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Foreign trade January to March 2019: increase in imports (+4.7%) and exports (+4.4%)

Vienna, 2019-06-07 – In the first quarter of 2019, total imports amounted to €40.19 bn and total exports added up to €39.08 bn, according to preliminary results by Statistics Austria. Compared to the corresponding period of the previous year, Austrian imports increased by 4.7% and Austrian exports also rose by 4.4%. The global foreign trade balance showed a deficit of €1.12 bn. Working-day adjusted, the rates of increase were 5.5% for imports and 5.8% for exports.

For more detailed information please refer to the [German version](#). Visualisations of the foreign trade data for 2018 are available in the [ITGS.Atlas](#), the interactive tree maps on [imports](#) as well as [exports](#) and a [bar diagram](#).