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**Due to the timing of input data supply, we have changed the publication date of the November 2020 release from 2nd December 2020 to 4th December 2020.**

## **NOTES**

In tables where figures have been rounded to the nearest final digit, there may be an apparent slight discrepancy between the sum of the constituent items and the total as shown.

## **Symbols**

The following standard Government Statistical Service symbols have been used throughout:

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## **Revisions**

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- receipt of more data
- methodology changes
- corrections

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<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/building-materials-statistics-revisions-policy>

National Statistics status means that our statistics meet the highest standards of trustworthiness, quality and public value, and it is our responsibility to maintain compliance with these standards.

These statistics last underwent a full [assessment](#) against the [Code of Practice for Statistics](#) in 2011.

Since the latest review by the Office for Statistics Regulation, we have continued to comply with the Code of Practice for Statistics, and have made the following improvements:

- carried out a public consultation and introduced publication of [seasonally adjusted](#) data on deliveries of sand and gravel, concrete blocks, bricks, and ready-mixed concrete
- in response to the cessation of MHCLG's Annual Minerals Raised Inquiry, which previously supplied the sampling frame for the land-won sand and gravel survey, we have:
  - changed the survey from sample survey to a census, increasing the panel from 200 sites to around 500 sites
  - refreshed the panel of sites annually using information from the British Geological Survey
  - made the survey statutory under the [Statistics of Trade Act 1947](#), bringing it into line with the marine-dredged sand and gravel survey
- improved the design of the [blocks survey](#), making it fully monthly instead of a mixture of monthly and quarterly data collection
- introduced the publication of the tables in an OpenDocument (ODS) spreadsheet, in addition to Microsoft Excel and PDF

Unless otherwise stated, the statistics published in this volume have been collected by the Office for National Statistics on behalf of the Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy.

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Table 1: Construction Material Price Indices

United Kingdom							2010=100
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	
<b>(a) New Housing</b>							
January	109.8	107.6	112.3	117.6	122.0	121.1	
February	109.9	108.2	113.5	119.4	122.7	121.6	
March	109.9	108.0	113.9	119.4	123.8	122.0	
April	109.9	108.5	114.4	119.8	123.5	122.0	
May	110.2	109.0	114.9	120.2	123.2	122.9	
June	109.7	109.5	115.0	120.7	123.7	122.2	
July	109.4	109.4	115.1	121.2	123.7	122.5 p	
August	109.0	110.1	115.3	121.3	123.2	123.1 p	
September	108.5	110.7	116.2	121.9	122.9	123.8 p	
October	108.2	110.6	116.7	121.5	123.2		
November	108.3	111.5	117.0	122.0	122.3		
December	107.9	111.4	118.0	122.1	121.8		
Annual Average	109.2	109.5	115.2	120.6	123.0		
<b>(b) Other New Work</b>							
January	111.5	106.7	112.6	117.7	123.0	121.7	
February	111.2	107.1	113.3	118.3	124.3	121.8	
March	111.7	107.7	113.7	119.2	124.7	122.2	
April	111.2	107.8	113.9	119.3	124.4	123.6	
May	111.1	108.9	113.8	120.0	124.6	124.1	
June	110.8	109.4	113.8	120.6	123.2	122.7	
July	110.6	109.2	113.9	120.7	123.6	123.6 p	
August	109.5	109.0	114.0	121.0	122.9	123.6 p	
September	109.0	109.4	115.1	121.9	123.4	123.9 p	
October	108.3	109.5	116.3	122.1	122.9		
November	107.5	110.7	117.1	122.1	121.2		
December	107.6	111.4	117.5	121.9	120.3		
Annual Average	110.0	108.9	114.6	120.4	123.2		
<b>(c) Repair and Maintenance</b>							
January	109.5	105.9	111.3	116.8	122.2	120.3	
February	109.1	106.1	112.6	118.3	122.7	120.7	
March	109.0	106.0	113.0	118.5	123.5	120.8	
April	108.8	106.6	113.4	119.1	123.6	120.8	
May	109.0	107.2	113.9	119.6	123.2	121.3	
June	108.6	107.9	113.9	120.5	123.5	120.9	
July	108.3	108.0	114.0	121.1	123.2	121.3 p	
August	107.8	108.7	114.4	121.4	122.9	121.9 p	
September	107.1	109.4	115.1	122.0	122.6	122.4 p	
October	106.9	109.3	115.7	122.0	122.6		
November	106.9	110.2	116.2	122.5	121.7		
December	106.3	110.2	117.0	122.5	120.9		
Annual Average	108.1	108.0	114.2	120.4	122.7		
<b>(d) All Work</b>							
January	110.2	106.1	111.7	116.6	121.7	120.6	
February	110.0	106.4	112.5	117.6	122.6	120.9	
March	110.3	106.8	112.8	118.2	123.2	121.1	
April	109.7	107.0	113.2	118.4	123.0	123.6	
May	109.9	108.0	113.3	119.0	123.0	124.0	
June	109.5	108.4	113.1	119.5	122.3	121.8	
July	109.5	108.5	113.4	119.9	122.7	122.8 p	
August	108.7	108.7	113.7	120.2	122.2	122.8 p	
September	107.9	109.1	114.5	120.9	122.3	122.7 p	
October	107.5	109.1	115.4	120.9	121.9		
November	107.0	110.1	115.8	121.0	120.7		
December	106.8	110.5	116.5	121.1	119.9		
Annual Average	108.9	108.2	113.8	119.4	122.1		

Notes: 1. These indices are weighted averages of Producer Price Indices. They do not include electrical or mechanical engineering materials.

Source ONS/BEIS

2. From the October 2020 release of this publication (published on 4th November 2020), the aggregate price indices in this table are calculated using the following replacements made by ONS: JTV8 Gravel, Sand, Clays & Kaolin excluding Aggregate Levy replaces both KFH7 Sand & gravel (excluding levy) and KFH9 Crushed rock (excluding levy); JTV9 Gravel, Sand, Clays & Kaolin including Aggregate Levy replaces both KFH8 Sand & gravel (including levy) and KFI2 Crushed rock (including levy); and JUY6: Bituminous Mixtures based on Natural & Artificial Stone replaces KNT6 Bituminous materials (referred to as Coated Roadstone excluding levy in Table 2 and 3). These changes have a small effect on the aggregate indices in this table.

3. A back series of both the previous and replacement indices will be published alongside the November 2020 release of this publication, to be published on 4th December 2020.

# PRICES

**Table 2: Price Indices of Construction Materials**

United Kingdom

2010=100

	2019				2020		
	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
<b>AGGREGATES</b>							
Crushed rock	- including levy	107.2	106.8	106.8	106.8	106.8	106.8
	- excluding levy	109.8	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1
Sand & gravel	- including levy	121.0	121.0	121.0	121.0	121.0	121.0
	- excluding levy	125.6	125.6	125.6	125.6	125.6	125.6
Coated roadstone	- excluding levy	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2
<b>CEMENT AND CONCRETE</b>							
Cement		124.7	124.5	124.3	124.2	127.0	127.7
Ready-mixed concrete **		122.1	121.7	121.9	121.7	121.8	122.0
Pre-cast concrete products		129.6	129.6	129.5	129.2	129.8	130.6
of which : Blocks, bricks, tiles & flagstones		132.7	132.8	132.5	132.6	133.1	133.6
Concrete reinforcing bars (steel)		97.7	96.1	90.5	90.2	91.2	90.4
<b>CLAY PRODUCTS</b>							
All Bricks		c	c	c	c	c	c
Ceramic tiles *		97.2	96.9	96.8	96.6	97.2	97.6
Ceramic sanitaryware		c	c	c	c	c	c
<b>TIMBER AND JOINERY</b>							
Imported sawn or planed wood		114.8	112.5	111.7	109.2	107.9	106.8
Imported plywood		106.6	104.9	102.2	101.0	102.3	102.4
Sawn wood **		c	c	c	c	c	c
Particle Board **		c	c	c	c	c	c
Builders' woodwork **		128.2	128.2	128.0	129.2	129.7	129.8
of which : Doors & windows **		127.9	127.9	127.5	130.4	130.3	130.7
<b>METAL PRODUCTS</b>							
Fabricated structural steel		107.7	106.7	101.1	98.6	97.4	97.4
Doors & windows **		129.6	129.3	129.1	130.1	130.3	130.1
Screws etc *		111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8	108.9
Other builders' ironmongery**		120.3	120.8	120.7	120.7	121.3	122.5
Central heating boilers *		131.4	131.4	131.4	131.4	131.4	131.3
Taps and Valves for sanitaryware		144.0	144.0	144.0	144.1	145.5	147.5
Metal Sanitaryware*		115.3	115.3	115.3	115.3	115.3	115.3
<b>PLASTIC PRODUCTS</b>							
Pipes and fittings (rigid) **		126.5	126.8	127.2	128.0	126.0	126.4
Pipes and fittings (flexible) **		121.3	121.3	121.3	121.3	121.3	121.3
Sanitaryware **		119.8	119.8	119.8	120.1	120.1	121.7
Doors & windows **		124.5	124.5	124.8	124.8	124.7	124.8
<b>OTHER BUILDING MATERIALS</b>							
Asphalt products *		c	c	c	c	c	c
Insulating materials (thermal or acoustic)		148.2	147.2	146.8	146.6	148.1	149.0
Paint (aqueous)		125.8	125.6	125.7	125.7	125.6	126.0
Paint (non-aqueous)		119.3	118.9	118.9	118.9	118.9	119.0
Lighting equipment for buildings		c	c	c	c	c	c
Lighting equipment for roads **		c	c	c	c	c	c
Electric heating apparatus		103.1	103.1	104.8	106.5	105.5	106.6
Electric water heaters *		104.0	104.1	104.1	104.1	105.1	106.4
Kitchen furniture		131.0	131.0	131.0	131.0	131.8	131.9

**Notes:**

- Most of these indices, which are compiled by the Office for National Statistics, are a selection of producer price indices. Complete list available online at: <https://www.ons.gov.uk/economy/inflationandpriceindices/datalist?query>. Search for reference MM22.
- From the November 2020 release of this publication (to be published on 4th December 2020), ONS will be making the following replacements to prices indices: JTV8 Gravel, Sand, Clays & Kaolin excluding Aggregate Levy will replace both KFH7 Sand & gravel (excluding levy) and KFH9 Crushed rock (excluding levy); JTV9 Gravel, Sand, Clays & Kaolin including Aggregate Levy will replace both KFH8 Sand & gravel (including levy) and KF12 Crushed rock (including levy); and JUY6: Bituminous Mixtures based on Natural & Artificial Stone will replace KNT6 Bituminous materials (referred to as Coated Roadstone excluding levy in Table 2 and 3).
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Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	
				p	p	AGGREGATES
106.8	106.8	106.8	106.8	106.8	106.8	Crushed rock - including levy
109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	- excluding levy
121.0	121.0	121.0	121.0	121.0	121.0	Sand & gravel - including levy
125.6	125.6	125.6	125.6	125.6	125.6	- excluding levy
113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	Coated roadstone - excluding levy
						CEMENT AND CONCRETE
128.4	128.4	128.4 r	127.5	127.9	128.1	Cement
122.7	122.7	120.0 r	119.0	119.9	121.3	Ready-mixed concrete **
132.2	132.8 r	132.4 r	132.1	132.4	132.5	Pre-cast concrete products
133.9	135.2 r	134.4 r	134.0	133.8	133.9	of which : Blocks, bricks, tiles & flagstones
91.8	91.4	89.8	90.4 p	90.5 p	92.5 p	Concrete reinforcing bars (steel)
						CLAY PRODUCTS
c	c	c	c	c	c	All Bricks
97.9	98.0 r	97.8	97.8	97.9	98.1	Ceramic tiles *
c	c	c	c	c	c	Ceramic sanitaryware
						TIMBER AND JOINERY
109.6	109.7	110.8 r	110.6	112.5	113.6	Imported sawn or planed wood
113.0	114.4	107.4	107.0	112.8	114.2	Imported plywood
c	c	c	c	c	c	Sawn wood **/***
c	c	c	c	c	c	Particle Board **
130.1	130.6	130.7	130.9	131.1	131.1	Builders' woodwork **
130.9	130.9	131.1	131.1	131.2	131.2	of which : Doors & windows **
						METAL PRODUCTS
102.3	103.4	101.0	106.2 p	106.0 p	107.9 p	Fabricated structural steel
131.2	131.6 r	131.6 r	131.3	130.9	131.2	Doors & windows **
108.8	109.0	109.0	109.0	109.0	109.0	Screws etc *
121.7	121.7	121.7	121.7	122.2	122.5	Other builders' ironmongery**
131.3	131.3	131.3	131.3	131.3	131.3	Central heating boilers *
147.8	147.8	147.8	147.8	149.6	149.7	Taps and Valves for sanitaryware
115.3	115.3	115.3	115.3	115.3	115.3	Metal Sanitaryware*
						PLASTIC PRODUCTS
127.9	127.1	128.9	129.8	130.7	130.3	Pipes and fittings (rigid) **
128.2	128.2	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	Pipes and fittings (flexible) **
121.7	122.0	122.0	122.0	122.0	122.0	Sanitaryware **
126.0	126.2 r	126.6 r	126.6	126.6	126.9	Doors & windows **
						OTHER BUILDING MATERIALS
c	c	c	c	c	c	Asphalt products *
153.6	154.3 r	154.7	155.0	154.8	155.6	Insulating materials (thermal or acoustic)
126.9	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	Paint (aqueous)
119.6	120.1	119.7	119.6	119.5	119.3	Paint (non-aqueous)
c	c	c	c	c	c	Lighting equipment for buildings
c	c	c	c	c	c	Lighting equipment for roads **
105.3	105.2 r	105.3	105.5	105.9	106.3	Electric heating apparatus*
106.7	106.7	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.4	Electric water heaters *
131.9	132.0	132.0	132.0	132.0	132.0	Kitchen furniture

Source : ONS

\* The Office for National Statistics state that these Indices are based on relatively few quotes and in the long term should not be relied upon for contractual purposes.

\*\* These index values are considered less reliable mainly due to lack of market coverage.

\*\*\* Index K2WY (Wood, sawn or chipped lengthwise, sliced or peeled, of a thickness > 6mm; railway or tramway sleepers of wood not impregnated) is no longer a live index. Index is retained in Tables 2 and 3 as it may be reinstated in future.

# PRICES

**Table 3: Price Indices of Construction Materials - Annual Averages**

United Kingdom		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
		2010=100				
<b>AGGREGATES</b>						
Crushed rock	- including levy	105.9	106.0	105.4	105.4	106.9
	- excluding levy	107.7	107.8	107.1	107.1	109.3
Sand & gravel	- including levy	121.3	120.6	121.4	121.0	121.0
	- excluding levy	125.0	125.0	125.8	125.6	125.6
Coated roadstone	- excluding levy	113.4	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2
<b>CEMENT AND CONCRETE</b>						
Cement		118.6	118.8	118.5	119.9	124.5
Ready-mixed concrete		117.5	118.6	119.0	120.7	121.9
Pre-cast concrete products		113.1	116.7	120.6	124.2	129.3
	of which: Blocks, bricks, tiles & flagstones	115.5	120.5	125.4	128.3	132.2
Concrete re-inforcing bars		88.3	83.9	95.8	103.8	99.0
<b>CLAY PRODUCTS</b>						
All Bricks		121.9	121.4	c	c	c
Ceramic tiles		101.9	c	c	95.6	96.7
Ceramic sanitaryware		c	c	c	c	c
<b>TIMBER AND JOINERY</b>						
Imported sawn or planed wood		96.8	97.8	108.7	120.0	117.7
Imported plywood		109.0	102.3	108.9	126.1	114.0
Sawn Wood		110.2	105.7	113.1	c	c
Particle Board		138.2	134.7	141.9	c	c
Builders woodwork		111.3	112.5	117.0	123.8	127.9
	of which: Doors & windows	112.5	115.4	118.8	123.7	127.7
<b>METAL PRODUCTS</b>						
Fabricated structural steel		89.2	87.4	98.2	107.0	107.6
Doors & windows		113.8	115.5	121.7	126.7	129.7
Screws etc		102.3	c	c	105.0	108.8
Other builders' ironmongery		112.4	116.7	117.1	116.8	119.0
Central heating boilers		110.7	c	c	126.8	129.8
Taps & valves for sanitaryware		c	c	c	c	141.9
Metal sanitaryware		113.5	112.1	113.1	114.6	117.0
<b>PLASTIC PRODUCTS</b>						
Pipes and fittings (rigid)		114.8	114.2	117.6	123.3	126.9
Pipes and fittings (flexible)		112.0	c	111.8	116.5	120.5
Sanitaryware		109.7	114.3	115.5	116.9	119.8
Doors & windows		113.1	114.5	117.2	119.4	123.0
<b>OTHER BUILDING MATERIALS</b>						
Asphalt products		112.4	c	c	c	c
Insulating materials (thermal or acoustic)		120.8	124.1	125.0	132.6	145.9
Paint (aqueous)		113.6	113.0	112.7	118.7	124.4
Paint (non-aqueous)		117.8	116.9	121.0	125.2	121.4
Lighting equipment for buildings		c	c	c	c	c
Lighting equipment for roads		103.2	101.5	100.1	c	c
Electric water heaters		110.2	113.3	120.0	121.6	109.5
Kitchen furniture		110.9	111.5	115.6	126.9	129.8

Source : ONS

**Notes:**

1. These indices, which are compiled by the Office for National Statistics, are a selection of producer price indices. The complete list is published monthly by the ONS in the Business Monitor MM22.
2. From the November 2020 release of this publication (to be published on 4th December 2020), ONS will be making the following replacements to prices indices: JTV8 Gravel, Sand, Clays & Kaolin excluding Aggregate Levy will replace both KFH7 Sand & gravel (excluding levy) and KFH9 Crushed rock (excluding levy); JTV9 Gravel, Sand, Clays & Kaolin including Aggregate Levy will replace both KFH8 Sand & gravel (including levy) and KFI2 Crushed rock (including levy); and JUY6: Bituminous Mixtures based on Natural & Artificial Stone will replace KNT6 Bituminous materials (referred to as Coated Roadstone excluding levy in Table 2 and 3).
3. A back series of both the previous and replacement indices will be published alongside the November 2020 release of this publication, to be published on 4th December 2020.



