

Releases for consumption of cigarettes 2002-2015 (in 1000 pieces)

EU	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
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	13,017,103	13,034,736	12,902,235	12,749,726
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	11,177,048	11,222,115	10,820,948	10,647,079
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	11,569,367	11,511,328	11,343,246	13,160,900
Croatia	7,621,675	8,093,977	7,821,487	7,454,150	8,138,767	8,351,622	9,719,145	6,255,274	7,269,775	7,219,196	7,608,170	6,749,992	5,654,912	6,180,629
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	1,654,002	1,476,046	1,347,888	1,337,819
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	23,920,825	22,354,677	11,073,455	20,437,821
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	6,756,026	6,852,413	5,604,504	5,759,696
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	1,837,548	1,796,726	1,743,752	1,800,412
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	2,824,141	6,928,325	4,458,372	4,391,322
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	51,455,941	47,526,844	45,013,594	45,456,737
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	87,555,787	82,405,131	80,274,940	81,051,367	81,266,691
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	19,399,366	17,181,603	17,170,214	16,806,653
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	12,533,679	9,312,300	7,378,580	7,842,097
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	3,790,633	3,230,313	3,098,756	3,236,648
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	78,734,360	74,027,717	74,431,165	73,815,494
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	1,822,296	1,902,964	1,800,317	1,916,079
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	2,708,237	2,789,760	2,918,089	3,153,303
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	3,757,161	3,351,473	3,758,000	2,550,661
Malta	596,247	576,900	565,376	589,151	578,686	521,582	575,450	565,379	570,860	566,950	550,032	543,477	557,640	554,940
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	12,392,273	9,223,296	11,183,530	9,269,038
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	64,931,896	59,276,996	52,211,424	46,931,286	44,037,526	41,189,448
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	11,048,599	10,799,038	10,432,212	9,959,453
Romania	N/A	N/A	N/A	36,490,906	41,025,373	37,935,340	34,607,959	31,258,652	20,784,251	24,980,551	26,989,068	24,123,425	22,161,580	25,406,365
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	7,076,528	6,696,981	6,699,566	6,839,853
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	4,716,458	4,060,035	3,827,739	3,751,572
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	55,065,569	47,508,265	46,687,656	45,933,670
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	6,209,000	6,105,000	6,017,000	5,656,484
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	40,444,000	35,856,000	33,775,000	31,610,000
Total	777,887,917	761,681,913	705,803,102	728,024,134	719,453,107	722,107,731	706,441,916	632,839,430	606,211,751	590,699,204	553,673,986	513,371,075	486,948,843	492,680,590

Source: 2002/2003/2004: KPMG study

2005-2012: 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

*FR :Figures concern the mainland France without Corsica.

**EL: For 2013 figure refers to the period January-November.

Releases for consumption of fine cut tobacco 2002-2015 (in kg)

EU	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Austria	259,000	272,000	298,000	396,000	422,900	467,332	510,165	521,032	573,619	622,328	615,820	683,294	728,119	736,622
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	8,261,909	10,110,569	9,634,952	9,925,673
Bulgaria	500	700	1,300	2,000	8,300	12,922	25,860	51,208	283,426	178,558	134,691	164,326	164,210	220,373
Croatia	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	298,011	116,942	209,014	221,010	166,787	166,007
Cyprus	62,000	97,000	152,000	170,518	192,799	231,349	239,154	247,461	289,466	312,745	349,549	172,029	171,257	163,830
Czech Republic*	629,400	650,400	190,300	423,300	481,957	1,264,129	172,651	644,127	767,107	1,256,012	1,648,278	1,605,310	1,143,276	1,339,855
Denmark	902,200	855,200	675,300	577,000	552,000	482,900	458,700	438,683	414,887	417,920	432,420	426,923	413,840	377,421
Estonia	8,000	8,000	10,000	12,680	10,680	20,260	21,230	82,134	114,495	78,199	54,966	78,513	66,324	71,365
Finland**	949,000	931,000	859,671	869,270	783,192	755,527	765,978	916,620	517,546	1,028,693	416,057	1,057,617	630,721	693,006
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	8,489,707	8,714,508	8,727,499	9,242,606
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	27,043,269	26,921,667	25,734,071	26,738,459	25,470,412
Greece****	800,700	819,000	964,000	1,038,884	1,247,809	1,377,917	1,437,409	1,722,871	2,215,555	3,043,256	2,451,493	2,402,670	2,460,943	2,418,700
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	5,178,859	5,197,130	5,706,040	6,492,360
Ireland	135,568	111,904	112,320	95,972	107,264	122,848	127,057	219,985	215,773	251,748	330,756	399,316	384,646	508,073
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	3,905,242	3,837,084	3,917,044	4,105,180
Latvia	6,739	7,475	8,166	13,998	18,597	19,583	23,577	24,792	34,124	37,797	44,128	46,467	46,611	49,165
Lithuania	N/A	57,151	14,306	11,500	12,718	14,678	16,437	19,923	30,136	31,208	54,161	59,798	57,220	41,974
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	3,922,166	4,028,524	4,878,000	3,585,530
Malta	19,060	19,850	27,170	30,850	27,290	27,800	25,434	21,712	38,372	22,716	41,200	33,382	37,635	31,947
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	8,805,726	6,992,485	8,004,987	6,525,850
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	2,447,811	2,199,183	2,231,285	2,405,827
Portugal	302,830	287,370	326,450	391,470	358,480	477,496	386,755	504,289	854,174	1,882,580	1,745,199	1,163,866	812,163	759,061
Romania	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	26,479	N/A	658	558	3,228	7,956	18,233	15,051	16,624
Slovak Republic	33,527	19,837	24,000	13,000	26,000	63,415	10,771	31,884	36,131	42,708	51,937	48,353	46,537	69,485
Slovenia	30,445	28,392	26,642	16,040	19,120	21,861	24,333	31,760	42,284	64,428	149,412	286,465	197,975	180,928
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	6,925,593	6,929,780	5,995,526	6,009,388
Sweden	886,000	825,000	909,000	966,000	800,000	672,000	250,000	300,000	299,000	295,000	280,000	266,000	173,000	143,000
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	6,290,000	6,314,000	6,299,000	6,161,000
Total	56,242,893	58,000,361	59,973,273	57,359,742	61,669,630	66,626,279	65,699,786	77,696,159	82,472,280	86,050,578	90,165,716	89,190,906	89,849,107	87,911,263

Source: 2002/2003/2005: KPMG study

2004-2012: Questionnaire to Member States

BE, CY, FI, ET, 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

***** EL: 2007-2009 the figures have been corrected retroactively. For 2013 figure refers to the period January-November