

Spanish crude oil imports by country

July 2018

Crude oil imports to Spain in July (5,945 kt) decreased by 7.8% regarding July 2017, a month in which high imports had been registered (6,448 kt). On the other hand, year-to-date (+1.7%) as well as rolling year (+1.0%) showed interannual increments.

This month, 35 types of crude oil were imported from 18 countries.

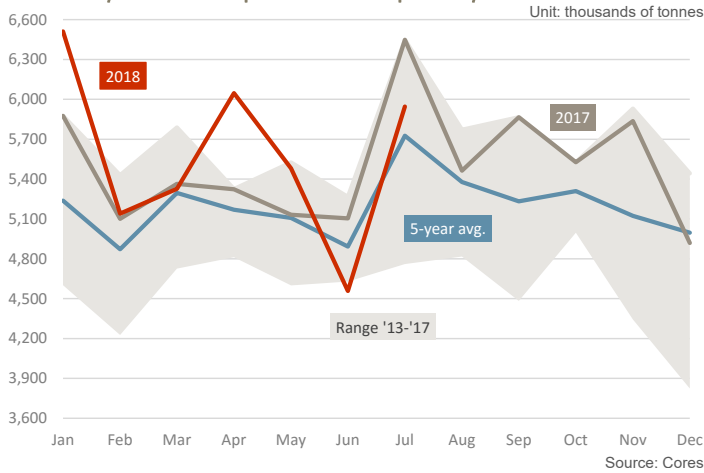
Mexico (811 kt) continued as the main crude oil supplier to Spain despite the decrease on its imports (-9.3% vs. July 2017). Nigeria (765 kt) was placed the second, whose imports also diminished (-22.0%). They were followed by Iran (712 kt; +65.6%), which presented the highest imports since September 2011. Stood out purchases from Norway (340 kt; +286.4%), after 3 months without them, and from the United Kingdom (233 kt), the greatest in 13 months.

Imports from the OPEC country members decreased by 24.0% interannually. Stood out the absence of entries from Iraq (first time since April 2014), and the rise in the imports from Saudi Arabia, which rose by 67.5%.

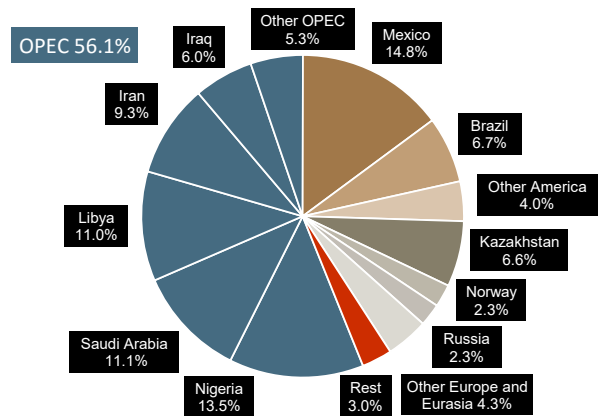
Imports diminished from every geographical area in comparison with the same month of 2017, except from Europe and Eurasia (+29.3%) and Middle East, which remained: Africa (-25.5%), Central and South America (-12.3%) and North America (-8.2%).

Crude oil imports to Spain registered 5,945 kt (-7.8% interannual)

Monthly crude oil imports over the past 5 years



Crude oil import distribution January-July 2018



Source: Cores

Unit: thousands of tonnes

	July 2018			Year-to-date			Rolling year		
	Imports	VR (%) (*)	Weight (%)	Imports	VR (%) (*)	Imports	VR (%) (*)	Weight (%)	
Canada	168	-2.9	2.8	750	43.7	1,207	36.8	1.8	
United States	-	-	-	499	185.1	725	108.3	1.1	
Mexico	811	-9.3	13.6	5,783	-1.7	9,589	-4.4	14.4	
North America total	979	-8.2	16.5	7,032	6.9	11,521	2.3	17.3	
Brazil	233	-46.8	3.9	2,597	10.6	4,384	20.4	6.6	
Colombia	151	-	2.5	302	-52.4	602	-64.1	0.9	
Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	-	-	-100.0	-	-100.0	-	
Venezuela	-	-	-	123	-78.5	602	-39.4	0.9	
Central and South America total	384	-12.3	6.5	3,022	-16.1	5,588	-12.1	8.4	
Azerbaijan	91	13.8	1.5	948	79.9	1,361	23.4	2.0	
Georgia	-	-100.0	-	-	-100.0	50	-76.5	0.1	
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Kazakhstan	390	-6.5	6.6	2,570	2.0	4,468	36.9	6.7	
Norway	340	286.4	5.7	887	-43.6	1,951	10.7	2.9	
United Kingdom	233	49.4	3.9	400	-64.9	809	-62.2	1.2	
Russia	180	0.6	3.0	878	-38.0	1,696	-51.4	2.5	
Other Europe and Eurasia	40	-	0.7	313	62.2	500	57.2	0.8	
Europe and Eurasia total	1,274	29.3	21.4	5,996	-20.8	10,835	-12.4	16.3	
Saudi Arabia	695	67.5	11.7	4,330	27.7	7,318	16.7	11.0	
Iraq	-	-100.0	-	2,327	-17.3	3,567	-34.2	5.4	
Iran	712	65.6	12.0	3,637	71.1	5,894	67.2	8.8	
Middle East total	1,407	-	23.7	10,294	23.5	16,779	10.2	25.2	
Angola	138	-66.0	2.3	1,064	-22.5	2,269	-7.5	3.4	
Algeria	81	3.8	1.4	524	-32.4	710	-56.4	1.1	
Cameroon	134	0.8	2.3	356	-46.5	356	-57.9	0.5	
Congo	-	-100.0	-	-	-100.0	122	-80.7	0.2	
Egypt	-	-	-	194	-69.2	543	-63.2	0.8	
Gabon	-	-100.0	-	-	-100.0	-	-100.0	-	
Eq. Guinea	-	-	-	338	-19.1	476	-66.1	0.7	
Libya	517	-9.5	8.7	4,288	80.5	7,381	106.1	11.1	
Nigeria	765	-22.0	12.9	5,269	-5.4	9,175	10.6	13.8	
Other Africa	266	-	4.5	631	-	863	828.0	1.3	
Africa total	1,901	-25.5	32.0	12,664	3.2	21,895	5.5	32.9	
Total	5,945	-7.8	100.0	39,008	1.7	66,618	1.0	100.0	
OPEC	2,908	-24.0	48.9	21,900	10.2	37,514	8.6	56.3	
Non-OPEC	3,037	15.8	51.1	17,108	-7.4	29,104	-7.3	43.7	
OECD	1,552	16.2	26.1	8,319	-11.7	14,331	-6.8	21.5	
Non-OECD	4,393	-14.1	73.9	30,689	6.1	52,287	3.4	78.5	
EU	233	28.7	3.9	400	-68.5	859	-63.5	1.3	

(*)Variation rate with regard to the same period of the previous year.

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Source: Cores