

Advance Estimates of Singapore's International Trade in Services 2023

Singapore's International Trade in Services measures cross-border services transactions such as advertising, business consultancy, financial, legal, and logistics services between Singapore and its trading partners. The digital revolution has bolstered the trading of digitally deliverable services (e.g., financial services, professional services, and gaming/ streaming services) which then continues to open new opportunities for businesses and individuals, enhancing their competitiveness and widening their reach to global markets.

Based on preliminary estimates¹, Singapore's top services export markets in 2023 were the European Union (EU), the United States of America (US), Japan, Australia, and ASEAN. The EU was Singapore's largest export partner for services, with receipts from the bloc increasing 21.6% on a year-on-year basis to \$72.4 billion. The US continued to be Singapore's top trading partner for services imports with \$105.1 billion in payments to the US, up 13.3% from 2022.

EXPORTS OF SERVICES						
Top 10 Trading Partners		2023 S\$ Billion	Year-on-Year Change %	Main Services Exported*		
****	European Union (EU-27)	72.4	↑ 21.6	Business Management Financial Transport		
	United States of America	50.3	4 19.0	Business Management Telecommunications, Computer & Information Transport		
	Japan	44.2	↑ 7.7	Business Management Telecommunications, Computer & Information Transport		
*	Australia	41.7	↑ 6.1	Financial Telecommunications, Computer & Information Transport		

¹ Preliminary estimates are subject to revisions when more comprehensive data become available.

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Top 10 Tradi	ng Partners	2023 S\$ Billion	Year-on-Year Change %	Main Services Exported*	
	ASEAN	38.8	↓ 3.5	Business Management Telecommunications, Computer & Information Transport	
**	Mainland China	32.1	4 2.3	Financial Telecommunications, Computer & Information Transport	
	United Kingdom	20.5	↑ 8.0	Business Management Financial Transport	
	Hong Kong	19.8	↓ 7.2	Business Management Financial Transport	
	Switzerland	16.5	↓ 3.8	Business Management Financial Transport	
*Listed in alr	India Dhabetical order	10.1	↑ 3.9	Financial Telecommunications, Computer & Information Transport	

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Top 10 Trading Partners		2023 S\$ Billion	Year-on-Year Change %	Main Services Imported*
	United States of America	105.1	↑ 13.3	Business Management Telecommunications, Computer & Information Transport
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**	Mainland China	35.7	↑ 1.4	Business Management Telecommunications, Computer & Information Transport
	Hong Kong	20.4	↑ 2.9	Business Management Financial Transport
	ASEAN	20.0	↑ 0.3	Business Management Manufacturing Services on Physical Inputs Owned by Others Transport
	Japan	18.8	↑ 0.4	Business Management Financial Transport
	United Kingdom	16.8	↑ 6.6	Business Management Financial Transport

IMPORTS OF SERVICES Year-on-Year 2023 **Main Services** Change **Top 10 Trading Partners** Imported* S\$ Billion % **Business Management** Telecommunications, India 13.6 **↑** 6.1 Computer & Information Transport **Business Management** Insurance Switzerland 11.2 **1** 3.9 Transport **Business Management** Manufacturing Services on Taiwan 10.8 11.1 Physical Inputs Owned by Others Transport *Listed in alphabetical order.

Statistical tables are available at

https://go.gov.sg/trade-in-services-latest-data

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