

Releases for consumption of cigarettes 2002-2011 (in 1000 pieces)

EU-27	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Austria	15,358,733	15,062,233	14,463,704	13,280,238	13,883,290	13,583,454	13,187,828	13,383,631	13,759,444	12,994,256
Belgium	14,314,440	14,287,269	13,634,471	13,384,628	13,385,056	12,492,580	11,916,326	11,616,849	12,557,608	9,906,912
Cyprus	2,017,325	1,985,432	1,655,603	1,921,873	1,888,343	1,951,368	2,093,581	1,874,070	1,983,177	1,761,545
Czech Republic	19,096,775	25,613,577	22,459,838	26,231,340	28,262,528	30,595,808	16,600,608	20,931,982	21,669,790	23,232,760
Denmark	7,156,722	7,872,682	8,177,705	7,762,472	8,215,985	7,937,867	7,902,799	7,867,506	7,701,904	6,904,079
Estonia	2,294,900	2,239,173	2,189,850	2,421,679	2,277,728	3,726,327	1,146,673	2,653,456	1,237,072	1,757,798
Finland	4,923,954	4,798,725	4,929,521	5,078,000	4,986,000	4,928,000	6,983,000	3,522,179	4,413,445	6,369,778
France	80,529,400	69,647,800	54,924,400	54,810,412	55,772,177	54,944,928	53,589,478	54,980,028	54,797,418	54,107,538
Germany	145,152,720	132,603,170	111,716,210	95,826,690	93,465,500	91,497,320	87,978,850	86,606,770	83,564,540	87,555,780
Greece	31,987,518	32,369,492	35,185,190	34,408,444	33,383,128	35,246,482	30,278,385	34,050,131	24,004,753	25,629,837
Hungary	18,319,609	19,435,456	13,853,849	14,184,287	15,810,596	16,685,080	17,407,571	17,429,547	11,857,780	13,009,695
Ireland	7,015,555	6,294,855	5,330,593	5,419,638	5,857,276	5,401,702	4,940,567	4,607,146	4,127,989	4,153,921
Italy	105,215,836	101,581,626	98,846,737	92,822,302	93,807,356	92,821,293	91,994,337	89,148,720	87,031,399	85,467,892
Latvia	3,787,340	3,994,500	5,062,364	4,197,236	4,753,247	3,335,879	3,869,761	2,294,402	1,769,615	1,906,495
Lithuania	4,979,270	3,666,203	2,957,084	3,721,841	5,216,700	4,724,283	5,682,676	4,187,810	2,497,415	2,798,971
Luxembourg	5,780,790	5,610,803	6,374,169	5,309,000	4,745,000	5,045,601	4,499,211	4,260,325	4,159,369	3,994,510
Malta	596,247	576,900	565,376	589,151	578,686	521,582	575,450	565,379	570,860	566,950
Netherlands	17,024,215	17,080,472	14,999,591	13,654,000	13,963,000	15,190,013	14,905,215	13,384,650	13,379,836	12,826,620
Poland	82,047,368	80,244,262	75,283,084	87,553,826	79,769,525	83,815,006	100,302,085	41,016,183	64,895,232	62,018,652
Portugal	17,924,867	19,623,143	18,069,016	17,134,790	18,963,003	12,777,367	12,906,200	11,922,976	14,199,498	11,946,765
Slovak Republic	4,989,533	2,997,609	4,564,499	9,410,743	4,786,986	12,841,417	4,367,174	11,233,334	7,377,590	7,212,418
Slovenia	4,794,979	4,611,836	4,487,482	4,556,764	4,947,442	4,663,247	5,009,949	5,138,870	4,924,472	5,040,379
Spain	88,600,500	93,711,449	95,305,513	92,699,536	90,097,578	89,102,765	90,288,827	81,356,510	72,430,751	60,260,720
Sweden	7,656,792	7,482,187	7,281,953	6,859,511	7,674,016	6,436,000	6,071,000	6,311,000	6,240,000	6,955,000
UK	56,088,000	53,952,000	52,620,000	50,244,000	48,962,000	45,749,000	45,733,000	47,575,000	45,235,000	41,986,000
Bulgaria	22,612,855	26,245,083	23,043,814	20,596,677	14,836,821	19,806,400	21,884,261	17,407,050	11,735,104	10,875,836
Romania	na.	na.	na.	36,490,906	41,025,373	37,935,340	34,607,959	31,258,652	20,784,251	24,980,551
Total EU 15	604,730,042	581,977,905	541,858,772	508,693,661	507,160,365	493,154,372	483,175,023	470,593,421	447,602,954	431,059,608
Total EU 10	142,923,346	145,364,948	133,079,029	154,788,740	148,291,781	162,859,997	157,055,528	107,325,033	118,783,003	119,305,663
Total EU ex RO	770,266,243	753,587,936	697,981,615	684,079,078	670,288,968	675,820,769	662,114,812	595,325,505	578,121,061	561,241,107

Source: 2002/2003/2004: KPMG study

2005-2011: Questionnaire to Member States

Note that, for a number of Member States, as a result of forestalling (release for consumption of large volumes immediately prior to a tax increase) releases for consumption are artificially high in certain years as compared to the normal pattern

