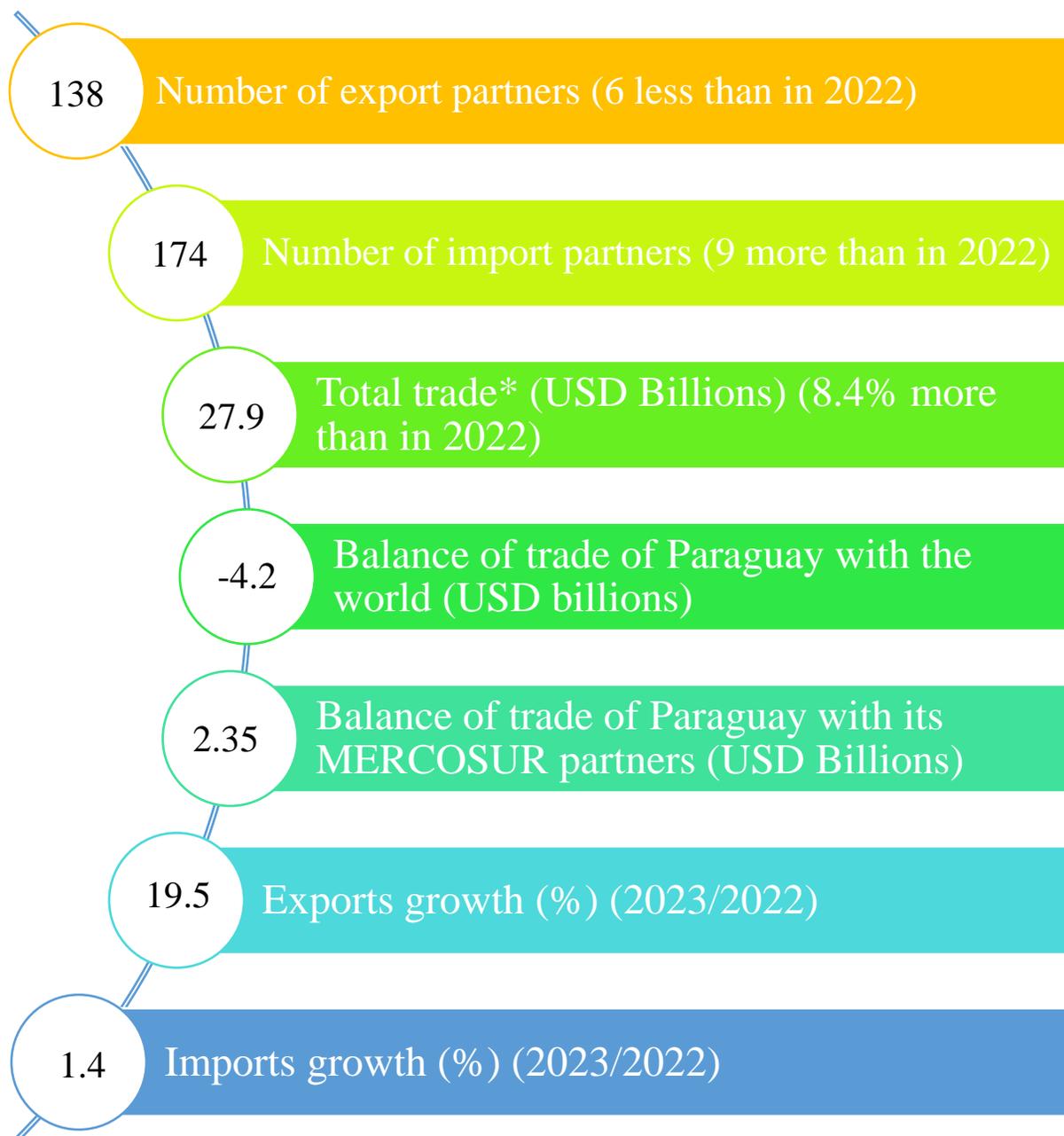


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## TRADE INDICATORS OF PARAGUAY

December 2023



**Source:** General Directorate of Trade Policy and Integration – Department of Commerce Strategies, based on data reported by the Central Bank of Paraguay