## MINING AND QUARRYING

**Table 4 : Sales of Sand and Gravel in Great Britain**

Great Britain		Thousand tonnes						
	Seasonally Adjusted Sand & Gravel	Sand		Gravel	Sand & Gravel	Sand, Gravel & Hoggin	Sand & Gravel	of which
	Total	for Building	for Concreting	for Concreting & other uses	for Coating	for Fill	Total	Marine- Dredged
2009	58,482	7,270	21,582	c	c	c	58,482	9,589
2010	54,530	6,074	19,887	c	c	c	54,530	9,341
2011	57,062	6,041	23,489	c	c	c	57,062	11,169
2012	57,972	6,499	21,994	23,077	c	c	57,972	10,320
2013	52,591	5,722	19,036	18,890	c	c	52,591	10,489
2014	52,430	5,803	19,217	20,356	1,416	5,640	52,430	11,713
2015	52,721	5,814	20,529	19,315	1,412	5,650	52,721	11,737
2016	58,585	6,312	22,422	21,435	1,791	5,056	57,014	11,770
2017	60,447	6,309	24,632	24,038	1,498	3,848	60,325	13,664
2018	58,424	6,372	23,329	23,196	1,676	3,692	58,264	11,599
2019	58,493 p	7,103	23,043	23,030	1,494	3,828	58,493	11,810
2014 Q3	13,512	1,593	5,456	5,511	387	1,388	14,334	3,138
Q4	13,355	1,359	4,796	4,825	333	1,340	12,653	2,832
2015 Q1	13,269	1,352	4,722	4,643	283	1,598	12,599	2,905
Q2	13,771	1,626	5,539	5,170	413	1,617	14,364	3,150
Q3	12,513	1,465	5,140	4,841	386	1,464	13,297	3,003
Q4	13,168	1,371	5,128	4,661	330	971	12,461	2,679
2016 Q1	14,495	1,406	5,213	4,893	349	1,167	13,027	2,593
Q2	15,165	1,796	5,775	5,587	600	1,408	15,165	3,116
Q3	14,646	1,661	6,042	5,912	449	1,312	15,376	3,245
Q4	14,279	1,449	5,392	5,043	393	1,169	13,446	2,816
2017 Q1	15,430	1,478	5,978	5,867	354	1,101	14,778	2,982
Q2	15,123	1,703	6,515	6,345	390	950	15,903	4,045
Q3	14,945	1,666	6,376	6,397	413	828	15,679	3,520
Q4	14,948	1,462	5,763	5,429	341	969	13,965	3,117
	13,510							
2018 Q1	13,510	1,366	5,043	4,741	387	876	12,414	2,608
Q2	14,658	1,782	6,276	6,190	393	1,041	15,681	3,140
Q3	15,727	1,691	6,393	7,176	527	935	16,721	3,121
Q4	14,529	1,533	5,617	5,089	369	840	13,448	2,730
2019 Q1	14,732	1,657	5,454	5,435	371	781	13,699	2,895
Q2	14,837 p	2,043	5,863	6,252	390	1,077	15,619	3,154
Q3	14,494 p	1,910	6,224	6,118	384	1,040	15,677	3,008
Q4	14,431 p	1,493	5,502	5,225	349	930	13,498	2,753
2020 Q1	13,826 p	1,486	4,980	5,115	337	897	12,815	2,612
Q2	8,786 p	1,118	3,554	3,878	217	581	9,348	1,929
Q3 p	12,060 p	1,449	5,271	5,405	302	782	13,208	2,623

Notes: 1. From Quarter 1 2019, sand and gravel data reported in this publication includes recycled material.

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**Table 5 : Sales of Sand and Gravel by Standard region, Wales and Scotland**

	Thousand tonnes						
	Sand for Building	Sand for Concreting	Gravel for Concreting & other uses	Sand & Gravel for Coating	Sand, Gravel & Hoggin for Fill	Sand & Gravel Total	of which <b>Marine- Dredged</b>
<b>(a) Q3 2020 (p)</b>							
North East	124	242	95	26	16	503	167
Yorkshire & the Humber	18	197	185	0	3	403	19
North West	108	149	9	40	44	350	2
West Midlands	127	656	749	32	59	1,624	0
East Midlands	76	667	575	58	100	1,477	0
East of England	244	947	1,221	85	126	2,622	137
South East	421	1,088	1,702	16	206	3,433	2,043
South West	183	658	334	11	136	1,322	163
Wales	78	257	62	0	29	426	92
Scotland	70	411	472	33	62	1,049	0
Great Britain	1,449	5,271	5,405	302	782	13,208	2,623
of which marine-dredged	129	1,103	1,251	4	136	2,623	
<b>(b) Q3 2019</b>							
North East	176	262	141	10	34	623	168
Yorkshire & the Humber	41	224	213	12	13	503	13
North West	173	254	45	62	84	619	4
West Midlands	271	745	844	21	128	2,008	0
East Midlands	70	770	727	59	79	1,705	0
East of England	261	1,171	1,156	80	172	2,839	119
South East	514	1,521	1,966	45	218	4,264	2,462
South West	173	596	401	6	125	1,301	145
Wales	30	238	62	0	22	353	97
Scotland	203	443	563	89	165	1,462	0
Great Britain	1,910	6,224	6,118	384	1,040	15,677	3,008
of which marine-dredged	83	1,482	1,323	5	115	3,008	

Notes: 1. Regions refer to Government Office Regions.

2. From Quarter 1 2019, sand and gravel data reported in this publication includes recycled material.

3. The methodology for the sand and gravel estimates has changed since Q1 2017. Please see the background notes for further details.

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Thousand tonnes

	Sand for Building	for Concreting	Gravel for Concreting & other uses	Sand & Gravel for Coating	Sand, Gravel & Hoggin for Fill	Sand & Gravel Total	of which  Marine- Dredged
<b>(c) Annual 2019</b>							
North East	537	999	515	44	117	2,212	646
Yorkshire & the Humber	189	764	784	78	61	1,877	31
North West	628	1,040	153	228	310	2,359	32
West Midlands	943	2,810	3,157	72	383	7,363	0
East Midlands	271	2,730	2,524	221	262	6,010	0
East of England	1,043	4,174	4,295	293	754	10,559	398
South East	2,012	5,736	7,776	145	912	16,584	9,764
South West	707	2,180	1,467	22	457	4,836	533
Wales	132	862	225	1	83	1,303	403
Scotland	643	1,747	2,131	389	486	5,396	0
Great Britain	7,103	23,043	23,030	1,494	3,828	58,493	11,810
of which marine-dredged	437	5,605	5,295	14	459	11,810	
<b>(d) Annual 2018</b>							
North East	437	904	537	40	104	2,024	568
Yorkshire & the Humber	198	902	1,107	72	78	2,358	0
North West	727	1,055	124	230	460	2,597	112
West Midlands	801	2,910	2,912	72	285	6,979	0
East Midlands	308	2,709	2,478	202	160	5,859	0
East of England	963	4,137	5,292	481	636	11,510	402
South East	1,687	5,941	6,877	206	836	15,547	9,600
South West	618	2,402	1,627	28	477	5,152	551
Wales	169	606	290	2	181	1,247	367
Scotland	461	1,769	1,953	342	474	4,997	0
Great Britain	6,372	23,329	23,196	1,676	3,692	58,264	11,599
of which marine-dredged	436	5,984	4,744	14	422	11,599	

4. From May 2014, values for each quarter will no longer be adjusted to ensure that rounded values sum to the total value. Thus, in any given quarter, the sum of all sub-categories of sand and gravel may not exactly match that shown in the total column. Please see the 'Pre-Announcements and Summary of Revisions to Monthly Statistics of Building Materials and Components Publication'

document on our website for further details.

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**Table 6 : Sales of Sand and Gravel by English & Welsh County and Scottish Region**

Thousand tonnes

	2019			2020		
	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	<sup>p</sup> Quarter 3
<b>NORTH EAST</b>	553	623	507	475	326	503
Northumberland	86	86	70	67	34	56
Tyne and Wear *	c	c	c	c	c	c
Durham	c	c	c	c	c	c
Cleveland *	c	c	c	c	c	c
<b>YORKSHIRE &amp; THE HUMBER</b>	476	503	415	365	363	403
North Yorkshire	296	316	245	243	260	332
West Yorkshire	0	0	0	0	0	0
South Yorkshire	c	c	c	c	c	c
Humberside *	c	c	c	c	c	c
<b>NORTH WEST</b>	622	619	538	483	215	350
Cumbria	114	106	101	91	39	69
Lancashire	151	161	138	121	36	57
Merseyside *	c	c	c	c	c	c
Greater Manchester	c	c	c	c	c	c
Cheshire	300	297	247	232	139	191
<b>WEST MIDLANDS</b>	2,063	2,008	1,635	1,434	1,272	1,624
Shropshire	248	258	225	128	c	c
Staffordshire	1,228	1,336	1,142	c	c	c
West Midlands	334	122	122	130	c	c
Warwickshire	c	c	c	0	c	0
Hereford & Worcester	c	c	c	44	c	c
<b>EAST MIDLANDS</b>	1,511	1,705	1,509	1,238	1,010	1,477
Derbyshire	c	696	c	c	c	c
Nottinghamshire	c	0	c	c	c	c
Leicestershire	569	556	607	441	244	390
Northamptonshire	c	c	c	c	c	c
Lincolnshire	507	c	499	469	438	662
<b>EAST OF ENGLAND</b>	2,779	2,839	2,518	2,596	1,748	2,622
Cambridgeshire	485	481	434	469	250	363
Norfolk	660	580	529	481	297	388
Suffolk *	484	537	505	447	348	501
Essex *	576	636	536	689	534	762
Bedfordshire	c	c	c	c	c	c
Hertfordshire	c	c	c	c	c	c
<b>SOUTH EAST</b>	4,492	4,264	3,785	3,687	2,659	3,433
Buckinghamshire	144	136	119	114	35	94
Oxfordshire	193	190	173	144	156	195
Berkshire	186	192	175	158	152	196
Greater London *	658	688	652	579	515	699
Surrey	305	256	200	220	206	259
Kent *	1,419	1,372	1,214	1,081	520	606
Sussex East *	462	436	400	359	213	286
Sussex West *	c	c	c	c	c	c
Hampshire *	679	606	500	670	538	663
Isle of Wight	c	c	c	c	c	c

\* Includes marine-dredged.

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Thousand tonnes

	2019			2020		
	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3 <sup>p</sup>
<b>SOUTH WEST</b>	1,305	1,301	1,050	1,108	942	1,322
Gloucestershire	c	c	c	c	c	c
Wiltshire	96	80	52	55	24	69
Avon *	c	c	c	c	c	c
Somerset *	c	c	c	c	c	c
Dorset *	177	200	168	157	148	192
Devon *	189	172	141	136	73	153
Cornwall	c	c	c	c	c	c
<b>ENGLAND</b>	13,801	13,862	11,957	11,386	8,535	11,734
<b>WALES</b>	334	353	346	325	273	426
Clwyd	c	c	c	c	c	c
Gwynedd *	c	c	c	c	c	c
Powys	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dyfed *	41	36	33	35	24	29
Glamorgan West *	c	c	c	c	c	0
Glamorgan Mid	0	0	0	0	0	0
Glamorgan South *	c	c	c	c	c	c
Gwent *	c	c	c	c	c	c
<b>SCOTLAND</b>	1,484	1,462	1,196	1,104	540	1,049
South of Scotland	119	118	79	78	50	136
North East Scotland	129	150	110	112	94	150
Highlands	177	176	97	84	35	100
Island Areas	c	c	c	c	c	c
East Central Scotland	c	c	c	c	c	c
West Central Scotland	511	495	457	424	121	317
Tayside and Fife	387	388	327	286	163	275
<b>GREAT BRITAIN</b>	15,619	15,677	13,498	12,815	9,348	13,208

\* Includes marine-dredged.

Notes: 1. Regions refer to Government Office Regions.

2. From Quarter 1 2019, sand and gravel data reported in this publication includes recycled material.

3. The methodology for the sand and gravel estimates has changed since Q1 2017. Please see the background notes for further details.

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**Table 7 : Slate - Production, Deliveries and Stocks**

Great Britain

Tonnes

	Production			Deliveries			Stocks <sup>1</sup>			Deliveries
	Roofing <sup>2</sup>	Cladding, decorative & crude blocks	Powder & Granules	Roofing <sup>2</sup>	Cladding, decorative & crude blocks	Powder & Granules	Roofing <sup>2</sup>	Cladding, decorative & crude blocks	Powder & Granules	Fill &
										Other Uses
2008	c	59,644	16,915	c	58,129	18,402	c	2,749	2,253	c
2009	c	33,759	9,150	22,555	34,322	10,637	2,420	2,186	766	615,346
2010	c	28,001	c	c	27,355	c	c	3,063	c	582,111
2011	c	30,665	c	c	30,437	c	c	3,245	c	662,003
2012	c	29,634	c	c	28,083	c	c	1,351	c	607,127
2013	c	32,419	c	c	31,375	c	c	c	665	692,319
2014	19,358	30,900	15,467	18,596	31,268	15,393	2,925	1,076	739	620,887
2015	c	29,990	c	c	29,996	c	2,130	605	794	534,879
2016	14,705	28,628	13,565	14,902	28,403	13,874	1,821	814	1,109	559,713
2017	13,877	25,962	11,847	14,212	26,005	11,671	1,379	559	1,285	594,954
2018	13,518	27,922	10,661	13,965	25,578	10,616	326	998	1,330	593,769
2019	12,129	c	c	12,251	c	c	807	c	c	79,567
2012 Q3	c	6,219	c	c	6,167	c	c	1,206	c	146,152
Q4	c	5,952	c	c	3,410	c	c	1,351	c	151,916
2013 Q1	c	6,052	c	c	9,220	c	c	c	802	157,215
Q2	c	9,638	c	c	9,440	c	c	c	736	216,035
Q3	c	10,429	c	c	6,843	c	c	c	537	169,995
Q4	c	6,300	c	c	5,872	c	c	c	665	149,074
2014 Q1	4,670	5,639	4,036	4,337	5,637	4,209	2,721	1,134	492	159,818
Q2	4,693	7,413	3,946	4,299	7,428	3,657	3,085	1,049	781	179,396
Q3	5,141	8,533	3,837	4,996	8,145	4,054	3,034	988	564	152,155
Q4	4,854	9,315	3,648	4,964	10,058	3,473	2,925	1,076	739	129,518
2015 Q1	c	7,488	c	c	7,564	c	c	833	c	156,704
Q2	3,575	8,461	3,421	4,075	8,443	3,692	2,143	583	366	148,002
Q3	4,115	7,209	3,636	3,940	7,177	3,667	2,318	615	335	130,949
Q4	3,519	6,832	3,380	3,713	6,812	2,921	2,130	605	794	99,224
2016 Q1	4,276	6,533	3,341	4,046	6,541	3,618	2,360	587	517	111,123
Q2	3,538	7,062	3,419	3,865	7,120	3,419	2,033	529	517	168,008
Q3	3,655	7,996	3,465	3,786	7,836	3,870	1,902	689	112	167,602
Q4	3,236	7,037	3,340	3,205	6,906	2,967	1,821	814	1,109	112,980
2017 Q1	3,499	5,667	3,431	3,552	5,767	3,261	1,750	422	1,279	188,449
Q2	3,486	6,347	2,880	3,712	6,246	2,702	1,435	553	1,457	163,538
Q3	3,842	7,638	2,680	3,625	7,788	2,977	1,652	403	1,160	143,548
Q4	3,050	6,310	2,856	3,323	6,204	2,731	1,379	559	1,285	99,419
2018 Q1	3,441	7,908	3,321	3,428	5,893	3,095	1,392	674	1,511	112,797
Q2	3,272	7,554	3,202	3,350	7,550	3,271	1,314	678	1,442	342,237
Q3	3,691	6,839	1,452	3,802	6,537	1,426	1,203	975	1,468	129,654
Q4	3,114	5,621	2,686	3,385	5,598	2,824	326	998	1,330	9,081
2019 Q1	3,077	7,586	3,755	3,201	7,542	3,865	808	1,042	1,220	12,945
Q2	2,983	c	c	3,197	c	c	594	c	c	25,532
Q3	3,110	c	c	3,202	c	c	499	c	c	24,014
Q4	2,959	c	c	2,651	c	c	807	c	c	17,076
2020 Q1	c	7,159	c	2,219	c	c	c	c	c	c
Q2	c	4,972	c	c	5,183	c	c	c	c	9,954
Q3	c	7,779	c	c	7,750	c	c	c	c	c

<sup>1</sup> Refers to stocks at the end of the period.

<sup>2</sup> Consists of all slate tiles which could be used as roofing tiles.

Note: Response for Q1 2020 was lower than normal due to sites and/or site offices being closed due to Covid-19 restrictions, meaning that the majority of figures required suppression.

**Table 8 : Cement & Clinker - Production and Deliveries**

Great Britain

Thousand tonnes

	<b>Cement</b>						<b>Clinker</b>	
	<b>Production</b>	<b>Exports</b>	<b>Deliveries</b>	<b>Imports (into GB)</b>		<b>Cementitious Material</b>		<b>Production</b>
	<i>of which</i>	<i>(from GB)</i>	<i>(into GB from GB production)</i>	by 'Manuf.	by Others*	other	total	
2003	11,215	164	11,072	576	646	2,329	14,623	10,146
2004	11,405	141	11,074	609	825	2,443	14,951	10,402
2005	11,216	110	11,004	306	971	2,385	14,666	10,074
2006	11,469	127	11,221	124	1,089	2,648	15,082	10,069
2007	11,887	74	11,638	255	1,121	2,769	15,783	10,227
2008	10,071	61	9,937	283	1,084	2,432	13,660	8,700
2009	7,623	21	7,474	99	1,085	1,680	10,338	6,421
2010	7,883	0	7,767	61	1,153	1,535	10,515	6,598
2011	8,529	0	8,318	86	1,173	1,736	11,312	7,096
2012	7,952	0	7,728	61	1,122	1,605	10,515	6,555
2013	8,203	0	8,204	117	1,322	1,892	11,535	6,712
2014	8,958	3	8,751	227	1,590	1,864	12,433	7,197
2015	9,235	0	9,526	635	1,425	2,382	13,967	7,804
2016	9,370	:	:	:	1,503	3,003	15,004	8,056
2017	9,359	:	9,063	1,114	1,932	3,160	15,269	7,824
2018	9,197	:	9,141	935	1,663	3,449	15,188	7,734
2019	9,079	:	9,078	801	1,727	3,613	15,218	7,830

**Notes:**

1. Arrangements for publication of the cementitious data have been revised following discussion and agreement by the Mineral Products Association (MPA) Cement members. Data are now provided on an annual basis. For quarterly and monthly data up to September 2013, please refer to earlier editions of this publication.

2. Where the coverage is for Great Britain, the figures for imports & exports are defined accordingly and have been estimated. Cementitious material covers cement itself, fly ash to EN 450 Part 1 where used as part of the cement in concrete (previously known as pulverised fuel ash (pfa) to BS 3892 Part 1) and ground granulated blast furnace slag (ggbs) to EN 15167 Part 1 (previously BS 6699)

## BRICKS

Table 9 : Bricks - Production, Deliveries and Stocks

Great Britain

Millions of Bricks

Brick Type	Seasonally Adjusted Deliveries	Production	Deliveries (from)	Stocks*	Production	Deliveries (from)	Stocks*	
	All Types	All Types			Commons			
2015	1,704	1915	1704	561	167	159	33	
2016	1,830	1800	1830	531	170	167	35	
2017	2,037	1877	2037	371	178	178	35	
2018	2,052	2025	2050	346	140	128	33	
2019	2,001 p	c	1998	424	109	108	39	
2019	Q4	531	496	509	346	29	30	33
	Q1	510	503	457	392	21	25	29
	Q2	511	523	547	373	26	28	31
	Q3	491 p	536	517	392	34	30	34
	Q4	490 p	c	478	424	28	24	39
2020	Q1	433 p	456	395	485	26	25	40
	Q2	202 p	110	216	379	8	14	34
	Q3	434 p	427	468	338	28	27	35
2018	September	173	179	170	359	11	10	35
	October	171	188	194	354	12	13	34
	November	174	175	185	343	9	10	32
	December	185	133	130	346	8	7	33
2019	January	162	160	136	370	8	9	32
	February	172	162	152	380	6	9	29
	March	175	181	168	392	8	7	29
	April	170	176	175	393	7	9	27
	May	170	178	189	386	8	10	29
	June	171	168	182	373	11	9	31
	July	159	183	177	380	14	12	33
	August	161 p	173	163	390	10	9	34
	September	171 p	180	178	392	10	10	34
	October	158 p	190	181	400	12	10	36
	November	158 p	183	163	419	11	8	39
	December	173 p	c	133	424	5	6	39
2020	January	155 p	151	132	443	8	8	39
	February	155 p	166	141	468	10	9	39
	March	123 p	139	122	485	8	7	40
	April	23 p	4	23	466	c	2	39
	May	73 p	26	70	422	c	4	36
	June	106 p	80	123	379	6	8	34
	July	140 p	136	156	359	c	9	33
	August	148 p	142	147	354	c	8	35
	September	146 p	149	165	338	10	10	35

\* Refers to stocks at end of period

Notes:

1. From March 2015, seasonally adjusted figures for deliveries of bricks have been included in this table. In the production of these figures, brick deliveries data back to January 1983 have been seasonally adjusted. This long run data series is available on request.

