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1. INTRODUCTION

This Annex n. 1 has been designed to complement the Commission Staff Working Document to the Evaluation of Regulation (EU) No 995/2010 and, additionally, provide complementary quantity information on trade flows among the EU Member States (MS) and countries outside the European Union (EU).

The data reported have been extracted from the consultant's study performed on behalf of the European Commission (EC). The analysis has been built upon the data compiled for Baseline Report of the FLEGT Independent Market Monitoring (IMM). The main sources of information are EUROSTAT, COMEXT, FAOSTAT and PRODCOM databases. Import data have been derived from the COMEXT section of the Eurostat bulk download facility¹. Quantity data has been validated and summarised using IMM’s trade database system. Production data have been derived from FAOSTAT² and Eurostat PRODCOM³.

2. VARIATIONS IN TRADE FLOWS

The figures reported here below assemble empirical data on imports of timber and timber products, and specific products, from non-EU Member States (MS) within the period 2004-2013 and 2004-2014. It is necessary to remark that the data reported cannot provide any evidence about the extent of the linkage between the adoption of the EUTR and variations in trade flows. Changes in imports of timber and timber products seem instead to be primarily correlated with the recent economic and financial development patterns in the EU, while variations in exporting countries could to be connected with domestic economic developments and a growing trade in timber products with emerging economies, in particular in Asia.

¹ http://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/estat-navtree-portlet-prod/BulkDownloadListing
² http://faostat3.fao.org/home/E
³ http://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/web/prodcom/data/database
3. **FIGURE N. 1. VALUE OF IMPORTS IN EU28 BY PRODUCTS, 2004-2014**

![Graph showing the value of imports in EU28 by products, 2004-2014, with different products represented by different colors.]

Source: IMM analysis of Eurostat COMEXT

4. **FIGURE N. 2. IMPORT VALUE OF ALL EUTR REGULATED PRODUCTS BY MEMBER STATES IN 2014**

![Graph showing the import value of all EUTR regulated products by member states in 2014, with different countries represented by different colors and different products represented by different shades within each country.]

Source: IMM analysis of Eurostat COMEXT
5. **Figure N. 3**. Quantity of EUTR regulated wood and wood-based product imports (HS44 and HS944) by Member States in 2014

![Graph showing quantity of EUTR regulated wood and wood-based product imports by Member States in 2014](image1)

Source: IMM analysis of Eurostat COMEXT

6. **Figure 6.** Value of wood and articles of wood imports (HS 44) by Member States in 2014

![Graph showing value of wood and articles of wood imports by Member States in 2014](image2)

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7. **Figure 5. EU28 Supply of Wood-Based Products (HS44 and HS94), 2004-2013**

![Graph showing supply of wood-based products](image)

Source: IMM analysis of Eurostat COMEXT

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![Graph showing imports of wood and wood-based products by species](image)

Source: IMM analysis of Eurostat COMEXT
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![Diagram showing top 10 largest supplier shares of EU28 imports of wood and wood-based products (HS44 and HS94), 2004-2014.](image)

Source: IMM analysis of Eurostat COMEXT

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