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

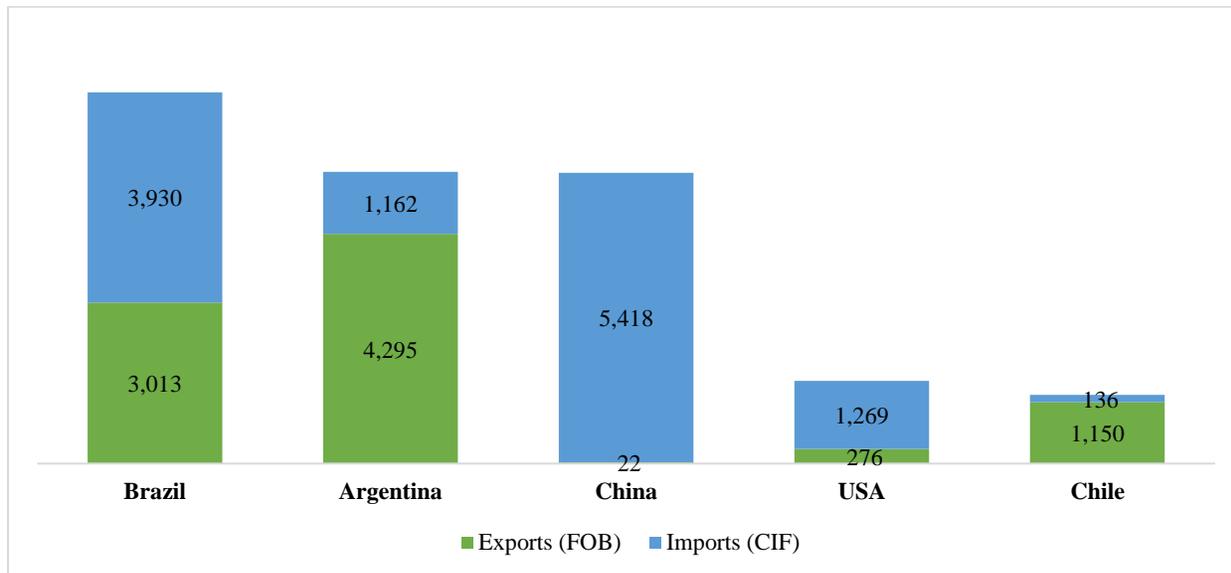
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**Top trading partners of Paraguay**

January-December 2023

Share in total trade

(Numbers in millions USD)