2. The current unusual circumstances are affecting the seasonal adjustment of deliveries, therefore we will not be publishing revisions as normal until we can carry out further analysis.



Millions of Bricks

Production	Deliveries (from)	Stocks*	Production	Deliveries (from)	Stocks*	(a) Brick Type	
Facings			Engineering				
1548	1380	477	200	166	51	2015	
1464	1511	430	166	151	66	2016	
1567	1679	318	132	180	18	2017	
1738	1770	302	147	152	11	2018	
1808	1743	367	c	147	19	2019	
430	441	302	36	38	11		Q4
442	398	346	40	33	17	2019	Q1
457	479	324	40	39	18		Q2
466	449	341	37	38	16		Q3
443	417	367	c	36	19		Q4
395	346	416	35	24	29	2020	Q1
96	182	330	5	20	15		Q2
363	404	289	36	37	13		Q3
152	146	313	15	14	12	2018	September
162	165	309	14	15	11		October
153	163	299	13	12	12		November
116	112	302	10	11	11		December
140	118	324	13	10	13	2019	January
140	131	333	16	12	17		February
162	149	346	12	11	17		March
157	155	348	13	12	18		April
156	166	338	15	13	20		May
144	158	324	13	14	18		June
157	151	330	12	14	17		July
150	143	337	14	11	19		August
159	155	341	11	13	16		September
166	157	350	12	14	14		October
156	143	362	16	12	18		November
121	116	367	c	11	19		December
129	117	379	14	7	26	2020	January
145	122	401	11	9	27		February
121	107	416	10	8	29		March
3	18	401	c	3	26		April
24	58	367	c	7	19		May
69	106	330	5	10	15		June
116	135	311	c	12	14		July
120	126	305	c	13	14		August
128	143	289	12	12	13		September

\* Refers to stocks at end of period

Table 10 : Brick Production, Deliveries and Stocks by English region, Wales and Scotland

Thousands

	North East	Yorks & Humber	North West	West Midlands	East Midlands	East of England
(a) Commons				#		#
<b>Production</b>						
2019	c	c	c	c	c	c
2019 Q4	c	c	c	c	c	c
2020 Q1	c	c	c	c	c	c
Q2	c	0	c	c	c	0
Q3	c	0	c	c	c	c
2020 September	c	0	624	c	c	c
<b>Deliveries (from)</b>						
2019	c	c	c	c	c	c
2019 Q4	c	0	c	c	c	c
2020 Q1	c	0	695	c	c	c
Q2	c	0	463	c	c	c
Q3	c	0	c	c	c	c
2020 September	c	0	c	c	4,931	c
<b>Stocks *</b>						
2019	c	c	429	c	c	c
2019 Q4	c	c	429	c	c	c
2020 Q1	c	c	c	c	c	c
Q2	c	c	511	c	c	c
Q3	c	c	1,045	c	13,953	c
2020 September	c	c	1,045	c	13,953	c
<b>(b) Facings</b>						
<b>Production</b>						
2019	c	c	185,357	426,506	c	c
2019 Q4	c	c	44,543	100,745	c	c
2020 Q1	c	c	41,002	98,273	116,689	c
Q2	c	c	c	c	c	c
Q3	c	c	34,300	86,701	122,248	c
2020 September	c	c	13,724	27,052	45,554	c
<b>Deliveries (from)</b>						
2019	c	c	188,037	414,333	c	c
2019 Q4	c	c	43,871	99,148	c	c
2020 Q1	c	c	37,075	82,985	102,259	c
Q2	c	c	17,873	41,816	c	c
Q3	c	c	41,257	99,510	117,199	c
2020 September	c	c	15,424	35,433	43,083	c
<b>Stocks *</b>						
2019	c	c	28,874	80,008	c	c
2019 Q4	c	c	28,874	80,008	c	c
2020 Q1	c	c	32,801	95,296	c	c
Q2	c	c	c	75,335	c	c
Q3	c	11,175	14,301	62,526	c	c
2020 September	c	11,175	14,301	62,526	c	c
<b>(c) Engineering #</b>						
<b>Production</b>						
2019	c	c	c	c	c	c
2019 Q4	c	c	c	23,949	c	c
2020 Q1	c	c	c	c	c	c
Q2	c	0	c	c	0	c
Q3	c	c	c	c	c	c
2020 September	0	0	2,106	c	c	c
<b>Deliveries (from)</b>						
2019	c	c	c	97,736	c	c
2019 Q4	c	c	c	23,777	c	c
2020 Q1	c	c	3,404	15,183	c	c
Q2	c	c	c	c	0	c
Q3	c	c	4,242	26,490	c	c
2020 September	c	0	1,369	8,735	c	c
<b>Stocks *</b>						
2019	c	c	2,963	10,848	c	c
2019 Q4	c	c	2,963	10,848	c	c
2020 Q1	c	c	c	18,932	c	c
Q2	c	c	c	9,074	c	c
Q3	c	c	1,766	8,412	c	c
2020 September	c	c	1,766	8,412	c	c

Note: Regions now use Government Office boundaries.

\* Refers to stocks at end of period.

# Engineering bricks : South West are included with West Midlands and East of England are included with South East.

South East	South West	England	Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	
#	#					
c	c	c	c	c	109,069	<b>(a) Commons</b>
c	c	c	c	c	28,331	Production
c	c	c	c	0	26,208	2019
c	c	c	c	0	8,269	2019 Q4
c	c	c	c	0	28,405	2020 Q1
c	c	c	c	0	9,977	Q2
						Q3
						2020 September
						Deliveries (from)
c	c	c	c	c	107,665	2019
c	c	c	c	c	24,001	2019 Q4
c	c	c	c	0	24,981	2020 Q1
c	c	c	c	0	14,275	Q2
c	c	c	c	0	27,208	Q3
c	c	c	c	0	9,754	2020 September
						Stocks *
c	1,412	c	c	0	38,778	2019
c	1,412	c	c	0	38,778	2019 Q4
c	1,719	c	c	0	40,005	2020 Q1
c	1,253	c	c	0	33,999	Q2
c	1,646	c	c	0	35,196	Q3
c	1,646	c	c	0	35,196	2020 September
						<b>(b) Facings</b>
						Production
298,957	62,083	c	c	0	1,808,031	2019
71,867	16,538	c	c	0	443,116	2019 Q4
59,975	15,059	c	c	0	394,666	2020 Q1
c	c	c	c	0	96,386	Q2
51,641	17,060	c	c	0	362,777	Q3
18,805	5,579	c	c	0	127,521	2020 September
						Deliveries (from)
277,728	61,020	c	c	0	1,743,462	2019
65,772	15,231	c	c	0	417,129	2019 Q4
58,008	12,275	c	c	0	345,911	2020 Q1
35,424	6,674	c	c	0	181,631	Q2
65,351	16,327	c	c	0	403,894	Q3
22,820	5,476	c	c	0	143,237	2020 September
						Stocks *
79,105	c	c	c	0	366,877	2019
79,105	c	c	c	0	366,877	2019 Q4
81,071	c	c	c	0	415,630	2020 Q1
63,982	c	c	c	0	330,385	Q2
50,272	9,822	c	c	0	289,268	Q3
50,272	9,822	c	c	0	289,268	2020 September
						<b>(c) Engineering #</b>
						Production
c	c	c	c	0	c	2019
c	c	c	c	0	c	2019 Q4
c	c	c	0	c	35,000	2020 Q1
c	c	c	0	0	5,186	Q2
c	c	c	c	0	5,186	Q3
c	c	c	c	c	11,782	2020 September
						Deliveries (from)
c	c	c	c	0	147,071	2019
c	c	c	c	0	36,394	2019 Q4
c	c	c	0	0	24,410	2020 Q1
c	c	c	0	0	19,956	Q2
c	c	c	c	0	37,338	Q3
c	c	c	0	c	12,284	2020 September
						Stocks *
c	c	c	c	c	18,715	2019
c	c	c	c	0	18,715	2019 Q4
c	c	c	c	c	29,305	2020 Q1
c	c	c	c	c	14,535	Q2
c	c	c	c	c	13,199	Q3
c	c	c	c	c	13,199	2020 September

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Table 10 (cont'd) : Brick Production, Deliveries and Stocks by English region, Wales and Scotland

Thousands

	North East	Yorks & Humber	North West	West Midlands	East Midlands	East of England
<b>(d) All Bricks</b>						
Production						
2018	c	c	c	c	c	c
2019	c	c	c	c	c	c
2019 Q3	c	c	c	c	c	c
Q4	c	c	c	c	c	c
2020 Q1	c	c	c	c	c	c
Q2	c	c	c	c	c	c
Q3	c	c	c	c	c	c
2019 September	c	c	c	c	c	c
October	c	c	c	c	c	c
November	c	c	c	c	c	c
December	c	c	c	c	c	c
2020 January	c	c	c	c	c	c
February	c	c	c	c	c	c
March	c	c	c	c	c	c
April	c	c	c	c	c	0
May	c	c	c	c	c	c
June	c	c	c	c	c	c
July	c	c	c	c	c	c
August	c	c	c	c	42,859	c
September	c	c	16,454	c	c	c
Deliveries (from)						
2018	c	c	c	c	c	c
2019	c	c	c	c	c	c
2019 Q3	c	c	54,654	c	c	c
Q4	c	c	c	c	c	c
2020 Q1	c	c	41,174	c	c	c
Q2	c	c	c	c	c	c
Q3	c	c	c	c	c	c
2019 September	c	c	17,846	c	c	c
October	c	c	c	c	c	c
November	c	c	c	c	c	c
December	c	c	c	c	c	c
2020 January	c	c	14,314	c	c	c
February	c	c	14,233	c	c	c
March	c	c	12,627	c	c	c
April	c	c	c	c	c	c
May	c	c	7,291	c	c	c
June	c	c	c	c	c	c
July	c	c	14,552	c	c	c
August	c	c	c	c	c	c
September	c	c	c	c	c	c
Stocks *						
2018	c	c	33,124	c	c	c
2019	c	c	32,266	c	c	c
2019 Q3	c	c	30,111	c	c	c
Q4	c	c	32,266	c	c	c
2020 Q1	c	c	c	c	c	c
Q2	c	c	c	c	c	c
Q3	c	c	17,112	c	c	c
2019 September	c	c	30,111	c	c	c
October	c	c	30,001	c	c	c
November	c	c	c	c	c	c
December	c	c	32,266	c	c	c
2020 January	c	c	33,052	c	c	c
February	c	c	35,318	c	c	c
March	c	c	c	c	c	c
April	c	c	c	c	c	c
May	c	c	c	c	c	c
June	c	c	c	c	c	c
July	c	c	c	c	c	c
August	c	c	c	c	c	c
September	c	c	17,112	c	c	c

Note: Regions now use Government Office boundaries.

\* Refers to stocks at end of period.

Thousands

South East	South West	England	Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	
						<b>(d) All Bricks</b>
						Production
c	c	c	c	c	c	2018
c	c	c	c	c	c	2019
c	c	c	c	0	536,241	2019 Q3
c	c	c	c	c	c	Q4
c	c	c	c	0	455,874	2020 Q1
c	c	c	c	0	109,841	Q2
c	c	c	c	0	427,184	Q3
c	c	c	c	0	179,524	2019 September
c	c	c	c	0	189,654	October
c	c	c	c	c	182,751	November
c	c	c	c	0	c	December
c	c	c	c	0	150,892	2020 January
c	c	c	c	0	166,028	February
c	c	c	c	0	138,954	March
c	c	c	c	0	3,715	April
c	c	c	c	0	25,836	May
c	c	c	c	0	80,290	June
c	c	c	c	0	135,704	July
c	c	c	c	0	142,200	August
c	c	c	c	0	149,280	September
						Deliveries (from)
c	c	c	c	c	2,049,675	2018
c	c	c	c	c	1,998,198	2019
c	c	c	c	c	517,337	2019 Q3
c	c	c	c	c	477,524	Q4
c	c	c	c	0	395,302	2020 Q1
c	c	c	c	0	215,862	Q2
c	c	c	c	0	468,440	Q3
c	c	c	c	c	177,935	2019 September
c	c	c	c	0	181,327	October
c	c	c	c	0	163,346	November
c	c	c	c	c	132,851	December
c	c	c	c	0	132,188	2020 January
c	c	c	c	0	141,076	February
c	c	c	c	0	122,038	March
c	c	c	c	0	22,529	April
c	c	c	c	0	69,931	May
c	c	c	c	0	123,402	June
c	c	c	c	0	155,987	July
c	c	c	c	0	147,178	August
c	c	c	c	0	165,275	September
						Stocks *
c	c	c	c	c	346,108	2018
c	c	c	c	0	424,370	2019
c	c	c	c	c	391,730	2019 Q3
c	c	c	c	0	424,370	Q4
c	c	c	c	0	484,940	2020 Q1
c	c	c	c	0	378,919	Q2
c	c	c	c	0	337,663	Q3
c	c	c	c	c	391,730	2019 September
c	c	c	c	c	400,056	October
c	c	c	c	c	419,461	November
c	c	c	c	0	424,370	December
c	c	c	c	0	443,072	2020 January
c	c	c	c	0	468,024	February
c	c	c	c	0	484,940	March
c	c	c	c	0	466,126	April
c	c	c	c	0	422,031	May
c	c	c	c	0	378,919	June
c	c	c	c	0	358,636	July
c	c	c	c	0	353,658	August
c	c	c	c	0	337,663	September

# CONCRETE PRODUCTS

**Table 11 : Concrete Blocks - Production, Deliveries and Stocks**

Great Britain

Thousand square metres

	All Types			Dense			
	Seasonally Adjusted Deliveries	Production	Deliveries (from)	Stocks*	Production	Deliveries (from)	Stocks*
2009	50,639	50,394	50,639	8,320	22,607	22,748	3,291
2010	51,758	53,629	51,758	10,152	22,393	21,731	3,833
2011	52,901	54,583	52,901	10,810	22,940	22,101	4,486
2012	47,364	51,693	52,021	10,700	21,551	22,323	3,808
2013	57,995	56,031	57,995	4,171	23,599	24,340	1,894
2014	56,953	57,943	56,953	5,413	25,088	24,943	2,147
2015	64,920	64,718	64,920	6,282	25,828	25,474	2,393
2016	70,893	70,537	70,893	5,838	26,987	26,995	2,315
2017	71,929	73,545	71,929	6,808	26,626	26,324	2,540
2018	71,603	70,632	71,308	6,252	26,241	25,946	2,716
2019	70,505 p	73,554	70,081	9,144	24,577	24,076	2,945
2015 Q3	17,068	17,197	18,615	5,419	6,789	6,816	2,286
Q4	16,443	16,130	15,223	6,282	5,857	5,726	2,393
2016 Q1	17,339	15,124	15,545	5,974	5,734	5,782	2,409
Q2	17,589	18,648	19,273	5,280	6,864	7,126	2,146
Q3	17,034	18,750	18,713	5,330	7,461	7,463	2,151
Q4	18,932	18,015	17,362	5,838	6,928	6,624	2,315
2017 Q1	17,984	18,427	16,673	7,667	6,419	6,247	2,554
Q2	18,174	18,984	19,294	7,295	7,129	7,263	2,365
Q3	17,948	18,533	19,372	6,467	6,880	6,902	2,450
Q4	17,823	17,601	16,589	6,808	6,199	5,913	2,540
2018 Q1	17,168	15,539	15,070	7,235	5,874	5,641	2,712
Q2	18,015	18,664	19,510	6,459	6,855	7,142	2,360
Q3	18,416	19,244	19,759	6,020	7,081	7,082	2,352
Q4	18,005	17,184	16,968	6,252	6,432	6,083	2,716
2019 Q1	18,591	18,631	16,653	7,941	6,110	5,793	2,904
Q2	17,782	18,631	18,896	7,663	6,477	6,615	2,754
Q3	17,262 p	18,604	18,887	7,199	6,527	6,559	2,673
Q4	16,869 p	17,689	15,646	9,144	5,462	5,109	2,945
2020 Q1	17,543 p	16,767	16,520	9,367	5,101	5,192	2,853
Q2	9,493 p	8,747	10,276	7,983	4,192	4,375	2,562
Q3	17,076 p	17,985	19,135	5,367	6,504	6,455	2,123
September	5,959	6,113	5,990	6,020	2,227	2,183	2,352
October	6,207	6,688	6,964	5,745	2,582	2,522	2,413
November	6,112	6,418	6,317	5,842	2,473	2,320	2,561
December	5,686	4,078	3,687	6,252	1,376	1,241	2,716
2019 January	6,678	6,330	5,521	7,024	1,999	1,897	2,778
February	5,783	5,821	5,188	7,405	1,950	1,809	2,831
March	6,130	6,480	5,944	7,941	2,161	2,088	2,904
April	6,232	5,979	6,493	7,426	2,024	2,191	2,738
May	5,931	6,618	6,627	7,417	2,231	2,371	2,598
June	5,619	6,034	5,776	7,663	2,222	2,053	2,754
July	5,767	6,588	6,824	7,419	2,396	2,361	2,781
August	5,593	5,689	5,845	7,183	2,017	2,064	2,694
September	5,902 p	6,327	6,218	7,199	2,114	2,134	2,673
October	5,604 p	6,837	6,304	7,739	2,299	2,148	2,830
November	5,649 p	5,914	5,661	7,876	1,825	1,816	2,732
December	5,616 p	4,937	3,681	9,144	1,339	1,145	2,945
2020 January	6,176 p	5,763	5,476	9,431	1,787	1,756	2,976
February	6,176 p	5,844	5,665	9,610	1,779	1,782	2,973
March	5,190 p	5,160	5,379	9,367	1,535	1,654	2,853
April	1,133 p	732	1,634	8,456	554	840	2,551
May	3,560 p	2,355	3,385	7,580	1,196	1,481	2,174
June	4,801 p	5,659	5,257	7,983	2,442	2,054	2,562
July	5,645 p	5,389	6,618	5,471	2,349	2,334	2,119
August	5,506 p	5,858	5,804	5,570	2,043	1,964	2,244
September (p)	5,925 p	6,738	6,713	5,367	2,112	2,157	2,123

\* Refers to stocks at end of period.

Notes:

1. From March 2015, seasonally adjusted figures for deliveries of concrete blocks have been included in this table. In the production of these figures, blocks deliveries data back to January 1983 have been seasonally adjusted. This long run data series is available on request.
2. The current unusual circumstances are affecting the seasonal adjustment of deliveries, therefore we will not be publishing revisions as normal until we can carry out further analysis.