Release for consumption in EU 27:

In 2008: 696,722,771

In 2009: 626,584,157

In 2010: 598,905,312

In 2011: 586,221,658

Releases for consumption of fine cut tobacco 2002-2011 (in kg)

EU-27	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Austria	259,000	272,000	298,000	396,000	422,900	467,332	510,165	521,032	573,619	622,328
Belgium	8,417,005	8,326,703	8,429,022	8,197,808	9,168,346	7,477,684	6,447,491	7,548,223	8,579,221	7,499,940
Cyprus	62,000	97,000	152,000	170,518	192,799	231,349	239,154	247,461	289,466	312,745
Czech Republic*	629,400	650,400	190,300	423,300	481,957	1,264,129	172,651	644,127	767,107	1,256,012
Denmark	902,200	855,200	675,300	577,000	552,000	482,900	458,700	438,683	414,887	417,920
Estonia	8,000	8,000	10,000	12,680	10,680	20,260	21,230	82,134	114,495	78,199
Finland**	949,000	931,000	880,000	883,000	796,000	764,930	757,640	937,842	537,077	1,028,693
France***	5,721,000	5,954,000	6,970,000	7,009,000	7,107,000	7,095,000	7,277,000	7,258,000	7,597,000	7,976,000
Germany	14,441,300	14,834,100	15,400,000	14,700,900	18,747,400	22,381,170	21,849,270	24,403,690	25,486,420	27,043,240
Greece	800,700	819,000	964,000	1,038,884	1,247,809	1,377,769	1,478,900	1,761,044	2,215,555	3,043,256
Hungary	757,701	1,159,668	1,027,501	895,180	739,374	1,261,150	2,268,255	2,429,481	4,140,290	4,255,171
Ireland	135,568	111,904	112,320	95,972	107,264	122,848	127,057	219,985	215,773	251,748
Italy	285,520	324,510	463,255	593,460	677,589	806,667	1,081,994	1,397,534	1,841,553	2,713,217
Latvia	6,739	7,475	8,166	13,998	18,597	19,583	23,577	24,792	34,124	37,797
Lithuania	na	57,151	14,306	11,500	12,718	14,678	16,437	19,923	30,136	31,208
Luxembourg	3,194,000	2,983,000	3,006,000	2,970,423	2,845,418	3,606,998	3,412,713	3,483,497	3,896,870	3,742,915
Malta	19,060	19,850	27,170	30,850	27,290	27,800	25,434	21,712	38,372	22,716
Netherlands	13,130,839	12,943,061	12,087,666	10,970,000	10,811,000	10,682,228	10,261,644	9,568,772	9,047,240	8,698,394
Poland****	1,060,000	1,727,000	2,583,000	828,000	496,000	464,350	330,160	5,272,299	4,081,169	3,546,413
Portugal	302,830	287,370	326,450	391,470	358,480	477,496	386,755	504,289	854,174	1,882,580
Slovak Republic	33,527	19,837	24,000	13,000	26,000	63,415	10,771	31,884	36,131	42,708
Slovenia	30,445	28,392	26,642	16,040	19,120	21,861	24,333	31,760	42,284	64,428
Spain	1,346,559	1,865,041	2,356,203	2,977,489	2,554,397	3,148,536	4,131,748	5,476,524	5,399,853	5,039,194
Sweden	886,000	825,000	909,000	966,000	800,000	672,000	250,000	300,000	299,000	295,000
UK	2,864,000	2,893,000	3,052,000	3,189,000	3,454,000	3,644,000	4,144,000	5,079,000	5,378,000	5,850,000
Bulgaria	500	700	1,300	2,000	8,300	12,922	25,860	51,208	283,426	178,558
Romania	na	na	na	na	na	26,479	na	658	558	3,228
Total EU 15	53,635,521	54,224,888	55,929,217	54,956,406	59,649,603	63,207,558	62,575,077	68,898,115	72,336,242	76,104,425
Total EU 10	2,606,872	3,774,773	4,063,085	2,415,066	2,024,535	3,388,575	3,132,002	8,805,573	9,573,574	9,647,397
Total EU 27 (ex RO)	56,242,893	58,000,361	59,993,602	57,373,472	61,682,438	66,609,055	65,732,939	77,754,896	82,193,242	85,930,379

Source: 2002/2003/2005: KPMG study

2004-2011: Questionnaire to Member States

BE,CY, FI, ET,EL, LV, LU, LT, BG, SW: including other smoking tobacco

* CZ: from July 2005 the figures indicate the total quantity of other smoking tobacco and fine-cut tobacco together.

** FI: 2007 and 2008 data from ESTA

*** FR: All the figures have been corrected retroactively including only fine cut tobacco and excluding pipe tobacco. Figures concern the mainland France without Corsica.

**** PL: from 2009 the figures indicate the total quantity of other smoking tobacco and fine-cut tobacco together

Release for consumption in EU 27:

In 2008: 65,732,939 (without RO)

In 2009: 77,755,554

In 2010: 82,193,800

In 2011: 85,933,607