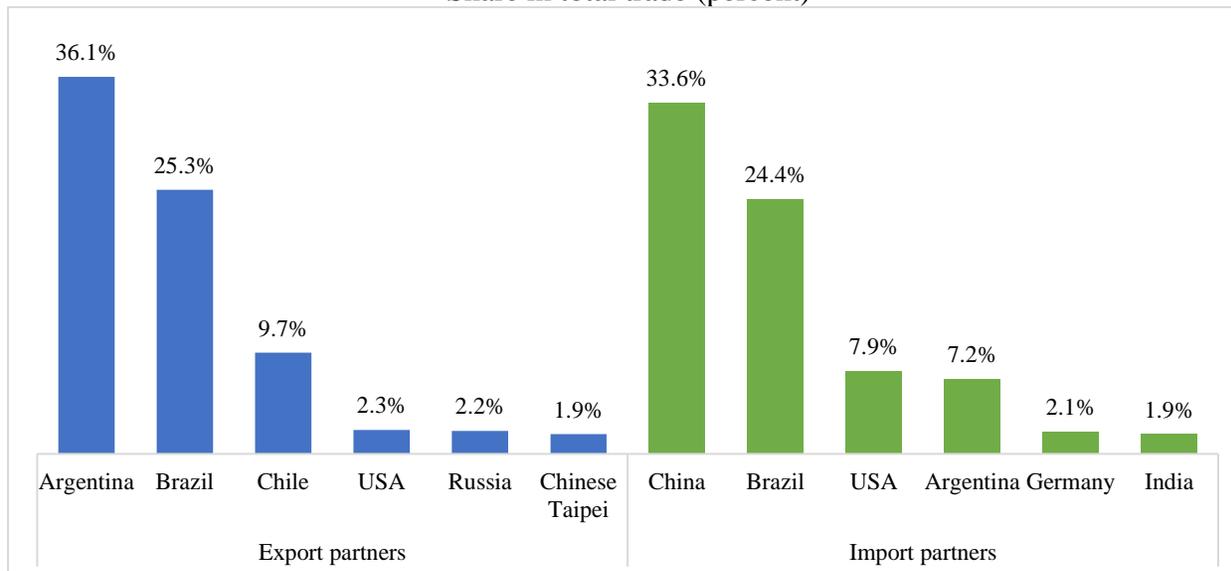


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**Top import and export partners of Paraguay**

January-December 2023

Share in total trade (percent)



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**Top traded products**

*January-December 2023*

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

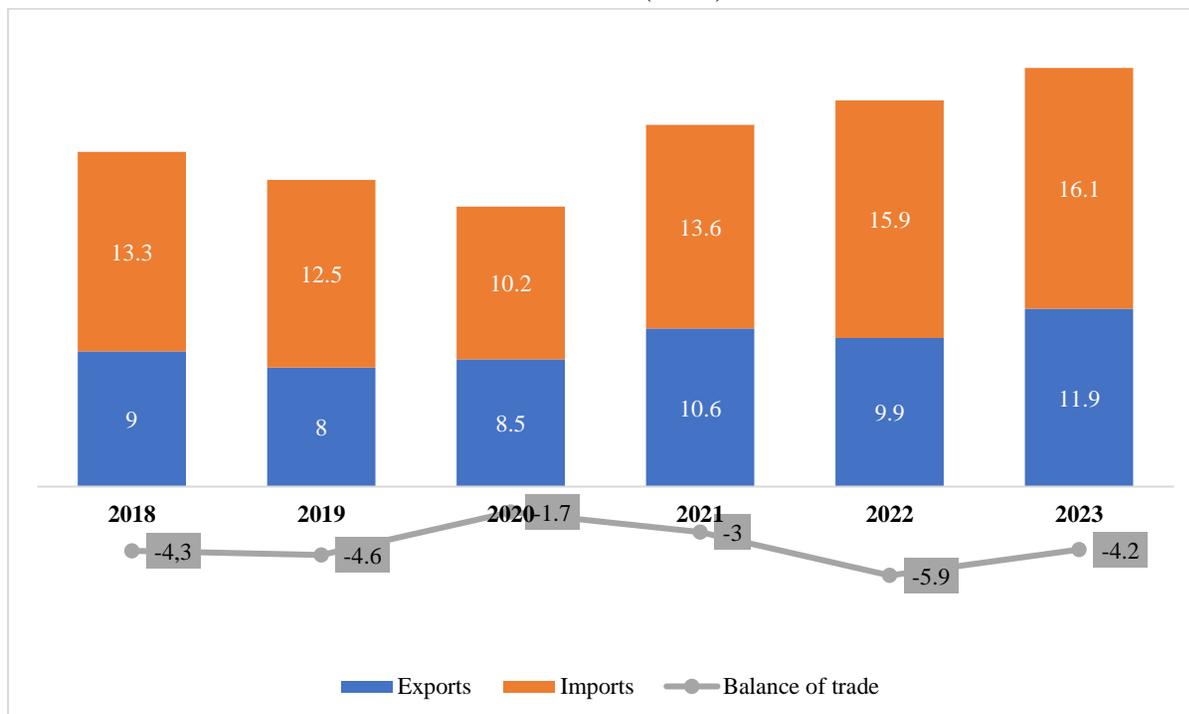
<b>Imports (in millions) USD CIF</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>Percent change</b>
<b>Telephone devices</b>	1,201	2,078	72.9
<b>Petrol oil</b>	2,418	1,984	-18
<b>Automobiles</b>	570	552	-3.2

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

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**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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### Summary of the Paraguayan International Trade

#### 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)

**Source:** General Directorate of Trade Policy and Integration – Department of Commerce Strategies, based on data reported by the Central Bank of Paraguay

#### 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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