# CONCRETE PRODUCTS

Thousand square metres

Lightweight			Aerated			
Production	Deliveries (from)	Stocks*	Production	Deliveries (from)	Stocks*	
13,421	13,989	1,522	14,367	13,903	3,507	2009
14,415	13,923	2,044	16,822	16,104	4,276	2010
15,153	14,821	1,728	16,490	15,978	4,596	2011
14,383	14,103	2,024	15,759	15,595	4,868	2012
17,055	17,508	1,208	15,377	16,147	1,069	2013
17,499	17,447	1,402	15,356	14,563	1,864	2014
19,036	18,727	1,712	19,853	20,719	2,177	2015
20,453	20,820	1,329	23,096	23,078	2,195	2016
22,105	20,991	1,905	24,814	24,614	2,363	2017
21,479	21,434	2,067	22,911	23,927	1,468	2018
21,071	20,625	2,252	27,907	25,379	3,948	2019
4,894	4,859	1,499	5,514	6,940	1,635	2015 Q3
4,282	4,047	1,712	5,991	5,449	2,177	Q4
4,434	4,332	1,864	4,956	5,431	1,702	2016 Q1
5,164	5,594	1,364	6,620	6,552	1,770	Q2
5,539	5,569	1,341	5,749	5,681	1,838	Q3
5,316	5,325	1,329	5,771	5,414	2,195	Q4
5,434	4,872	1,898	6,575	5,555	3,215	2017 Q1
5,369	5,562	1,686	6,487	6,469	3,243	Q2
5,749	5,583	1,791	5,904	6,888	2,227	Q3
5,554	4,973	1,905	5,848	5,703	2,363	Q4
4,921	4,488	2,358	4,744	4,942	2,165	2018 Q1
5,473	5,813	2,032	6,336	6,556	2,067	Q2
5,897	5,978	2,034	6,266	6,699	1,634	Q3
5,187	5,155	2,067	5,565	5,731	1,468	Q4
5,422	5,035	2,294	7,098	5,824	2,742	2019 Q1
5,638	5,585	2,347	6,515	6,695	2,563	Q2
5,569	5,587	2,244	6,508	6,741	2,282	Q3
4,441	4,418	2,252	7,785	6,119	3,948	Q4
4,452	4,502	2,178	7,214	6,826	4,336	2020 Q1
3,037	2,832	2,373	1,517	3,069	3,048	Q2
5,195	5,073	1,658	6,286	7,607	1,586	Q3
1,891	1,838	2,034	1,995	1,969	1,634	September
2,060	2,158	1,936	2,046	2,283	1,397	October
1,962	1,899	1,998	1,984	2,098	1,282	November
1,165	1,097	2,067	1,536	1,350	1,468	December
1,926	1,668	2,329	2,405	1,956	1,917	2019 January
1,639	1,588	2,216	2,232	1,791	2,357	February
1,856	1,779	2,294	2,462	2,077	2,742	March
1,834	1,902	2,226	2,120	2,400	2,462	April
1,942	1,910	2,258	2,445	2,346	2,561	May
1,862	1,773	2,347	1,950	1,949	2,563	June
1,953	2,022	2,278	2,239	2,441	2,360	July
1,758	1,781	2,263	1,914	2,000	2,226	August
1,858	1,784	2,244	2,356	2,300	2,282	September
1,869	1,804	2,309	2,669	2,351	2,600	October
1,430	1,640	2,090	2,660	2,206	3,054	November
1,143	974	2,252	2,456	1,562	3,948	December
1,425	1,533	2,144	2,551	2,187	4,311	2020 January
1,666	1,540	2,270	2,399	2,343	4,367	February
1,361	1,430	2,178	2,264	2,296	4,336	March
163	306	2,042	15	488	3,863	April
578	998	1,605	581	906	3,801	May
2,296	1,528	2,373	921	1,674	3,048	June
c	c	1,363	c	c	1,989	July
c	c	1,400	c	c	1,927	August
1,958	1,689	1,658	2,668	2,867	1,586	September (p)

## CONCRETE PRODUCTS

**Table 12 : Concrete Blocks : Production, Deliveries and Stocks by English Region, Wales and Scotland**

		Thousand square metres					
		North Midlands	Southern	England	Scotland & Wales	Great Britain	
<b>(a) Dense aggregate Monthly</b>							
<b>Production</b>							
	Oct	444	641	707	1,792	507	2,299
	Nov	347	602	530	1,479	346	1,825
	Dec	280	462	392	1,135	204	1,339
2020	Jan	352	556	501	1,408	379	1,787
	Feb	370	506	542	1,418	361	1,779
	Mar	327	390	472	1,190	345	1,535
	Apr	c	c	140	450	104	554
	May	257	c	284	c	c	1,196
	Jun	834	670	538	2,042	400	2,442
	Jul	416	689	709	1,813	535	2,349
	Aug	398	596	594	1,587	456	2,043
	Sep	391	712	594	1,697	415	2,112
							p
<b>Deliveries (from)</b>							
	Oct	419	658	624	1,702	446	2,148
	Nov	368	554	559	1,481	334	1,816
	Dec	236	350	360	947	198	1,145
2020	Jan	357	493	536	1,386	370	1,756
	Feb	331	520	540	1,391	391	1,782
	Mar	333	454	552	1,339	315	1,654
	Apr	172	293	209	674	166	840
	May	286	443	428	1,157	324	1,481
	Jun	405	619	571	1,596	458	2,054
	Jul	449	702	636	1,786	547	2,334
	Aug	410	596	546	1,553	411	1,964
	Sep	461	667	604	1,732	426	2,157
							p
<b>Stocks *</b>							
	Oct	542	556	853	1,951	879	2,830
	Nov	518	576	800	1,894	838	2,732
	Dec	581	687	833	2,100	844	2,945
2020	Jan	575	750	797	2,123	853	2,976
	Feb	614	737	799	2,150	823	2,973
	Mar	611	673	710	1,993	860	2,853
	Apr	530	605	641	1,776	775	2,551
	May	491	512	472	1,475	700	2,174
	Jun	920	562	439	1,921	641	2,562
	Jul	434	549	512	1,495	624	2,119
	Aug	422	548	559	1,529	714	2,244
	Sep	352	594	549	1,495	628	2,123
							p
<b>Quarterly</b>							
<b>Production</b>							
2019	Q1	1,299	1,778	1,980	5,057	1,053	6,110
	Q2	1,228	2,045	1,961	5,235	1,243	6,477
	Q3	1,373	1,987	1,860	5,220	1,307	6,527
	Q4	1,071	1,705	1,629	4,405	1,057	5,462
2020	Q1	1,048	1,453	1,515	4,016	1,085	5,101
	Q2	c	c	962	c	c	4,192
	Q3	1,232	1,949	1,895	5,076	1,377	6,454
<b>Deliveries (from)</b>							
2019	Q1	1,196	1,748	1,831	4,775	1,019	5,793
	Q2	1,310	1,951	2,032	5,292	1,323	6,615
	Q3	1,283	1,978	2,027	5,289	1,270	6,559
	Q4	1,023	1,563	1,544	4,130	978	5,109
2020	Q1	1,021	1,467	1,628	4,116	1,076	5,192
	Q2	863	1,355	1,209	3,427	948	4,375
	Q3	1,320	1,965	1,786	5,071	1,384	6,455
<b>Annual</b>							
<b>Production</b>							
	2017	5,273	7,530	8,597	21,401	5,225	26,626
	2018	5,266	7,586	8,443	21,295	4,946	26,241
	2019	4,972	7,515	7,430	19,917	4,659	24,577
<b>Deliveries (from)</b>							
	2017	5,080	7,636	8,429	21,145	5,180	26,324
	2018	5,331	7,489	8,414	21,234	4,712	25,946
	2019	4,812	7,240	7,434	19,486	4,590	24,076
<b>Stocks *</b>							
	2017	533	438	894	1,866	674	2,540
	2018	428	557	886	1,870	846	2,716
	2019	581	687	833	2,100	844	2,945

\* Refers to stocks at end of period.

Notes: 1. Regions refer to Government Office Regions

2. Concrete blocks in this table have an average depth of 10cm. Dividing the figures in this table by 10 hence gives the amount of concrete blocks in thousands of cubic metres.



**Table 12 : Concrete Blocks : Production, Deliveries and Stocks by English Region, Wales and Scotland**

Thousand square metres

		North Midlands	Southern	England	Scotland & Wales	Great Britain		
<b>(b) Other (1)</b>	<b>Monthly</b>						<b>(b) Other (1)</b>	<b>Monthly</b>
	Production						Production	
	Oct	2,480	1,300	668	4,449	90	4,539	Oct
	Nov	1,841	1,535	642	4,018	71	4,089	Nov
	Dec	1,680	1,129	740	3,549	49	3,598	Dec
2020	Jan	2,007	1,362	530	3,899	77	3,976	2020 Jan
	Feb	2,174	1,155	654	3,982	82	4,065	Feb
	Mar	1,912	1,079	574	3,565	61	3,626	Mar
	Apr	97	23	49	169	9	178	Apr
	May	934	128	45	1,107	52	1,159	May
	Jun	2,383	534	253	3,169	48	3,217	Jun
	Jul	1,591	721	665	2,978	63	3,041	Jul
	Aug	2,075	1,015	646	3,735	80	3,815	Aug
	Sep	2,539	1,279	720	4,537	88	4,626	Sep
								p
	Deliveries (from)						Deliveries (from)	
	Oct	2,236	1,166	671	4,074	82	4,156	Oct
	Nov	1,897	1,258	619	3,775	71	3,846	Nov
	Dec	1,045	1,018	417	2,479	57	2,536	Dec
2020	Jan	1,905	1,288	457	3,650	70	3,720	2020 Jan
	Feb	2,099	1,152	560	3,812	70	3,882	Feb
	Mar	1,835	1,307	508	3,650	76	3,726	Mar
	Apr	184	c	166	c	c	794	Apr
	May	967	553	337	1,857	47	1,904	May
	Jun	1,703	962	477	3,142	61	3,202	Jun
	Jul	2,425	1,130	659	4,215	69	4,284	Jul
	Aug	2,185	948	641	3,774	66	3,840	Aug
	Sep	2,570	1,238	666	4,474	82	4,556	Sep
								p
	Stocks *						Stocks *	
	Oct	2,317	2,004	357	4,677	231	4,908	Oct
	Nov	2,259	2,280	380	4,919	225	5,144	Nov
	Dec	2,888	2,391	703	5,982	217	6,200	Dec
2020	Jan	2,990	2,465	776	6,231	224	6,455	2020 Jan
	Feb	3,065	2,468	869	6,402	236	6,637	Feb
	Mar	3,124	2,241	934	6,299	215	6,514	Mar
	Apr	3,037	1,841	817	5,695	210	5,905	Apr
	May	3,002	1,670	526	5,197	208	5,406	May
	Jun	3,682	1,242	301	5,225	196	5,420	Jun
	Jul	2,024	833	307	3,163	189	3,352	Jul
	Aug	1,913	900	312	3,124	202	3,327	Aug
	Sep	1,729	941	365	3,035	209	3,244	Sep
								p
<b>Quarterly</b>	<b>Production</b>						<b>Quarterly</b>	<b>Production</b>
	Q1	6,486	3,775	2,018	12,280	241	12,520	2019 Q1
	Q2	6,112	3,636	2,152	11,900	254	12,154	Q2
	Q3	6,207	3,656	1,956	11,819	259	12,077	Q3
	Q4	6,002	3,963	2,051	12,016	211	12,226	Q4
2020	Q1	6,093	3,596	1,757	11,446	219	11,666	2020 Q1
	Q2	3,414	685	346	4,445	109	4,554	Q2
	Q3	7,094	3,594	2,034	12,721	258	11,482	Q3
	Deliveries (from)						Deliveries (from)	
	2019 Q1	5,679	3,134	1,821	10,633	226	10,859	2019 Q1
	Q2	6,300	3,532	2,198	12,030	251	12,281	Q2
	Q3	6,415	3,694	1,984	12,093	235	12,328	Q3
	Q4	5,178	3,442	1,707	10,327	210	10,537	Q4
2020	Q1	5,840	3,747	1,525	11,112	216	11,328	2020 Q1
	Q2	2,853	c	981	c	c	5,901	Q2
	Q3	7,180	3,316	1,966	12,462	218	12,680	Q3
<b>Annual</b>	<b>Production</b>						<b>Annual</b>	<b>Production</b>
	2017	25,002	13,361	7,600	45,963	956	46,919	2017
	2018	24,583	13,263	5,635	43,482	909	44,390	2018
	2019	24,807	15,030	8,177	48,014	964	48,978	2019
	Deliveries (from)						Deliveries (from)	
	2017	24,470	12,869	7,331	44,670	935	45,605	2017
	2018	24,950	13,396	6,041	44,387	975	45,361	2018
	2019	23,572	13,802	7,710	45,084	921	46,005	2019
	Stocks *						Stocks *	
	2017	2,045	1,265	747	4,057	211	4,268	2017
	2018	1,772	1,257	336	3,364	171	3,535	2018
	2019	2,888	2,391	703	5,982	217	6,200	2019

(1) Lightweight aggregate including aerated concrete blocks where appropriate.

\* Refers to stocks at end of period.

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Thousand square metres

		North Midlands	Southern	England	Scotland & Wales	Great Britain	
<b>(c) Total Monthly</b>	<b>Production</b>						<b>(c) Total Monthly</b>
							<b>Production</b>
	Oct	2,924	1,941	1,375	6,241	597	6,837
	Nov	2,188	2,137	1,172	5,497	417	5,914
	Dec	1,961	1,591	1,132	4,684	253	4,937
2020	Jan	2,359	1,918	1,031	5,307	456	5,763
	Feb	2,544	1,661	1,195	5,401	443	5,844
	Mar	2,239	1,470	1,046	4,755	406	5,160
	Apr	c	c	188	619	113	732
	May	1,191	c	329	c	c	2,355
	Jun	3,217	1,203	791	5,211	448	5,659
	Jul	2,007	1,410	1,374	4,791	598	5,389
	Aug	2,472	1,611	1,239	5,322	536	5,858
	Sep	2,930	1,991	1,314	6,235	503	6,738
							p
	<b>Deliveries (from)</b>						<b>Deliveries (from)</b>
	Oct	2,656	1,824	1,295	5,775	528	6,304
	Nov	2,265	1,813	1,179	5,256	405	5,661
	Dec	1,281	1,368	777	3,426	255	3,681
2020	Jan	2,262	1,780	993	5,036	440	5,476
	Feb	2,430	1,672	1,101	5,203	461	5,665
	Mar	2,168	1,761	1,060	4,989	391	5,379
	Apr	356	c	376	c	c	1,634
	May	1,253	996	765	3,014	371	3,385
	Jun	2,108	1,581	1,049	4,737	519	5,257
	Jul	2,874	1,833	1,295	6,001	616	6,618
	Aug	2,595	1,544	1,187	5,326	478	5,804
	Sep	3,031	1,905	1,270	6,205	508	6,713
							p
	<b>Stocks *</b>						<b>Stocks *</b>
	Oct	2,858	2,560	1,210	6,628	1,111	7,739
	Nov	2,777	2,855	1,180	6,813	1,063	7,876
	Dec	3,469	3,078	1,536	8,083	1,062	9,144
2020	Jan	3,565	3,216	1,573	8,354	1,077	9,431
	Feb	3,679	3,205	1,667	8,551	1,059	9,610
	Mar	3,735	2,913	1,644	8,292	1,075	9,367
	Apr	3,567	2,446	1,458	7,471	985	8,456
	May	3,492	2,181	998	6,672	908	7,580
	Jun	4,601	1,804	740	7,146	837	7,983
	Jul	2,458	1,381	819	4,658	813	5,471
	Aug	2,335	1,448	871	4,654	917	5,570
	Sep	2,080	1,535	915	4,530	837	5,367
							p
<b>Quarterly</b>	<b>Production</b>						<b>Quarterly</b>
	2019 Q1	7,785	5,553	3,998	17,336	1,294	18,631
	Q2	7,340	5,681	4,113	17,135	1,496	18,631
	Q3	7,580	5,643	3,816	17,039	1,566	18,604
	Q4	7,073	5,668	3,680	16,421	1,267	17,689
2020	Q1	7,142	5,049	3,272	15,462	1,304	16,767
	Q2	c	c	1,308	c	c	8,747
	Q3	8,326	5,543	3,929	17,797	1,636	17,985
	<b>Deliveries (from)</b>						<b>Deliveries (from)</b>
	2019 Q1	6,875	4,882	3,652	15,408	1,244	16,653
	Q2	7,610	5,482	4,230	17,322	1,574	18,896
	Q3	7,698	5,673	4,011	17,382	1,505	18,887
	Q4	6,202	5,005	3,251	14,458	1,188	15,646
2020	Q1	6,860	5,214	3,154	15,228	1,292	16,520
	Q2	3,716	c	2,189	c	c	10,276
	Q3	8,500	5,281	3,752	17,533	1,602	19,135
<b>Annual</b>	<b>Production</b>						<b>Annual</b>
	2017	30,276	20,891	16,197	67,364	6,181	73,545
	2018	29,850	20,849	14,078	64,777	5,855	70,632
	2019	29,779	22,545	15,607	67,931	5,623	73,554
	<b>Deliveries (from)</b>						<b>Deliveries (from)</b>
	2017	29,550	20,505	15,760	65,814	6,115	71,929
	2018	30,281	20,885	14,455	65,621	5,687	71,308
	2019	28,385	21,042	15,144	64,570	5,511	70,081
	<b>Stocks *</b>						<b>Stocks *</b>
	2017	2,578	1,703	1,642	5,923	885	6,808
	2018	2,199	1,814	1,221	5,234	1,017	6,252
	2019	3,469	3,078	1,536	8,083	1,062	9,144

\* Refers to stocks at end of period.

# OTHER BUILDING MATERIALS

**Table 13 : Concrete Roofing Tiles and Ready-Mixed Concrete**

Great Britain				United Kingdom		United Kingdom	
Concrete Roofing Tiles (Th.sq.m. of roof area covered)				Ready-Mixed Concrete # (Th.cu.m.)		Seasonally Adjusted Ready-Mixed Concrete (Th.cu.m.)	
Production		Deliveries	Stocks *	Deliveries		Deliveries	
2009		14,079	2,344		14,069		14,069
2010		17,817	3,023		14,038		14,038
2011		17,712	3,126		15,121		15,121
2012		17,476	3,061		13,758		13,758
2013		18,745	2,214		15,089		15,089
2014		24,086	3,275		15,348		15,348
2015		25,105	3,904		16,294		16,294
2016		24,615	2,689		17,670		17,664
2017		26,111	2,492		17,209		17,209
2018		26,931	5,903		17,060		17,071
2019		25,927	3,999		16,426		16,426 p
2011	Q3	4,210	3,316		3,908		3,740
	Q4	4,116	3,126		3,479		3,633
2012	Q1	4,673	3,872		3,463		3,551
	Q2	4,236	4,008		3,399		3,320
	Q3	4,095	3,136		3,556		3,395
	Q4	4,471	3,061		3,340		3,493
2013	Q1	4,514	3,520		3,325		3,609
	Q2	4,209	3,131		4,108		3,825
	Q3	4,550	2,214		3,972		3,793
	Q4	5,471	2,214		3,684		3,862
2014	Q1	6,151	2,932		3,475		3,571
	Q2	6,195	3,687		3,977		3,923
	Q3	5,815	3,261		4,183		3,975
	Q4	5,925	3,275		3,713		3,880
2015	Q1	6,547	4,422		4,035		4,146
	Q2	6,296	4,875		3,992		3,933
	Q3	5,697	4,152		4,225		3,996
	Q4	6,565	3,904		4,042		4,219
2016	Q1	6,323	4,391		4,045		4,417
	Q2	6,082	4,185		4,662		4,358
	Q3	5,857	3,129		4,739		4,487
	Q4	6,352	2,689		4,223		4,402
2017	Q1	7,050	2,968		4,217		4,371
	Q2	6,754	2,860		4,461		4,407
	Q3	6,546	2,740		4,517		4,260
	Q4	5,761	2,492		4,013		4,170
2018	Q1	7,817	5,143		3,652		4,031
	Q2	4,828	4,444		4,546		4,255
	Q3	6,884	5,367		4,616		4,369
	Q4	7,402	5,903		4,245		4,416
2019	Q1	6,963	5,905		4,011		4,204
	Q2	5,364	4,239		4,200		4,131
	Q3	6,000	3,914		4,381		4,117 p
	Q4	7,601	3,999		3,835		3,975 p
2020	Q1	4,024	3,647		3,540		3,602 p
	Q2	2,240	2,686		2,490		2,504 p
	Q3	3,691	1,535		:		:

\* Refers to stocks at the end of the period.

