

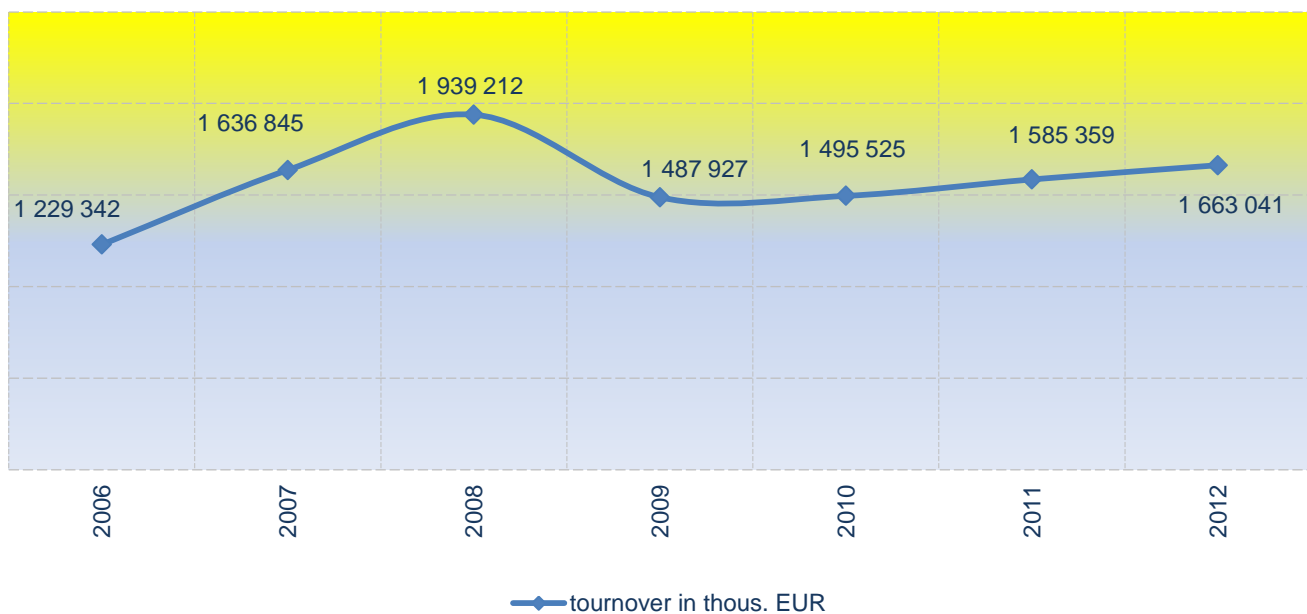
## Annual Report on Wholesale Trade 2012

The turnover in the wholesale trade in Montenegro in 2012 was 1 663 041 620 EUR which represents an increase of 4.9% compared to 2011. The number of workers in the wholesale trade in 2012 was 16 643, which is 0.8% higher compared with the previous year.

**Table 1. Number of employees in the wholesale trade**

NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES IN WHOLESALE TRADE	2011	2012
Number of employees in the wholesale trade <sup>1</sup>	16 509	16 643

**Graph No 1: Trends in annual turnover in the wholesale trade, 2006 – 2012**



<sup>1</sup> Number of employees taken from survey of employees (Monstat)

