<u>June 2017-Euro area international</u> <u>trade in goods surplus €26.6 bn-€7.1</u> <u>bn surplus for EU28</u>

The first estimate for **euro area** (EA19) exports of goods to the rest of the world in June 2017 was ≤ 187.2 billion, an increase of 3.9% compared with June 2016 (≤ 180.2 bn). Imports from the rest of the world stood at ≤ 160.7 bn, a rise of 6.2% compared with June 2016 (≤ 151.3 bn). As a result, the **euro area** recorded a ≤ 26.6 bn surplus in trade in goods with the rest of the world in June 2017, compared with $+ \le 28.9$ bn in June 2016. **Intra-euro area** trade rose to ≤ 157.5 bn in June 2017, up by 3.5% compared with June 2016.

These data are released by **Eurostat**, the statistical office of the European Union.

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