# In April 2012, the Mineral Products Association (who provide these figures), estimated that data understates UK deliveries by around 20-25%. Previously, they had estimated that figures understate UK deliveries by 14-18%.

**Notes:**

1. From March 2015, seasonally adjusted figures for deliveries of ready-mixed concrete have been included in this table. In the production of these figures, ready-mixed concrete deliveries data back to Q1 1983 have been seasonally adjusted. This long run data series is available on request. Data has been revised and estimates are sourced from the mpa.

2. The current unusual circumstances are affecting the seasonal adjustment of deliveries, therefore we will not be publishing revisions as normal until we can carry out further analysis.

# EXTERNAL TRADE

**Table 14 : Value of Overseas Trade in Selected Materials and Components for Constructional Use : Imports (cif) & Exports (fob)**

United Kingdom		Current Prices (£'000)					
		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
<b>All Building Materials &amp; Components</b>	Imports	13,731,573	13,904,766	15,514,230	17,086,843	18,163,028	18,143,938 r
	Exports	6,090,137	5,998,751	6,424,195	7,161,919	7,588,958	7,722,625 r
	Balance	(7,641,436)	(7,906,015)	(9,090,035)	(9,924,924)	(10,574,070)	(10,421,313) r
<b>All Raw Materials</b>	Imports	185,988	213,749	240,357	273,572	268,161	290,544 r
	Exports	95,513	66,371	72,695	78,549	88,360	95,171 r
	Balance	(90,475)	(147,378)	(167,662)	(195,023)	(179,801)	(195,373) r
Sand for construction	Imports	8,595	13,281	15,437	13,603	15,559	15,346
	Exports	10,547	8,629	11,342	7,767	9,248	13,748 r
Crushed Rock : uncoated	Imports	26,345	25,110	34,361	35,912	30,735	32,078
	Exports	66,730	47,093	50,281	57,082	61,076	64,402 r
Crushed Rock : coated	Imports	7	9	2	12	105	89
	Exports	6,446	2,977	4,451	4,919	6,150	4,539 r
Building Stone : unprocessed	Imports	135,160	149,903	151,816	176,711	180,697	184,172 r
	Exports	1,900	1,690	1,976	3,128	4,094	4,409 r
Slate : unprocessed	Imports	7,091	10,699	13,574	19,851	15,487	23,247 r
	Exports	1,797	1,921	1,286	1,367	2,490	2,205
Gypsum & Anhydrite	Imports	7,379	9,810	20,822	21,173	20,958	30,185
	Exports	1,504	1,649	1,467	2,110	2,672	2,235
Bituminous Shale	Imports	1,411	4,937	4,345	6,310	4,620	5,427
	Exports	6,589	2,412	1,892	2,176	2,630	3,633 r
<b>All Semi-Manufactures</b>	Imports	2,068,559	1,960,219	2,191,569	2,478,234	2,600,761	2,392,013 r
	Exports	479,134	438,959	479,667	525,067	574,199	513,671 r
	Balance	(1,589,425)	(1,521,260)	(1,711,902)	(1,953,167)	(2,026,562)	(1,878,342) r
Clinker	Imports	49,969	49,491	49,305	51,769	65,055	39,541 r
	Exports	3,557	1,368	3,303	1,646	1,016	774 r
Sawn Wood > 6mm thick	Imports	846,968	783,597	838,098	859,243	883,365	798,895 r
	Exports	18,938	18,626	20,373	26,705	32,062	27,762 r
Densified Wood	Imports	2,147	1,748	1,507	1,400	1,662	1,742 r
	Exports	541	498	588	807	680	821
Particle Board	Imports	43,721	44,053	52,261	60,441	65,575	56,980 r
	Exports	6,409	5,084	6,476	9,815	7,151	8,663
Laminated Wood	Imports	139,039	148,777	283,492	359,909	360,362	356,181 r
	Exports	8,361	10,474	17,098	21,840	24,447	27,670 r
Fibreboard	Imports	65,840	65,275	74,385	90,128	103,904	127,511 r
	Exports	7,453	6,261	6,954	8,230	8,883	8,380 r
Steel for Fabrication	Imports	389,262	313,745	312,919	378,863	434,401	413,562 r
	Exports	207,299	174,995	187,788	191,432	214,804	179,575 r
Aluminium for Fabrication	Imports	473,694	494,514	498,713	581,060	578,279	489,297 r
	Exports	158,047	155,775	167,325	190,146	208,494	182,048 r
Profiles of Vinyl Chloride	Imports	28,440	29,998	36,600	35,921	38,240	37,069 r
	Exports	24,317	22,642	21,331	24,666	27,777	27,552 r
Slag for Construction	Imports	7,232	8,330	20,782	37,847	33,776	39,019 r
	Exports	2,920	2,179	1,202	1,463	950	1,222
Tar & Bituminous Mixtures	Imports	19,896	18,665	22,105	19,661	34,211	30,075 r
	Exports	22,519	17,210	22,778	20,914	25,029	24,690 r
Lime	Imports	2,351	2,026	1,402	1,992	1,931	2,141 r
	Exports	18,773	23,847	24,451	27,403	22,906	24,514 r

## EXTERNAL TRADE

Current Prices (£'000)

2019				2020			
Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2			
4,542,344	r 4,561,796	r 4,121,497	r 3,947,189	r 2,950,355	Imports	<b>All Building Materials &amp; Components</b>	
1,883,392	r 1,974,149	r 1,853,973	r 1,805,218	r 1,481,141	Exports		
(2,658,952)	r (2,587,647)	r (2,267,524)	r (2,141,971)	r (1,469,214)	Balance		
86,427	r 74,333	r 60,162	r 60,243	r 47,080	Imports	<b>All Raw Materials</b>	
29,924	r 26,377	r 19,545	r 16,093	r 18,934	Exports		
(56,503)	r (47,956)	r (40,617)	r (44,150)	r (28,146)	Balance		
6,328	r 1,702	r 3,542	r 3,547	r 3,509	Imports	Sand for construction	
5,013	r 3,856	r 1,706	r 1,610	r 2,008	Exports		
9,063	r 7,928	r 6,888	r 6,848	r 4,679	Imports	Crushed Rock : uncoated	
19,728	r 18,478	r 13,720	r 11,950	r 14,199	Exports		
28	r 41	r 13	r 7	r 31	Imports	Crushed Rock : coated	
1,665	r 1,407	r 1,009	r 409	r 1,267	Exports		
57,628	r 49,830	r 32,629	r 38,405	r 29,583	Imports	Building Stone : unprocessed	
1,376	r 889	r 941	r 837	r 196	Exports		
6,440	r 5,204	r 5,966	r 4,948	r 4,210	Imports	Slate : unprocessed	
629	r 607	r 438	r 153	r 114	Exports		
6,091	r 8,163	r 9,000	r 6,126	r 4,593	Imports	Gypsum & Anhydrite	
560	r 467	r 645	r 667	r 598	Exports		
849	r 1,465	r 2,124	r 362	r 475	Imports	Bituminous Shale	
953	r 673	r 1,086	r 467	r 552	Exports		
607,438	r 572,893	r 507,403	r 466,530	r 358,396	Imports	<b>All Semi-Manufactures</b>	
127,319	r 133,793	r 111,704	r 117,753	r 111,631	Exports		
(480,119)	r (439,100)	r (395,699)	r (348,777)	r (246,765)	Balance		
11,328	r 9,002	r 8,631	r 8,613	r 1,997	Imports	Clinker	
200	r 223	r 214	r 234	r 176	Exports		
221,899	r 181,355	r 154,135	r 156,745	r 145,507	Imports	Sawn Wood > 6mm thick	
7,587	r 7,552	r 4,969	r 5,767	r 5,647	Exports		
291	r 575	r 506	r 483	r 406	Imports	Densified Wood	
217	r 212	r 215	r 158	r 118	Exports		
13,867	r 13,656	r 12,822	r 10,362	r 5,646	Imports	Particle Board	
3,283	r 1,692	r 1,829	r 2,333	r 1,600	Exports		
81,765	r 82,060	r 73,272	r 80,780	r 69,572	Imports	Laminated Wood	
6,038	r 7,878	r 5,892	r 7,236	r 4,405	Exports		
28,683	r 33,918	r 25,133	r 31,714	r 15,337	Imports	Fibreboard	
2,098	r 1,992	r 1,973	r 1,806	r 1,362	Exports		
100,192	r 109,022	r 93,166	r 61,208	r 46,415	Imports	Steel for Fabrication	
45,734	r 50,583	r 34,420	r 43,224	r 54,727	Exports		
123,517	r 115,788	r 111,384	r 97,913	r 57,324	Imports	Aluminium for Fabrication	
43,322	r 44,177	r 42,645	r 38,826	r 28,520	Exports		
8,250	r 9,137	r 8,933	r 9,632	r 5,764	Imports	Profiles of Vinyl Chloride	
6,314	r 6,866	r 7,373	r 8,026	r 4,653	Exports		
8,983	r 10,773	r 11,413	r 5,662	r 5,575	Imports	Slag for Construction	
322	r 333	r 269	r 225	r 275	Exports		
8,002	r 7,056	r 7,446	r 3,039	r 4,618	Imports	Tar & Bituminous Mixtures	
6,381	r 6,994	r 5,389	r 3,789	r 4,727	Exports		
661	r 551	r 562	r 379	r 235	Imports	Lime	
5,823	r 5,291	r 6,516	r 6,129	r 5,421	Exports		

# EXTERNAL TRADE

**Table 14 : Value of Overseas Trade in Selected Materials and Components for Constructional Use : Imports (cif) & Exports (fob)**

United Kingdom		Current Prices (£'000)					
		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
<b>All Products &amp; Components</b>	Imports	11,477,026	11,730,798	13,082,304	14,335,037	15,294,106	15,461,381 r
	Exports	5,515,490	5,493,421	5,871,833	6,558,303	6,926,399	7,113,783 r
	Balance	(5,961,536)	(6,237,377)	(7,210,471)	(7,776,734)	(8,367,707)	(8,347,598) r
Wood sleepers (rail & tram)	Imports	9,920	9,920	11,493	24,023	27,715	23,639 r
	Exports	65	86	406	437	564	332
Building Stone : processed	Imports	181,986	189,561	202,159	227,589	214,407	238,954 r
	Exports	16,701	22,639	8,911	10,738	10,152	14,148 r
Slate Roofing Tiles*	Imports	:	:	:	:	:	:
	Exports	:	:	:	:	:	:
Other Slate Products*	Imports	:	:	:	:	:	:
	Exports	:	:	:	:	:	:
Slate Products*	Imports	76,194	72,171	82,174	90,155	98,277	102,115 r
	Exports	8,692	8,189	8,507	7,531	7,272	6,472
Portland Cement	Imports	82,042	86,241	101,182	103,551	103,451	113,464 r
	Exports	5,024	6,321	7,226	10,963	13,776	13,390 r
Other Cements	Imports	53,854	60,734	61,573	62,630	71,723	87,441 r
	Exports	35,772	32,071	33,352	38,927	42,432	36,701
Steel Sheet Piling	Imports	87,513	77,089	67,072	68,240	69,611	69,863 r
	Exports	28,070	31,643	33,725	31,848	40,553	32,828 r
Ready-Mixed Concrete	Imports	341	160	5	23	28	38
	Exports	1,409	1,752	2,281	1,750	2,334	2,694
Concrete Reinforcing Bars	Imports	239,930	197,838	157,560	201,187	268,593	237,789 r
	Exports	25,061	35,785	24,476	22,390	32,244	46,668
Mortars	Imports	10,736	10,127	11,812	9,477	12,901	11,862 r
	Exports	3,855	5,725	8,483	9,301	10,356	11,454 r
Clay Bricks	Imports	77,630	64,468	66,966	85,248	116,032	137,431 r
	Exports	3,371	4,537	7,435	9,037	9,158	7,421
Clay Roofing Tiles	Imports	16,139	18,852	25,998	35,085	35,139	30,592 r
	Exports	353	274	300	401	419	453
Clay Pipes	Imports	4,565	1,044	1,548	1,579	1,567	1,886
	Exports	3,862	3,550	4,485	3,743	4,356	5,064
Other Clay Products	Imports	8,849	7,740	15,961	15,209	13,453	7,621 r
	Exports	2,014	2,419	2,897	2,605	2,236	2,660 r
Concrete Blocks & Bricks	Imports	14,506	12,200	30,327	31,847	32,542	29,954 r
	Exports	6,249	5,335	7,474	7,184	10,273	9,793
Concrete Roofing Tiles*	Imports	:	:	:	:	:	:
	Exports	:	:	:	:	:	:
Other Concrete Tiles & Paving*	Imports	:	:	:	:	:	:
	Exports	:	:	:	:	:	:
Concrete Tiles and Pavings*	Imports	20,243	23,726	29,353	36,770	47,933	46,713 r
	Exports	11,905	9,427	29,353	16,560	18,185	19,414
Prefabricated Concrete Products	Imports	47,339	73,013	138,716	116,266	106,837	86,939 r
	Exports	3,064	1,282	2,239	4,758	7,393	9,062 r
Concrete Pipes	Imports	85,679	105,963	124,946	142,585	147,565	162,552 r
	Exports	37,826	38,318	47,342	46,733	37,531	30,513 r

Current Prices (£'000)

2019				2020			
Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2			
3,848,479	3,914,570	3,553,932	3,420,416	2,544,879	Imports	<b>All Products &amp; Components</b>	
1,726,149	1,813,979	1,722,724	1,671,372	1,350,576	Exports		
(2,122,330)	(2,100,591)	(1,831,208)	(1,749,044)	(1,194,303)	Balance		
7,796	5,164	3,077	5,199	8,035	Imports	Wood sleepers (rail & tram)	
35	216	15	399	195	Exports		
59,110	58,414	61,168	51,206	30,692	Imports	Building Stone : processed	
2,345	2,519	2,598	2,968	2,015	Exports		
:	:	:	:	:	Imports	Slate Roofing Tiles*	
:	:	:	:	:	Exports		
:	:	:	:	:	Imports	Other Slate Products*	
:	:	:	:	:	Exports		
25,308	27,948	24,265	23,632	14,933	Imports	Slate Products*	
1,497	1,521	1,772	1,444	1,007	Exports		
33,401	26,958	26,992	24,320	22,140	Imports	Portland Cement	
3,604	3,183	2,968	1,894	2,201	Exports		
23,311	20,150	21,847	19,638	12,780	Imports	Other Cements	
9,901	8,347	8,208	8,054	6,160	Exports		
14,444	15,704	21,724	20,046	12,844	Imports	Steel Sheet Piling	
7,788	8,547	9,351	6,546	9,424	Exports		
5	14	5	49	2	Imports	Ready-Mixed Concrete	
562	786	935	368	594	Exports		
60,253	74,820	42,045	53,248	29,197	Imports	Concrete Reinforcing Bars	
7,023	14,110	13,081	12,746	20,247	Exports		
2,960	2,874	3,090	3,948	3,625	Imports	Mortars	
2,945	3,174	2,292	2,173	1,662	Exports		
34,810	36,596	32,142	26,811	16,266	Imports	Clay Bricks	
2,022	2,017	1,871	2,504	1,159	Exports		
7,219	9,235	7,119	7,187	4,190	Imports	Clay Roofing Tiles	
169	89	85	273	119	Exports		
793	116	212	96	105	Imports	Clay Pipes	
1,574	1,091	1,154	816	377	Exports		
2,037	1,898	1,592	2,183	1,427	Imports	Other Clay Products	
395	753	722	743	145	Exports		
7,792	5,690	7,682	7,694	6,155	Imports	Concrete Blocks & Bricks	
2,743	2,465	2,590	2,065	1,935	Exports		
:	:	:	:	:	Imports	Concrete Roofing Tiles*	
:	:	:	:	:	Exports		
:	:	:	:	:	Imports	Other Concrete Tiles & Paving*	
:	:	:	:	:	Exports		
13,010	12,326	9,989	8,755	3,635	Imports	Concrete Tiles and Pavings*	
4,978	5,212	4,255	4,511	3,311	Exports		
23,342	17,788	21,170	10,904	12,882	Imports	Prefabricated Concrete Products	
2,429	3,006	1,634	2,179	573	Exports		
43,166	41,277	36,218	30,341	17,922	Imports	Concrete Pipes	
7,194	8,116	8,125	6,707	4,844	Exports		

\* Due to changes to in European Commission product classifications Slate Roofing Tiles and Other Slate Products have been combined.

Similarly, Concrete Roofing Tiles and Other Concrete Tiles and Pavings have been combined.