**Table 2. Turnover by type of commodity in the wholesale trade**

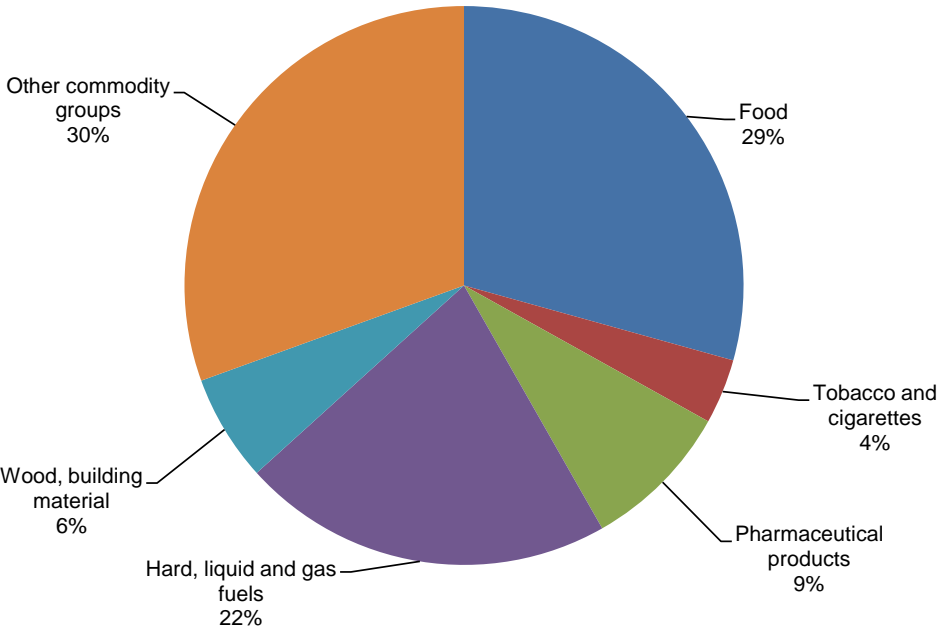
in thous. EUR

TYPE OF COMMODITY IN THE WHOLESALE TRADE	2010	2011	2012
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 495 525</b>	<b>1 585 359</b>	<b>1 658 217</b>
Agricultural raw materials and live animals (seed, feed, flowers, raw leather, etc.)	13 991	14 892	14 203
Meat, fish and manufactured products, oils and fats	54 614	65 707	74 906
Milk, milk products and eggs	35 100	40 022	41 630
Fruits and vegetables	33 892	36 173	35 489
Sugar, chocolate, sweets	47 128	54 802	53 456
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	30 708	33 708	31 245
Non – alcoholic and alcoholic drinks	158 121	159 248	168 234
Other food products	46 167	62 880	81 256
Tobacco and cigarettes	49 755	58 081	62 374
Textile and clothing	40 064	40 923	42 987
Footwear and leather products	5 557	6 144	7 845
Furniture carpets and floor coverings	52 547	53 812	51 700
Electric devices for household	27 193	29 818	32 450
Porcelain and glass	4 817	9 073	11 090
Varnishes and paints	7 769	24 710	27 678
Perfumes, and cosmetic products	61 277	66 993	67 570
Pharmaceutical products	143 333	144 235	143 983
Paper products (books, newspapers, etc.)	6 255	8 614	10 025
Camera and optical bicycles, music instruments,	1 377	2 743	2 572
Hard, liquid and gas fuels	351 197	346 847	357 028
Metal products and ores	22 633	25 827	23 643
Wood, building material	104 802	107 802	102 349
Mineral goods, pipelines	9 361	24 900	28 956
Chemical products (in industry and agriculture)	6 052	6 849	7 856
Scrap and waste	244	1 376	1 205
Machinery, equipment and accessories	45 388	48 427	51 982
Other	136 183	110 753	124 505

**Table 3. The participation rates of commodity groups in total wholesale**

	in thous. EUR		
TYPE OF COMMODITY IN THE WHOLESALE TRADE	2010	2011	2012
<b>Total</b>	100.0	100.0	100.0
Agricultural raw materials and live animals (seed, feed, flowers, raw leather, etc.)	0.9	0.9	0.9
Meat, fish and manufactured products, oils and fats	3.7	4.1	4.5
Milk, milk products and eggs	2.3	2.5	2.5
Fruits and vegetables	2.3	2.3	2.1
Sugar, chocolate, sweets	3.2	3.5	3.2
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	2.1	2.1	1.9
Non – alcoholic and alcoholic drinks	10.6	10.0	10.1
Other food products	3.1	4.0	4.9
Tobacco and cigarettes	3.3	3.7	3.8
Textile and clothing	2.7	2.6	2.6
Footwear and leather products	0.4	0.4	0.5
Furniture carpets and floor coverings	3.5	3.4	3.1
Electric devices for household	1.8	1.9	2.0
Porcelain and glass	0.3	0.6	0.7
Varnishes and paints	0.5	1.6	1.7
Perfumes, and cosmetic products	4.1	4.2	4.1
Pharmaceutical products	9.6	9.1	8.7
Paper products (books, newspapers, etc.)	0.4	0.5	0.6
Camera and optical bicycles, music instruments,	0.1	0.2	0.2
Hard, liquid and gas fuels	23.5	21.9	21.5
Metal products and ores	1.5	1.6	1.4
Wood, building material	7.0	6.8	6.2
Mineral goods, pipelines	0.6	1.6	1.7
Chemical products (in industry and agriculture)	0.4	0.4	0.5
Scrap and waste	0.0	0.1	0.1
Machinery, equipment and accessories	3.0	3.1	3.1
Other	9.1	7.0	7.5

**Graph No. 2. The structure of individual commodity groups in total annual turnover of wholesale**



## METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

### Data sources

The data on internal trade of enterprises engaged in the wholesale trade are collected by regular annual survey. The survey is based on the sample and covers enterprises classified in the wholesale trade under the register of unit classification according to the activity classification.

### Coverage

Internal trade statistics covers and presents the turnover of enterprises with the wholesale trade as their main activity. This is a sample based survey which covers all large and medium-sized enterprises, while small and micro enterprises are set by using the random sample method.

### Definitions

The turnover in the wholesale trade is a value of goods delivered by companies/organizations engaged in the turnover: wholesale trade companies, other companies for further manufacturing, and large customers for their own consumption (health and social care organizations, education, defence, etc.).

The data on employment in the internal trade are presented based on the state at the end of the year, if the table otherwise indicates.

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