2022	2023	Percent change
Telephone devices	1,201	2,078	72.9
Petrol oil	2,418	1,984	-18
Automobiles	570	552	-3.2

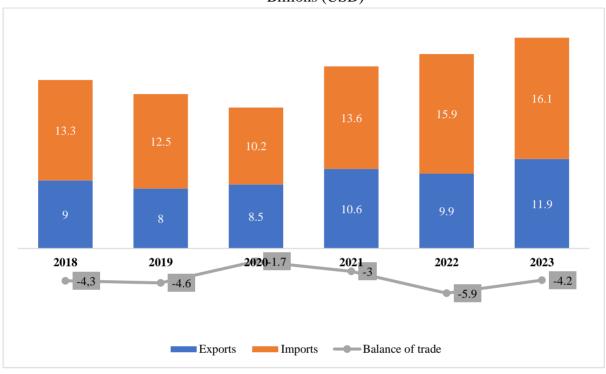
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 100% of electric power generated and sold by Paraguay comes from its hydraulic power plants.



#### Overall trade detailed series

January-December 2018-2023 Billions (USD)



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Notes:

- (\*) Exports expressed as FOB value
- (\*\*) Imports expressed as CIF value



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Exports (FOB)

- January-December 2023: USD 11.8 billion
- January-December 2022: USD 9.9 billion
- Growth in value: USD 1.9 billion
- Growth in percentage: 19.5%

Countries or trade blocs that mostly impacted on exports growth

- MERCOSUR (USD 1.8 billion)
- Countries associated to Mercosur (USD 97 million)

Products which mostly impacted on exports outcome

- Soy (USD 2.2 billion)
- Soy flour (USD 299 million)

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Imports (CIF)

- January-December 2023: USD 16.1 billion
- January-December 2022: USD 15.8 billion
- Growth in value: USD 225 million
- Growth in percentage: 1.4%

Countries or trade blocs that mostly impacted on imports growth

- China, People's Rep. (USD 726 million)
- EU-27 (USD 56 million)

Products which mostly impacted on imports outcome

- Telephone devices (USD 876 million)
- Machinery (USD 54 million)

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