# EXTERNAL TRADE

**Table 14 : Value of Overseas Trade in Selected Materials and Components for Constructional Use : Imports (cif) & Exports (fob)**

United Kingdom		Current Prices (£'000)					
		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
<b>Products &amp; Components (continued)</b>							
Structural Units (steel)	Imports	265,159	242,664	314,887	179,194	784,912	468,356 r
	Exports	212,961	187,947	184,667	192,728	190,175	247,791 r
Structural Units (aluminium)	Imports	275,409	229,463	355,628	308,660	412,373	506,197 r
	Exports	77,383	72,837	62,573	76,696	98,808	77,947 r
Steel Tubes & Hollow Sections	Imports	164,353	127,047	145,661	182,169	165,142	167,081 r
	Exports	113,620	94,695	68,814	88,760	93,565	102,217 r
Bituminous Roofing Felt*	Imports	:	:	:	:	:	:
	Exports	:	:	:	:	:	:
Other Asphalt products*	Imports	:	:	:	:	:	:
	Exports	:	:	:	:	:	:
Asphalt Products*	Imports	65,633	62,171	64,877	73,520	77,035	94,287 r
	Exports	12,098	11,690	11,516	9,589	10,359	13,771 r
Mineral Insulating Materials	Imports	107,290	99,542	106,547	124,026	143,407	135,688 r
	Exports	186,202	151,080	162,242	190,839	196,774	211,036 r
Glass Fibre**	Imports	:	:	:	:	:	:
	Exports	:	:	:	:	:	:
Fibre Cement Products	Imports	63,844	64,201	72,723	83,967	80,024	86,056 r
	Exports	5,690	6,866	10,836	11,831	9,282	11,405 r
Building Plasters <sup>1</sup>	Imports	:	:	:	:	:	:
	Exports	:	:	:	:	:	:
Plasters <sup>1</sup>	Imports	11,797	9,311	11,498	24,626	25,268	20,252 r
	Exports	8,035	7,925	9,345	12,458	15,254	15,128 r
Plasterboard	Imports	18,228	29,038	33,957	47,639	47,489	60,433
	Exports	11,867	10,895	12,884	15,477	16,789	21,222
Copper Pipes	Imports	228,841	232,193	243,618	303,881	319,449	329,345 r
	Exports	120,313	98,036	89,153	128,700	128,890	103,153 r
Lead Pipes & Fittings**	Imports	:	:	:	:	:	:
	Exports	:	:	:	:	:	:
Zinc Pipes & Fittings*	Imports	:	:	:	:	:	:
	Exports	:	:	:	:	:	:
Other Zinc Building Products*	Imports	:	:	:	:	:	:
	Exports	:	:	:	:	:	:
Zinc Building Products*	Imports	15,982	17,863	21,071	23,385	28,284	20,236 r
	Exports	26,776	33,036	36,537	43,660	28,284	46,846 r
Plastic Pipes	Imports	138,198	135,611	135,985	153,533	180,619	199,580 r
	Exports	156,863	149,220	169,877	179,551	200,815	208,114 r
Other Plastic Building Products	Imports	193,851	205,501	236,608	278,267	281,008	292,647 r
	Exports	122,062	124,773	136,731	158,179	177,535	183,960 r
Builders Ironmongery	Imports	346,824	371,498	386,506	451,700	493,945	529,226 r
	Exports	148,971	138,961	164,424	225,751	231,937	264,240 r
Nails & Screws	Imports	72,449	68,360	80,506	86,634	92,634	94,145 r
	Exports	7,657	8,023	8,752	10,051	11,408	10,566 r
Mastics, Putty	Imports	172,913	180,937	210,808	222,507	246,691	235,684 r
	Exports	140,125	137,914	161,286	178,310	202,546	219,136 r
Paints & Varnishes	Imports	439,810	437,542	477,875	545,870	539,296	522,156 r
	Exports	669,768	607,263	608,147	669,195	716,884	751,684 r

<sup>1</sup> From Q1 2010 onwards the Plasters category will contain Building Plaster and Other Plasters, as Building Plasters data is no longer collected.



## EXTERNAL TRADE

Current Prices (£'000)

2019 Q2	Q3	Q4	2020 Q1	Q2	Products & Components (continued)	
164,486	146,176	47,564	34,749 r	113,705	Imports	Structural Units (steel)
67,818	71,268	60,732	36,910 r	32,854	Exports	
119,288 r	129,466 r	112,528 r	89,614 r	74,364	Imports	Structural Units (aluminium)
22,040	20,331	17,873	21,077 r	15,417	Exports	
45,664 r	42,170 r	33,933 r	32,854 r	21,403	Imports	Steel Tubes & Hollow Sections
28,665	22,219	21,815	26,813 r	18,200	Exports	
:	:	:	:	:	Imports	Bituminous Roofing Felt*
:	:	:	:	:	Exports	
:	:	:	:	:	Imports	Other Asphalt products*
:	:	:	:	:	Exports	
24,142	25,371	20,467	19,205 r	14,356	Imports	Asphalt Products*
4,042	2,837	3,105	3,117 r	2,366	Exports	
32,360	36,745	28,614	28,467 r	18,659	Imports	Mineral Insulating Materials
52,524	55,973	47,361	54,766 r	32,266	Exports	
:	:	:	:	:	Imports	Glass Fibre**
:	:	:	:	:	Exports	
20,439 r	22,896	20,370	20,608 r	13,486	Imports	Fibre Cement Products
2,517	4,062	1,168	1,067 r	921	Exports	
:	:	:	:	:	Imports	Building Plasters <sup>1</sup>
:	:	:	:	:	Exports	
6,641	4,484	4,556	6,154 r	6,818	Imports	Plasters <sup>1</sup>
3,503	3,927	3,914	3,598 r	1,808	Exports	
16,926	17,939 r	14,172 r	13,292 r	9,859	Imports	Plasterboard
6,250	5,945	3,925	3,695 r	2,164	Exports	
73,967 r	72,864 r	65,550 r	69,852 r	46,925	Imports	Copper Pipes
25,719	24,976	22,847	24,344 r	20,769	Exports	
:	:	:	:	:	Imports	Lead Pipes & Fittings**
:	:	:	:	:	Exports	
:	:	:	:	:	Imports	Zinc Pipes & Fittings*
:	:	:	:	:	Exports	
:	:	:	:	:	Imports	Other Zinc Building Products*
:	:	:	:	:	Exports	
5,042 r	4,426 r	3,663 r	3,778 r	2,300	Imports	Zinc Building Products*
13,302	11,959	11,436	12,418 r	10,098	Exports	
47,017 r	49,473 r	49,832 r	52,023 r	40,852	Imports	Plastic Pipes
55,346	52,265	47,681	49,241 r	40,771	Exports	
73,225 r	75,576 r	69,836 r	66,015 r	47,711	Imports	Other Plastic Building Products
46,317	45,992	45,173	41,959 r	33,444	Exports	
133,361 r	133,431 r	123,053 r	129,092 r	82,590	Imports	Builders Ironmongery
64,069	64,218	63,735	70,104 r	55,981	Exports	
24,176 r	23,110 r	20,442 r	19,281 r	13,427	Imports	Nails & Screws
2,558	2,498	2,405	2,825 r	2,303	Exports	
52,704 r	59,878 r	57,423 r	57,456 r	35,847	Imports	Mastics, Putty
55,106	53,142	51,792	56,364 r	46,221	Exports	
115,648 r	130,257 r	121,431 r	118,114 r	89,232	Imports	Paints & Varnishes
186,880	202,141	167,625	173,442 r	165,960	Exports	

\* Due to changes to in European Commission product classifications Bituminous Roofing Felt and Other Asphalt products have been combined.

Similarly, Zinc Pipes & Fittings and Other Zinc Building Products have been combined.

\*\* Data for Lead Pipes and Fittings and Glass Fibre are no longer collected.

# EXTERNAL TRADE

**Table 14 : Value of Overseas Trade in Selected Materials and Components for Constructional Use : Imports (cif) & Exports (fob)**

United Kingdom		Current Prices (£'000)					
		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
<b>Products &amp; Components (continued)</b>							
Unglazed Ceramic Tiles	Imports	73,195	69,862	76,768	359,291	328,391	365,387 r
	Exports	3,173	3,710	4,726	22,498	20,862	15,871 r
Glazed Ceramic Tiles	Imports	199,680	203,113	229,910	:	:	:
	Exports	17,105	15,867	15,967	:	:	:
Ceramic Sanitaryware	Imports	199,372	201,395	211,761	223,463	215,855	239,905 r
	Exports	34,903	29,386	31,926	36,163	40,118	41,436 r
Plastic Sanitaryware	Imports	134,398	137,983	147,671	163,898	168,461	173,206 r
	Exports	49,786	47,037	54,262	61,389	65,988	66,016 r
Metal Sanitaryware	Imports	128,871	133,225	144,313	171,007	157,017	152,477 r
	Exports	35,270	38,149	44,020	45,863	45,732	41,637 r
Flat Glass	Imports	54,811	50,804	69,236	63,909	71,916	56,990 r
	Exports	28,721	25,317	24,907	30,738	30,631	27,942 r
Other Glass Products	Imports	75,073	82,429	92,256	106,388	122,532	134,212 r
	Exports	26,537	27,101	33,141	37,574	43,421	52,960 r
Wood Veneers	Imports	33,086	29,763	34,648	26,450	29,312	20,093 r
	Exports	6,034	4,591	5,783	4,814	3,581	3,461 r
Wood Mouldings	Imports	69,319	68,027	67,647	64,155	64,276	55,240 r
	Exports	8,989	9,786	9,545	12,038	17,062	17,452 r
Wood Block Flooring	Imports	158,837	177,410	182,219	220,274	180,494	193,649 r
	Exports	6,172	7,329	9,981	10,318	12,675	10,383 r
Other Builder's Woodwork	Imports	101,021	118,448	130,673	153,461	134,493	152,560 r
	Exports	16,573	13,887	13,128	17,039	15,782	16,536 r
Windows (wood)	Imports	138,418	151,026	176,592	198,835	204,034	207,409 r
	Exports	11,479	12,580	12,168	12,041	13,075	10,737 r
Doors (wood)	Imports	209,928	228,777	253,717	260,881	260,979	272,113 r
	Exports	16,405	17,141	19,948	20,203	32,963	30,966 r
Doors & Windows (steel)	Imports	47,645	46,899	54,702	63,021	66,576	77,091 r
	Exports	27,001	29,452	32,971	34,182	34,326	38,987 r
Doors & Windows (aluminium)	Imports	71,721	76,900	92,369	128,564	155,043	137,473 r
	Exports	18,250	21,563	24,770	31,516	35,900	40,377 r
Doors & Windows (plastic)	Imports	61,974	63,762	70,187	79,104	93,544	104,088 r
	Exports	33,174	38,945	35,657	37,585	39,599	41,187 r
Cork Tiles	Imports	2,973	1,581	1,061	1,082	1,111	1,500 r
	Exports	2,219	2,456	2,075	2,445	2,099	2,696 r
Linoleum Floor Coverings	Imports	336,381	364,202	405,910	472,668	485,706	545,328 r
	Exports	231,388	221,618	254,686	298,418	321,021	317,504 r
Wallpaper	Imports	64,886	67,081	65,756	74,965	84,113	93,189 r
	Exports	79,472	74,091	84,422	81,229	77,000	85,069 r
Textile Wall Coverings	Imports	5,165	5,133	6,559	7,728	6,531	6,123 r
	Exports	950	785	984	1,499	1,474	3,146 r

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2019 Q2	Q3	Q4	2020 Q1	Q2	Products & Components (continued)	
94,892 r 3,790	92,730 r 3,474	85,028 r 3,453	84,138 r 3,577 r	45,694 3,086	Imports Exports	Unglazed Ceramic Tiles
:	:	:	:	:	Imports	Glazed Ceramic Tiles <sup>2</sup>
:	:	:	:	:	Exports	
60,964 r 10,135	61,084 r 9,985	53,351 r 10,221	54,002 r 9,496 r	25,126 5,622	Imports Exports	Ceramic Sanitaryware
41,500 r 17,438	43,122 r 15,961	40,448 r 15,500	36,790 r 13,694 r	24,425 10,401	Imports Exports	Plastic Sanitaryware
37,043 r 10,581	37,611 r 10,584	33,010 r 10,503	34,326 r 10,924 r	21,288 7,445	Imports Exports	Metal Sanitaryware
13,706 7,230	13,149 7,500	10,424 6,790	10,912 r 7,035	6,309 5,191	Imports Exports	Flat Glass
31,197 r 12,413	34,428 r 13,920	32,026 r 15,605	29,824 r 12,625 r	23,188 7,459	Imports Exports	Other Glass Products
5,110 1,114	4,814 1,180	4,763 726	6,494 r 875	4,691 499	Imports Exports	Wood Veneers
15,956 r 5,414	14,343 r 4,511	10,940 3,685	15,237 r 3,663 r	9,161 3,656	Imports Exports	Wood Mouldings
50,857 r 2,485	47,328 r 2,938	38,820 r 2,354	38,746 r 2,613 r	24,832 1,767	Imports Exports	Wood Block Flooring
41,430 r 4,470	39,436 r 4,290	31,244 r 3,842	30,843 r 3,675 r	28,277 3,249	Imports Exports	Other Builder's Woodwork
48,463 2,170	56,943 3,132	48,118 2,251	44,918 r 2,601 r	27,426 1,730	Imports Exports	Windows (wood)
68,777 r 8,697	68,366 r 7,760	63,476 r 7,602	63,841 r 6,050 r	42,702 2,248	Imports Exports	Doors (wood)
17,818 r 10,268	21,545 8,667	19,810 r 9,901	15,402 r 10,224 r	12,769 7,228	Imports Exports	Doors & Windows (steel)
43,335 r 10,121	30,506 r 9,685	27,068 r 11,773	26,874 r 7,656 r	18,967 4,223	Imports Exports	Doors & Windows (aluminium)
23,597 r 10,160	27,005 r 10,725	22,974 r 11,094	23,027 r 9,014 r	15,331 4,448	Imports Exports	Doors & Windows (plastic)
400 r 544	345 r 771	395 r 710	309 r 547 r	230 402	Imports Exports	Cork Tiles
137,529 r 78,654	138,178 r 74,627	131,590 r 76,550	131,802 r 74,278 r	96,449 60,840	Imports Exports	Linoleum Floor Coverings
31,979 22,693 r	19,210 r 20,105 r	19,401 r 20,835 r	22,918 r 16,592 r	15,847 16,242	Imports Exports	Wallpaper
1,523 515	1,910 1,234	1,068 954	1,515 r 1,084 r	790 925	Imports Exports	Textile Wall Coverings

<sup>2</sup> From Q1 2017 there is no breakdown between glazed and unglazed tiles. The total figures are reported under unglazed figures.

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**Table 14 : Value of Overseas Trade in Selected Materials and Components for Constructional Use : Imports (cif) & Exports (fob)**

United Kingdom		Current Prices (£'000)					
		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
<b>Products &amp; Components (continued)</b>							
Fitted Kitchens (assembled)	Imports	73,785	75,096	73,920	86,086	68,062	76,419 r
	Exports	24,975	22,884	17,903	30,396	33,435	25,195 r
Prefabricated Buildings (wood)	Imports	47,581	64,011	58,783	43,658	60,042	59,176 r
	Exports	3,998	5,438	4,403	7,618	7,712	10,862 r
Prefabricated Buildings (steel)	Imports	45,971	59,229	73,410	66,669	79,487	55,949 r
	Exports	36,982	38,377	61,390	62,002	84,749	58,334 r
Prefabricated Buildings (other)	Imports	44,210	38,773	47,148	48,805	74,862	63,104 r
	Exports	35,030	26,988	11,994	21,591	15,448	23,670
Mobile Homes	Imports	795	288	1,404	36,497	3,830	2,107
	Exports	9,890	10,784	10,702	5,658	10,736	14,017 r
Taps & Valves	Imports	372,025	396,977	410,262	443,229	425,027	443,400 r
	Exports	97,439	106,337	106,143	119,412	104,025	124,395 r
Pumps (circulating)	Imports	37,205	38,310	47,261	38,761	65,214	76,338
	Exports	6,894	12,767	10,483	13,573	8,978	9,494
Central Heating Boilers	Imports	590,564	584,030	624,423	640,815	664,916	622,362 r
	Exports	63,436	75,463	110,656	152,292	180,696	171,280 r
Radiators	Imports	181,277	184,085	191,200	210,206	213,025	240,469 r
	Exports	41,046	40,929	45,208	49,243	50,045	40,377 r
Water Heaters	Imports	122,971	127,898	139,385	148,614	153,555	182,645 r
	Exports	58,529	65,808	65,569	71,045	73,064	68,379 r
Space Heaters	Imports	126,100	130,099	140,966	150,464	165,358	166,675 r
	Exports	30,221	31,490	32,277	40,711	47,546	56,996 r
Fan Systems	Imports	223,294	245,360	291,210	205,348	237,937	273,399 r
	Exports	151,261	143,119	129,268	84,271	106,124	140,893 r
Air Conditioning Equipment	Imports	534,282	518,087	585,067	663,142	659,164	665,685 r
	Exports	269,524	284,946	340,891	374,499	412,136	403,255 r
Air Purifying Equipment	Imports	82,949	78,450	97,383	104,833	128,375	159,602 r
	Exports	223,275	229,591	280,094	253,924	277,036	284,424 r
Hand Driers	Imports	11,934	12,131	11,919	12,887	11,929	14,341
	Exports	1,577	1,990	2,004	2,106	1,954	2,086
Meters	Imports	59,692	97,599	170,651	308,905	224,724	196,336 r
	Exports	76,447	73,939	68,224	65,336	41,624	26,543 r
Plugs & Sockets	Imports	428,567	440,962	500,148	587,447	618,573	601,923 r
	Exports	290,120	306,814	360,391	429,684	455,606	476,377 r
Electrical Wires	Imports	1,573,631	1,555,575	1,722,019	1,927,463	1,902,786	1,936,389 r
	Exports	643,696	685,189	711,411	855,361	866,414	878,601 r
Electrical Insulators	Imports	43,145	37,547	42,682	50,524	40,384	44,061 r
	Exports	26,337	27,498	25,494	28,415	32,638	32,033 r
Lamps & Fittings	Imports	812,754	875,583	972,629	990,825	912,344	982,957 r
	Exports	283,367	329,238	364,805	381,091	386,994	384,563 r
Fire & Security Alarms	Imports	180,962	243,331	199,177	214,030	294,986	307,678 r
	Exports	241,405	261,334	259,129	268,974	248,992	249,645 r
Lifts & Escalators	Imports	118,531	125,768	139,702	175,643	173,792	152,111 r
	Exports	32,756	21,193	25,693	26,868	26,693	30,718 r

Current Prices (£'000)

2019			2020				Products & Components (continued)
Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2			
18,242 r	19,727 r	21,056 r	17,405 r	9,350	Imports		Fitted Kitchens (assembled)
5,858	6,589	6,001	5,781	2,680	Exports		
14,810	14,434 r	12,336	12,452	10,395	Imports		Prefabricated Buildings (wood)
1,775	2,772	4,162	2,120 r	2,193	Exports		
13,353 r	14,763 r	14,781	17,198 r	15,672	Imports		Prefabricated Buildings (steel)
10,616	10,915	11,858	9,506	8,666	Exports		
17,397 r	17,822	11,916	22,750 r	19,275	Imports		Prefabricated Buildings (other)
5,883	10,683 r	3,510	6,717 r	4,205	Exports		
704	733	306	478	418	Imports		Mobile Homes
3,207	3,033	3,349	2,726 r	962	Exports		
106,515 r	105,741 r	100,608 r	97,784 r	59,461	Imports		Taps & Valves
22,897	23,413	25,922	26,574 r	17,297	Exports		
14,809	16,756	21,671	22,682 r	7,892	Imports		Pumps (circulating)
3,193	2,551	2,630	961	396	Exports		
127,648 r	123,575 r	169,306 r	144,265 r	78,085	Imports		Central Heating Boilers
32,292	39,340	43,511	44,582 r	21,120	Exports		
50,235 r	61,026 r	63,022 r	63,417 r	35,845	Imports		Radiators
10,964	7,659	8,985	8,058 r	5,905	Exports		
40,303 r	46,346 r	44,123 r	43,630 r	36,699	Imports		Water Heaters
16,238	16,637	15,314	17,129 r	10,920	Exports		
24,093 r	52,764 r	52,806 r	30,328 r	16,347	Imports		Space Heaters
10,369	13,628	17,417	12,710 r	6,295	Exports		
86,433 r	55,329 r	48,527 r	60,115 r	74,178	Imports		Fan Systems
35,756	35,825	33,494	32,398 r	30,605	Exports		
167,908 r	165,739 r	156,697 r	149,515 r	100,607	Imports		Air Conditioning Equipment
96,885	109,488	89,817 r	87,560 r	61,734	Exports		
39,834 r	40,696 r	35,995 r	41,819 r	34,377	Imports		Air Purifying Equipment
74,736	70,306 r	68,411	70,416 r	57,959	Exports		
3,927	3,089 r	3,460 r	2,978 r	2,634	Imports		Hand Driers
511	522	453	533 r	262	Exports		
40,198	61,604	52,392	49,047 r	27,741	Imports		Meters
6,294	4,939	7,298	6,529 r	6,061	Exports		
149,906 r	150,631 r	142,363 r	125,035 r	107,222	Imports		Plugs & Sockets
120,412	127,927	110,188	108,163 r	90,545	Exports		
497,427 r	502,732 r	458,946 r	461,400 r	383,785	Imports		Electrical Wires
190,223	234,480	247,405	239,028 r	218,340	Exports		
11,562	10,185 r	10,099 r	6,973 r	8,039	Imports		Electrical Insulators
8,207	7,838	7,815	8,192 r	10,026	Exports		
227,169 r	251,651 r	242,643 r	223,326 r	166,276	Imports		Lamps & Fittings
88,909	93,015	104,220 r	84,493 r	65,782	Exports		
73,804 r	81,303 r	67,274 r	68,556 r	47,282	Imports		Fire & Security Alarms
60,817	65,753	55,509	52,086 r	40,898	Exports		
42,283	34,637	35,880	31,534 r	31,433	Imports		Lifts & Escalators
7,355	6,712	6,863	10,757 r	3,553	Exports		

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**Table 15 : Value of EU\* and Non-EU Trade in Selected Materials and Components for Constructional Use : Imports (cif) & Exports (fob)**

United Kingdom

Current Prices (£'000)

		2014		2015		2016	
		EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU
<b>All Building Materials &amp; Components</b>	Imports	8,533,729	5,197,845	8,415,033	5,489,728	9,570,250	5,943,977
	Exports	3,601,232	2,488,897	3,493,045	2,505,699	3,867,421	2,556,775
	Balance	(4,932,497)	(2,708,947)	(4,921,988)	(2,984,029)	(5,702,830)	(3,387,202)
<b>All Raw Materials</b>	Imports	50,778	135,210	59,566	154,184	83,434	156,922
	Exports	85,166	10,345	54,961	11,407	62,989	9,706
	Balance	34,388	(124,866)	(4,605)	(142,776)	(20,445)	(147,217)
Sand for construction	Imports	6,464	2,131	11,312	1,969	13,134	2,303
	Exports	4,968	5,577	3,456	5,172	6,395	4,947
Crushed Rock : uncoated	Imports	13,520	12,825	13,450	11,661	20,784	13,577
	Exports	64,803	1,927	44,880	2,213	48,581	1,699
Crushed Rock : coated	Imports	7	0	10	0	2	0
	Exports	6,349	96	2,819	158	4,318	132
Building Stone : unprocessed	Imports	22,409	112,752	18,027	131,876	21,818	129,998
	Exports	1,353	546	710	980	1,150	827
Slate : unprocessed	Imports	1,537	5,553	4,357	6,342	4,754	8,820
	Exports	576	1,221	538	1,382	353	934
Gypsum & Anhydrite	Imports	6,328	1,051	8,488	1,321	19,280	1,543
	Exports	645	860	738	911	628	839
Bituminous Shale	Imports	513	899	3,922	1,015	3,663	681
	Exports	6,472	118	1,820	592	1,564	327
<b>All Semi-Manufactures</b>	Imports	1,710,622	357,935	1,618,360	341,859	1,692,068	499,501
	Exports	334,840	144,295	290,806	148,147	330,335	149,334
	Balance	(1,375,782)	(213,640)	(1,327,554)	(193,712)	(1,361,734)	(350,167)
Clinker	Imports	49,947	22	49,491	0	49,306	0
	Exports	1,938	1,619	426	941	3,276	28
Sawn Wood > 6mm thick	Imports	789,373	57,594	729,355	54,242	775,862	62,236
	Exports	17,459	1,478	17,876	751	19,532	841
Densified Wood	Imports	184	1,963	147	1,602	892	616
	Exports	508	33	473	24	558	31
Particle Board	Imports	43,108	612	43,578	475	50,445	1,816
	Exports	5,256	1,153	4,415	669	5,801	675
Laminated Wood	Imports	55,900	83,139	59,528	89,250	64,120	219,371
	Exports	6,968	1,393	8,752	1,721	15,465	1,633
Fibreboard	Imports	54,788	11,051	51,262	14,013	57,379	17,006
	Exports	5,464	1,989	4,201	2,058	5,289	1,665
Steel for Fabrication	Imports	293,084	96,177	248,286	65,458	236,963	75,955
	Exports	124,365	82,935	99,476	75,518	115,889	71,900
Aluminium for Fabrication	Imports	368,848	104,846	381,138	113,375	380,832	117,881
	Exports	129,172	28,875	118,900	36,874	125,818	41,507
Profiles of Vinyl Chloride	Imports	27,564	876	28,605	1,394	34,936	1,664
	Exports	19,384	4,933	18,559	4,083	18,352	2,978
Slag for Construction	Imports	7,223	9	8,323	7	20,705	76
	Exports	336	2,585	236	1,942	32	1,170
Tar & Bituminous Mixtures	Imports	18,340	1,556	16,659	2,006	19,262	2,844
	Exports	13,818	8,701	9,058	8,152	13,662	9,115
Lime	Imports	2,261	89	1,990	37	1,366	36
	Exports	10,174	8,599	8,432	15,414	6,661	17,790

\* For this table EU refers to members of the European Union at that time. There is a discontinuity from 2006 to 2007 when Bulgaria and Romania joined the European Union.

Current Prices (£'000)

2017		2018		2019			
EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU		
10,276,181	6,709,798	11,335,356	6,827,686	10,778,232 r	7,365,702 r	Imports	<b>All Building Materials &amp; Components</b>
4,357,294	2,759,685	4,325,251	3,263,714	4,355,546 r	3,367,086 r	Exports	
(5,918,887)	(3,950,113)	(7,010,105)	(3,563,972)	(6,422,686) r	(3,998,616) r	Balance	
89,607	183,311	66,670	180,534	79,347	181,010 r	Imports	<b>All Raw Materials</b>
67,250	10,987	75,220	10,467	78,586	14,350	Exports	
(22,357)	(172,325)	8,550	(170,067)	(761)	(166,660) r	Balance	
11,172	2,430	12,990	2,570	13,062	2,284 r	Imports	Sand for construction
3,222	4,476	5,560	3,688	7,468	6,280	Exports	
24,906	11,006	20,129	10,606	24,284	7,794	Imports	Crushed Rock : uncoated
53,632	3,297	59,068	2,008	62,297	2,105	Exports	
5	7	51	54	38	50	Imports	Crushed Rock : coated
4,768	151	5,995	154	4,387	152	Exports	
26,149	150,449	22,559	158,139	20,767	163,405 r	Imports	Building Stone : unprocessed
2,277	760	1,789	2,304	1,461	2,948	Exports	
3,567	15,837	6,959	8,527	16,605	6,641 r	Imports	Slate : unprocessed
413	954	656	1,834	515	1,690	Exports	
18,506	2,667	18,537	2,421	25,123	5,062	Imports	Gypsum & Anhydrite
988	1,122	1,397	1,275	1,232	1,003	Exports	
5,301	915	3,982	639	4,591	836	Imports	Bituminous Shale
1,950	227	2,151	478	2,459	1,175	Exports	
1,915,184	558,266	2,050,453	550,308	1,856,900 r	535,111 r	Imports	<b>All Semi-Manufactures</b>
365,826	143,648	380,377	193,819	359,311 r	154,359 r	Exports	
(1,549,358)	(414,618)	(1,670,076)	(356,489)	(1,497,589) r	(380,752) r	Balance	
51,751	18	65,003	52	39,365	176	Imports	Clinker
1,586	61	903	112	602	172	Exports	
809,073	47,661	831,306	52,059	752,074	46,821 r	Imports	Sawn Wood > 6mm thick
26,309	375	31,472	591	27,206	557	Exports	
882	518	957	704	830	912	Imports	Densified Wood
746	62	608	72	655	165	Exports	
59,919	521	65,043	532	56,510	470 r	Imports	Particle Board
8,990	824	5,900	1,250	7,917	746	Exports	
95,500	264,368	103,064	257,299	94,632 r	261,548 r	Imports	Laminated Wood
19,596	2,176	21,885	2,561	23,036	4,633	Exports	
69,435	20,546	83,784	20,120	108,396	19,115 r	Imports	Fibreboard
6,928	1,478	7,764	1,119	7,116	1,264	Exports	
293,384	84,852	351,380	83,021	339,410	74,152 r	Imports	Steel for Fabrication
115,432	60,582	121,014	93,790	125,238 r	54,338 r	Exports	
450,384	130,435	447,522	130,756	371,903 r	117,394 r	Imports	Aluminium for Fabrication
142,704	47,239	142,034	66,459	119,471 r	62,576 r	Exports	
32,766	2,101	36,778	1,463	35,219	1,850	Imports	Profiles of Vinyl Chloride
20,909	3,738	23,560	4,216	21,944	5,609	Exports	
33,138	4,709	32,525	1,251	29,346	9,673	Imports	Slag for Construction
234	1,189	246	703	157	1,066	Exports	
17,061	2,434	31,632	2,579	27,194	2,880	Imports	Tar & Bituminous Mixtures
14,304	6,606	16,672	8,357	15,812	8,877	Exports	
1,890	102	1,458	473	2,020	121	Imports	Lime
8,087	19,317	8,318	14,587	10,156	14,358	Exports	

\* For this table EU refers to members of the European Union at that time. There is a discontinuity from 2006 to 2007 when Bulgaria and Romania joined the European Union.

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**Table 15 : Value of EU and Non-EU Trade in Selected Materials and Components for Constructional Use : Imports (cif) & Exports (fob)**

United Kingdom		Current Prices (£'000)					
		2014		2015		2016	
		EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU
<b>All Products &amp; Components</b>	Imports	6,772,329	4,704,700	6,737,107	4,993,687	7,794,748	5,287,555
	Exports	3,181,225	2,334,258	3,147,277	2,346,145	3,474,097	2,397,736
	Balance	(3,591,104)	(2,370,442)	(3,589,829)	(2,647,543)	(4,320,651)	(2,889,819)
Wood sleepers (rail & tram)	Imports	7,102	2,818	7,264	2,656	7,919	3,573
	Exports	2	63	46	40	339	66
Building Stone : processed	Imports	36,183	145,802	36,059	153,502	44,320	157,840
	Exports	10,034	6,667	16,879	5,759	4,112	4,799
Slate Roofing Tiles*	Imports	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Exports	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other Slate Products*	Imports	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Exports	..	..	..	..	..	..
Slate Products*	Imports	57,964	18,230	53,354	18,817	64,101	18,073
	Exports	5,864	2,827	4,727	3,461	5,643	2,863
Portland Cement	Imports	0	82,041	0	86,242	27	101,156
	Exports	4,366	658	5,414	906	6,660	566
Other Cements	Imports	4,932	48,922	3,819	56,915	7,486	54,087
	Exports	23,172	12,600	18,274	13,797	19,495	13,857
Steel Sheet Piling	Imports	80,548	6,965	65,883	11,207	55,949	11,123
	Exports	12,875	15,195	12,755	18,888	17,712	16,012
Ready-Mixed Concrete	Imports	324	17	138	21	2	3
	Exports	1,340	68	1,673	79	1,765	517
Concrete Reinforcing Bars	Imports	118,896	121,034	78,651	119,186	99,349	58,210
	Exports	22,579	2,482	31,509	4,275	19,847	4,629
Mortars	Imports	9,896	841	9,287	841	10,947	865
	Exports	2,382	1,473	3,975	1,751	5,982	2,501
Clay Bricks	Imports	77,004	627	63,591	877	65,936	1,029
	Exports	3,054	317	3,867	670	6,851	584
Clay Roofing Tiles	Imports	13,572	2,567	15,655	3,197	22,828	3,171
	Exports	72	281	209	65	258	42
Clay Pipes	Imports	4,418	147	865	178	1,407	142
	Exports	720	3,141	721	2,829	1,396	3,090
Other Clay Products	Imports	6,091	2,759	4,662	3,078	11,437	4,524
	Exports	1,064	950	1,680	739	1,968	930
Concrete Blocks & Bricks	Imports	12,008	2,498	9,440	2,760	27,062	3,264
	Exports	5,068	1,181	4,192	1,143	5,888	1,586
Concrete Roofing Tiles*	Imports	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Exports	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other Concrete Tiles & Paving*	Imports	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Exports	..	..	..	..	..	..
Concrete Tiles and Pavings*	Imports	14,771	5,471	17,437	6,289	20,622	8,730
	Exports	10,578	1,327	8,218	1,209	13,689	1,622
Prefabricated Concrete Products	Imports	44,974	2,365	67,545	5,468	132,595	6,122
	Exports	1,719	1,345	861	420	1,561	678
Concrete Pipes	Imports	41,301	44,378	50,470	55,492	59,353	65,594
	Exports	24,355	13,470	25,528	12,790	34,150	13,192



Current Prices (£'000)

2017		2018		2019			
EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU		
8,271,390	5,968,220	9,218,233	6,075,886	8,841,985 r	6,619,396 r	Imports	<b>All Products &amp; Components</b>
3,924,218	2,605,049	3,869,654	3,056,756	3,917,648 r	3,196,141 r	Exports	
(4,347,172)	(3,363,171)	(5,348,579)	(3,019,130)	(4,924,337) r	(3,423,255) r	Balance	
21,634	2,390	25,525	2,190	21,031	2,609	Imports	Wood sleepers (rail & tram)
334	102	506	57	251	81	Exports	
54,286	170,812	64,849	149,559	82,532	156,421 r	Imports	Building Stone : processed
5,873	5,115	5,028	5,124	5,361	8,788	Exports	
..	..	..	..	..	..	Imports	Slate Roofing Tiles*
..	..	..	..	..	..	Exports	
..	..	..	..	..	..	Imports	Other Slate Products*
..	..	..	..	..	..	Exports	
70,869	19,275	77,867	20,411	82,651	19,463 r	Imports	Slate Products*
5,097	2,430	4,702	2,570	4,401	2,071	Exports	
0	103,464	0	103,450	0	113,463	Imports	Portland Cement
10,539	423	13,311	464	12,816	574	Exports	
4,764	57,785	5,153	66,568	7,091	80,349	Imports	Other Cements
25,025	13,903	27,134	15,299	24,296	12,405	Exports	
53,878	12,901	57,159	12,453	58,939	10,923 r	Imports	Steel Sheet Piling
17,197	14,553	16,252	24,302	18,592	14,236	Exports	
20	2	28	0	29	8	Imports	Ready-Mixed Concrete
1,681	70	2,308	26	2,647	47	Exports	
127,831	71,306	150,978	117,615	138,197	99,593 r	Imports	Concrete Reinforcing Bars
17,069	5,320	26,882	5,362	38,340	8,328	Exports	
9,010	449	12,321	580	11,526	337	Imports	Mortars
6,391	2,910	8,116	2,239	9,462	1,993	Exports	
82,105	2,360	108,210	7,822	124,047	13,384	Imports	Clay Bricks
8,737	300	8,862	296	7,252	169	Exports	
31,292	3,618	30,707	4,432	25,993	4,598	Imports	Clay Roofing Tiles
359	41	323	95	330	122	Exports	
1,330	249	1,489	79	1,713	174	Imports	Clay Pipes
2,294	1,449	2,975	1,381	3,754	1,310	Exports	
9,892	5,312	11,779	1,675	6,497	1,125	Imports	Other Clay Products
1,634	976	1,654	581	1,525	1,135	Exports	
28,664	3,175	25,334	7,208	23,833	6,120	Imports	Concrete Blocks & Bricks
5,796	1,387	8,937	1,336	8,553	1,240	Exports	
..	..	..	..	..	..	Imports	Concrete Roofing Tiles*
..	..	..	..	..	..	Exports	
..	..	..	..	..	..	Imports	Other Concrete Tiles & Paving*
..	..	..	..	..	..	Exports	
20,380	15,984	25,528	22,406	19,331	27,382 r	Imports	Concrete Tiles and Pavings*
13,931	2,640	15,704	2,481	17,081	2,332	Exports	
109,880	3,270	103,321	3,517	82,092	4,847	Imports	Prefabricated Concrete Products
4,034	723	5,872	1,521	7,763	1,299	Exports	
73,283	68,752	85,168	62,397	92,858	69,694 r	Imports	Concrete Pipes
34,571	12,198	25,189	12,343	18,633	11,880	Exports	

\* Due to changes to in European Commission product classifications Slate Roofing Tiles and Other Slate Products have been combined. Similarly, Concrete Roofing Tiles and Other Concrete Tiles and Pavings have been combined.

# EXTERNAL TRADE

**Table 15 : Value of EU and Non-EU Trade in Selected Materials and Components for Constructional Use : Imports (cif) & Exports (fob)**

United Kingdom

Current Prices (£'000)

		2014		2015		2016	
		EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU
<b>Products &amp; Components (continued)</b>							
Structural Units (steel)	Imports	209,811	55,347	193,880	48,783	255,076	59,811
	Exports	110,173	102,788	86,578	101,369	97,570	87,097
Structural Units (aluminium)	Imports	232,703	42,707	197,552	31,910	311,150	44,478
	Exports	27,203	50,179	27,415	45,422	28,183	34,389
Steel Tubes & Hollow Sections	Imports	76,961	87,392	64,357	62,691	80,348	65,313
	Exports	73,784	39,836	60,781	33,914	55,944	12,871
Bituminous Roofing Felt*	Imports	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Exports	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other Asphalt products*	Imports	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Exports	..	..	..	..	..	..
Asphalt Products*	Imports	60,732	4,900	56,332	5,839	58,497	6,380
	Exports	5,526	6,572	4,286	7,403	4,149	7,366
Mineral Insulating Materials	Imports	71,249	36,041	70,963	28,580	76,363	30,185
	Exports	113,117	73,084	93,613	57,468	96,225	66,017
Glass Fibre**	Imports	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Exports	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fibre Cement Products	Imports	52,107	11,737	47,397	16,804	54,942	17,780
	Exports	5,077	613	6,137	728	9,700	1,135
Building Plasters <sup>1</sup>	Imports	9,914	1,883	7,992	1,321	9,962	1,537
	Exports	4,832	3,202	5,569	2,356	6,548	2,797
Plasters <sup>1</sup>	Imports	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Exports	..	..	..	..	..	..
Plasterboard	Imports	17,746	482	26,471	2,567	32,022	1,934
	Exports	11,316	550	10,278	617	12,003	881
Copper Pipes	Imports	166,486	62,354	169,718	62,475	181,304	62,314
	Exports	62,951	57,362	39,733	58,304	37,583	51,570
Lead Pipes & Fittings**	Imports	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Exports	..	..	..	..	..	..
Zinc Pipes & Fittings*	Imports	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Exports	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other Zinc Building Products*	Imports	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Exports	..	..	..	..	..	..
Zinc Building Products*	Imports	8,100	7,882	9,055	8,808	12,318	8,752
	Exports	6,111	20,665	18,721	14,315	20,750	15,787
Plastic Pipes	Imports	99,382	38,816	94,981	40,630	86,870	49,115
	Exports	75,836	81,026	70,448	78,772	81,065	88,812
Other Plastic Building Products	Imports	133,560	60,291	130,498	75,003	139,592	97,017
	Exports	88,206	33,855	85,346	39,428	97,421	39,310
Builders Ironmongery	Imports	141,026	205,799	153,169	218,330	163,170	223,335
	Exports	75,063	73,908	81,028	57,932	98,295	66,129
Nails & Screws	Imports	28,737	43,711	27,648	40,713	30,823	49,683
	Exports	6,089	1,568	6,553	1,470	7,100	1,652
Mastics, Putty	Imports	153,954	18,959	162,728	18,209	186,969	23,840
	Exports	63,599	76,526	63,002	74,912	74,315	86,971
Paints & Varnishes	Imports	387,876	51,935	382,689	54,854	431,337	46,539
	Exports	418,160	251,607	384,141	223,121	388,187	219,961

<sup>1</sup> From 2010 onwards the Plasters category will contain Building Plaster and Other Plasters, as Building Plasters data is no longer collected

Current Prices (£'000)

2017		2018		2019			
EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU		
							<b>Products &amp; Components (continued)</b>
162,927	14,802	698,271	86,641	371,513	96,842	Imports	Structural Units (steel)
117,227	70,393	124,487	65,689	142,540	105,252	Exports	
264,030	44,250	366,435	45,939	448,575	57,623 r	Imports	Structural Units (aluminium)
33,444	43,231	37,271	61,537	39,742	38,205	Exports	
76,867	64,502	79,780	85,363	74,040	93,041 r	Imports	Steel Tubes & Hollow Sections
55,347	17,763	59,682	33,883	61,905	40,313 r	Exports	
..	..	..	..	..	..	Imports	Bituminous Roofing Felt*
..	..	..	..	..	..	Exports	
..	..	..	..	..	..	Imports	Other Asphalt products*
..	..	..	..	..	..	Exports	
67,306	6,214	70,597	6,438	87,530	6,756 r	Imports	Asphalt Products*
4,127	5,505	4,214	6,146	6,260	7,511	Exports	
87,555	36,092	109,038	34,369	95,788	39,900	Imports	Mineral Insulating Materials
116,812	73,754	110,796	85,978	119,624	91,411	Exports	
..	..	..	..	..	..	Imports	Glass Fibre**
..	..	..	..	..	..	Exports	
63,932	19,947	58,083	21,942	60,788	25,267 r	Imports	Fibre Cement Products
10,818	1,012	8,211	1,071	10,443	963	Exports	
22,411	2,200	22,484	2,785	18,736	1,516	Imports	Building Plasters1
7,204	5,072	8,536	6,718	9,146	5,983	Exports	
..	..	..	..	..	..	Imports	Plasters1
..	..	..	..	..	..	Exports	
46,929	685	47,184	305	56,027	4,406 r	Imports	Plasterboard
14,711	766	16,203	585	20,585	637	Exports	
221,644	81,209	222,872	96,577	226,210 r	103,134 r	Imports	Copper Pipes
65,426	62,975	45,858	83,032	46,522	56,631 r	Exports	
..	..	..	..	..	..	Imports	Lead Pipes & Fittings**
..	..	..	..	..	..	Exports	
..	..	..	..	..	..	Imports	Zinc Pipes & Fittings*
..	..	..	..	..	..	Exports	
..	..	..	..	..	..	Imports	Other Zinc Building Products*
..	..	..	..	..	..	Exports	
13,610	9,751	10,279	18,005	8,859	11,376 r	Imports	Zinc Building Products*
23,355	20,302	22,656	27,534	22,855	23,990	Exports	
97,555	55,419	124,570	56,050	132,270 r	67,310 r	Imports	Plastic Pipes
90,072	89,323	97,126	103,689	99,888 r	108,226 r	Exports	
157,267	119,440	164,525	116,484	164,695	127,952 r	Imports	Other Plastic Building Products
114,528	43,688	120,925	56,609	129,002 r	54,958	Exports	
176,669	274,683	191,379	302,566	198,229 r	330,997 r	Imports	Builders Ironmongery
112,920	111,659	114,493	117,444	124,144	140,096 r	Exports	
26,557	60,071	32,900	59,734	24,840	69,305 r	Imports	Nails & Screws
8,863	1,124	9,844	1,564	8,914	1,652	Exports	
197,770	24,729	223,944	22,747	209,031	26,653 r	Imports	Mastics, Putty
85,735	92,515	84,056	118,489	90,877	128,259 r	Exports	
498,313	47,146	492,619	46,678	462,169 r	59,988 r	Imports	Paints & Varnishes
426,917	241,709	410,866	306,018	426,606 r	325,079 r	Exports	

\* Due to changes to in European Commission product classifications Bituminous Roofing Felt and Other Asphalt products have been combined. Similarly, Zinc Pipes & Fittings and Other Zinc Building Products have been combined.

\*\* Data for Lead Pipes and Fittings and Glass Fibre are no longer collected.

# EXTERNAL TRADE

**Table 15 : Value of EU and Non-EU Trade in Selected Materials and Components for Constructional Use : Imports (cif) & Exports (fob)**

United Kingdom

Current Prices (£'000)

		2014		2015		2016	
		EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU
<b>Products &amp; Components (continued)</b>							
Unglazed and Glazed Ceramic Tiles	Imports	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Exports	..	..	..	..	..	..
Unglazed Ceramic Tiles	Imports	61,763	11,432	57,479	12,383	63,455	13,313
	Exports	2,149	1,025	2,125	1,585	3,291	1,434
Glazed Ceramic Tiles	Imports	133,349	66,330	134,964	68,149	162,859	67,052
	Exports	10,959	6,146	7,415	8,451	7,935	8,033
Ceramic Sanitaryware	Imports	97,077	102,295	94,228	107,166	104,498	107,263
	Exports	19,265	15,638	17,856	11,531	22,972	8,954
Plastic Sanitaryware	Imports	68,325	66,073	70,157	67,825	76,132	71,539
	Exports	29,507	20,279	27,515	19,522	34,197	20,065
Metal Sanitaryware	Imports	62,148	66,722	62,375	70,849	71,332	72,982
	Exports	17,388	17,881	17,617	20,532	21,010	23,011
Flat Glass	Imports	36,902	17,909	38,103	12,701	55,824	13,413
	Exports	24,110	4,611	21,596	3,721	19,966	4,941
Other Glass Products	Imports	51,649	23,424	53,058	29,371	58,463	33,793
	Exports	16,890	9,646	17,486	9,615	20,433	12,709
Wood Veneers	Imports	26,520	6,566	22,229	7,535	27,095	7,552
	Exports	1,285	4,748	841	3,750	1,272	4,510
Wood Mouldings	Imports	34,597	34,722	31,047	36,980	32,399	35,247
	Exports	8,301	687	8,671	1,115	9,044	501
Wood Block Flooring	Imports	70,332	88,506	79,622	97,788	99,392	82,827
	Exports	4,393	1,778	5,313	2,016	7,256	2,726
Other Builder's Woodwork	Imports	62,828	38,193	63,629	54,820	67,633	63,040
	Exports	5,859	10,713	7,536	6,351	7,315	5,814
Windows (wood)	Imports	131,894	6,524	144,577	6,449	169,925	6,666
	Exports	10,759	721	11,344	1,237	11,255	913
Doors (wood)	Imports	75,937	133,992	79,454	149,322	85,917	167,799
	Exports	14,598	1,807	14,799	2,342	18,160	1,787
Doors & Windows (steel)	Imports	32,920	14,725	31,776	15,122	39,156	15,547
	Exports	8,049	18,953	10,928	18,525	14,064	18,906
Doors & Windows (aluminium)	Imports	62,964	8,756	65,201	11,699	78,454	13,916
	Exports	11,970	6,280	13,889	7,674	14,607	10,164
Doors & Windows (plastic)	Imports	20,929	41,044	20,369	43,392	24,746	45,441
	Exports	29,861	3,314	35,693	3,251	31,687	3,970
Cork Tiles	Imports	2,378	595	978	602	599	461
	Exports	852	1,367	902	1,553	913	1,163
Linoleum Floor Coverings	Imports	234,196	102,185	250,778	113,423	260,588	145,323
	Exports	132,523	98,865	122,941	98,678	152,606	102,080
Wallpaper	Imports	55,871	9,015	54,514	12,568	51,281	14,476
	Exports	41,233	38,240	38,782	35,310	46,606	37,816
Textile Wall Coverings	Imports	3,529	1,636	3,084	2,050	4,573	1,987
	Exports	639	310	446	339	481	503

Current Prices (£'000)

2017		2018		2019			
EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU		
							<b>Products &amp; Components (continued)</b>
..	..	..	..	265,331	100,056 r	Imports	Unglazed and Glazed Ceramic Tiles
..	..	..	..	10,250	5,621	Exports	
..	..	..	..	..	..	Imports	Unglazed Ceramic Tiles
..	..	..	..	..	..	Exports	
..	..	..	..	..	..	Imports	Glazed Ceramic Tiles
..	..	..	..	..	..	Exports	
106,824	116,471	99,523	116,333	112,568	127,337 r	Imports	Ceramic Sanitaryware
25,738	10,428	27,218	12,899	27,198	14,238	Exports	
70,827	92,421	78,419	90,042	77,926	95,280 r	Imports	Plastic Sanitaryware
41,631	19,738	43,388	22,601	43,286 r	22,731 r	Exports	
85,424	85,041	71,676	85,340	67,641	84,837 r	Imports	Metal Sanitaryware
23,040	22,679	22,065	23,668	20,333	21,304 r	Exports	
41,540	22,366	55,426	16,490	36,311	20,680	Imports	Flat Glass
23,735	6,855	23,796	6,835	21,753	6,189	Exports	
65,758	40,630	72,393	50,138	76,780	57,432 r	Imports	Other Glass Products
24,778	12,777	28,726	14,695	37,611	15,349	Exports	
19,471	6,897	22,948	6,364	14,445	5,648	Imports	Wood Veneers
1,888	2,927	1,243	2,338	1,674	1,788	Exports	
34,201	29,860	40,952	23,325	30,806	24,434 r	Imports	Wood Mouldings
11,320	718	15,585	1,477	15,753	1,699	Exports	
137,105	83,137	105,065	75,430	106,602	87,047 r	Imports	Wood Block Flooring
7,629	3,446	7,850	4,826	7,166	3,218	Exports	
86,451	64,397	72,822	61,670	82,808	69,752 r	Imports	Other Builder's Woodwork
14,408	2,631	10,920	4,863	12,590	3,946 r	Exports	
190,342	6,970	195,968	8,067	201,630	5,779	Imports	Windows (wood)
11,595	446	12,668	407	10,516	221	Exports	
95,739	164,913	95,586	165,393	93,267	178,846 r	Imports	Doors (wood)
17,973	2,230	29,482	3,481	29,187	1,780	Exports	
41,659	20,350	41,828	24,748	50,891	26,201 r	Imports	Doors & Windows (steel)
14,850	18,999	17,874	16,453	19,397	19,591	Exports	
109,466	18,054	122,577	32,466	93,094	44,379 r	Imports	Doors & Windows (aluminium)
18,634	12,241	19,805	16,094	22,883	17,495	Exports	
26,436	52,669	34,105	59,439	44,381	59,708 r	Imports	Doors & Windows (plastic)
32,666	4,918	34,351	5,249	36,781	4,406	Exports	
639	440	556	555	657	842 r	Imports	Cork Tiles
875	1,578	773	1,326	848	1,848	Exports	
291,927	181,969	310,049	175,657	313,695	231,633 r	Imports	Linoleum Floor Coverings
177,448	120,579	169,705	151,317	166,485	151,020 r	Exports	
61,615	13,350	70,565	13,549	76,039	17,151 r	Imports	Wallpaper
45,600	35,611	37,031	39,970	39,856	45,214 r	Exports	
4,579	3,148	3,886	2,644	3,244	2,879	Imports	Textile Wall Coverings
1,060	439	883	592	681	2,465	Exports	

## EXTERNAL TRADE

**Table 15 : Value of EU and Non-EU Trade in Selected Materials and Components for Constructional Use : Imports (cif) & Exports (fob)**

United Kingdom

Current Prices (£'000)

Products & Components (continued)		2014		2015		2016	
		EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU
Fitted Kitchens (assembled)	Imports	67,494	6,292	66,921	8,174	66,216	7,703
	Exports	16,931	8,045	14,238	8,647	8,142	9,761
Prefabricated Buildings (wood)	Imports	46,199	1,382	62,238	1,773	55,559	3,223
	Exports	3,024	974	1,694	3,745	3,261	1,143
Prefabricated Buildings (steel)	Imports	32,091	13,880	35,960	23,268	33,906	39,504
	Exports	20,321	16,660	24,829	13,548	18,719	42,672
Prefabricated Buildings (other)	Imports	24,755	19,454	14,323	24,450	11,418	35,729
	Exports	10,029	25,001	5,791	21,197	4,867	7,126
Mobile Homes	Imports	599	195	33	256	3	1,401
	Exports	8,528	1,362	7,717	3,068	9,642	1,059
Taps & Valves	Imports	163,323	208,702	170,236	226,741	183,756	226,506
	Exports	33,553	63,886	32,451	73,886	39,972	66,170
Pumps (circulating)	Imports	35,241	1,965	36,339	1,970	46,389	871
	Exports	5,232	1,663	3,910	8,856	4,568	5,915
Central Heating Boilers	Imports	556,939	33,626	541,898	42,132	571,357	53,066
	Exports	42,998	20,438	53,175	22,289	92,519	18,137
Radiators	Imports	63,822	117,455	53,765	130,320	63,288	127,912
	Exports	36,418	4,627	35,958	4,970	40,529	4,678
Water Heaters	Imports	54,131	68,840	59,225	68,672	65,100	74,285
	Exports	28,011	30,517	31,670	34,138	38,394	27,175
Space Heaters	Imports	43,121	82,980	47,281	82,818	51,608	89,359
	Exports	21,395	8,825	21,477	10,014	24,771	7,507
Fan Systems	Imports	149,961	73,333	157,117	88,244	199,737	91,474
	Exports	82,564	68,697	75,563	67,556	69,452	59,816
Air Conditioning Equipment	Imports	278,286	255,996	282,707	235,380	287,438	297,628
	Exports	181,836	87,688	172,095	112,851	185,057	155,833
Air Purifying Equipment	Imports	62,857	20,093	57,333	21,117	65,477	31,905
	Exports	115,700	107,575	120,381	109,210	145,489	134,604
Hand Driers	Imports	904	11,030	874	11,256	907	11,012
	Exports	823	753	1,071	919	1,212	792
Meters	Imports	38,319	21,373	54,272	43,327	83,052	87,598
	Exports	45,657	30,790	43,142	30,798	44,735	23,488
Plugs & Sockets	Imports	189,270	239,297	192,840	248,120	213,556	286,592
	Exports	199,800	90,320	207,778	99,035	249,927	110,464
Electrical Wires	Imports	685,087	888,545	696,795	858,781	874,587	847,432
	Exports	337,594	306,102	356,427	328,762	398,761	312,652
Electrical Insulators	Imports	33,921	9,224	29,031	8,517	31,680	11,002
	Exports	13,868	12,469	14,647	12,850	12,944	12,550
Lamps & Fittings	Imports	353,356	459,397	328,720	546,863	369,500	603,128
	Exports	145,745	137,623	189,285	139,953	209,344	155,462
Fire & Security Alarms	Imports	86,813	94,150	111,815	131,516	117,957	81,220
	Exports	150,603	90,802	156,775	104,559	152,844	106,286
Lifts & Escalators	Imports	99,402	19,129	100,212	25,557	125,852	13,850
	Exports	13,713	19,044	9,351	11,842	11,523	14,171

## EXTERNAL TRADE

Current Prices (£'000)

2017		2018		2019			
EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU	EU	Non-EU		
72,392	9,937	60,675	7,387	68,512	7,907 r	Imports	Fitted Kitchens (assembled)
8,468	21,601	11,158	22,277	12,456	12,739	Exports	
40,719	2,907	55,769	4,272	56,928	2,247 r	Imports	Prefabricated Buildings (wood)
5,713	1,905	4,666	3,047	8,644	2,217	Exports	
47,616	18,157	60,378	19,110	38,756	17,194 r	Imports	Prefabricated Buildings (steel)
22,641	37,359	42,490	42,261	36,088	22,246	Exports	
27,502	21,039	47,417	27,444	20,989	42,114 r	Imports	Prefabricated Buildings (other)
6,161	15,315	4,863	10,584	7,219 r	16,451	Exports	
90	36,406	13	3,818	0	2,107 r	Imports	Mobile Homes
5,051	608	8,494	2,242	10,081	3,937	Exports	
196,444	244,826	197,035	227,993	191,120	252,281 r	Imports	Taps & Valves
47,733	71,638	48,897	55,129	45,247	79,147 r	Exports	
37,842	917	62,696	2,519	56,269	20,068	Imports	Pumps (circulating)
5,870	7,703	2,810	6,169	2,938	6,556	Exports	
584,108	52,179	609,345	55,572	557,809	64,552 r	Imports	Central Heating Boilers
129,582	22,681	139,187	41,510	126,686	44,594	Exports	
64,933	145,255	65,509	147,516	64,284	176,185 r	Imports	Radiators
43,049	6,185	42,929	7,117	35,409	4,969	Exports	
70,326	78,682	69,216	84,338	72,490	110,154 r	Imports	Water Heaters
45,065	25,970	43,743	29,320	41,164	27,215 r	Exports	
52,994	97,263	58,989	106,369	51,888	114,787 r	Imports	Space Heaters
32,444	8,190	25,919	21,628	30,991	26,004 r	Exports	
140,143	65,036	138,129	99,807	144,738 r	128,661 r	Imports	Fan Systems
51,578	32,941	55,716	50,408	71,744	69,150	Exports	
321,892	332,923	349,122	310,042	325,519 r	340,167 r	Imports	Air Conditioning Equipment
221,614	149,814	199,816	212,319	217,077	186,178 r	Exports	
76,824	27,886	89,888	38,488	96,620 r	62,982 r	Imports	Air Purifying Equipment
133,436	120,470	134,087	142,949	122,916	161,507 r	Exports	
854	12,034	1,097	10,833	708	13,634 r	Imports	Hand Driers
1,151	950	910	1,044	837	1,248	Exports	
108,023	198,537	75,001	149,723	106,802	89,534	Imports	Meters
38,251	27,085	24,499	17,125	13,440	13,102	Exports	
248,527	336,810	274,190	344,382	254,136 r	347,788 r	Imports	Plugs & Sockets
291,855	137,988	284,391	171,216	269,367 r	207,010 r	Exports	
863,988	1,062,413	824,336	1,078,450	828,005 r	1,108,383 r	Imports	Electrical Wires
474,422	380,684	457,898	408,516	421,902 r	456,699 r	Exports	
38,821	10,513	30,590	9,795	32,616	11,445 r	Imports	Electrical Insulators
13,918	14,498	14,682	17,956	13,825	18,207 r	Exports	
358,902	630,200	341,430	570,913	352,048 r	630,909 r	Imports	Lamps & Fittings
220,175	161,597	223,039	163,954	221,278	163,285 r	Exports	
129,249	84,698	204,735	90,251	223,224	84,454 r	Imports	Fire & Security Alarms
154,297	114,625	124,350	124,643	129,236	120,409 r	Exports	
159,200	16,442	160,352	13,439	132,747	19,365	Imports	Lifts & Escalators
14,205	12,658	10,860	15,833	14,746	15,972	Exports	



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