



Crude oil imports to Spain (5,556 kt) decreased by 4.8% vs. November 2017

Spanish crude oil imports by country

November 2018

Crude oil imports to Spain diminished by 4.8% vs. November 2017, having placed themselves at 5,556 kt. However, they presented increments both in the year to date (+1.8%) as well as in the rolling year (+1.0%).

30 types of crude oil were imported from 16 countries.

Nigeria (1,112 kt) remained as the first crude oil supplier, having increased by 66.2% interannually and having reached 20.0% of the total imports. It was followed by Mexico (876 kt), which rose by 14.1%, and registered the greatest crude oil entries in 6 months. In November, no crude oil was imported from Iran due to the USA sanctions, neither from Canada, first time in 7 months.

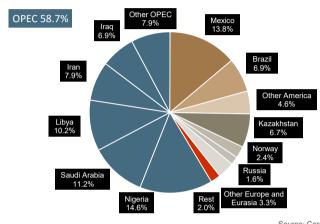
Crude oil entries from the OPEC country members increased by 8.9% interannually and reached 62.3% of the total, despite the absence of crude oil from Iran. Contributions from Iraq (+102.1% vs. November 2017) and Venezuela (145 kt) stood out. Crude oil from the non-OPEC countries (-21.2%) accumulated decreases for 4 consecutive months, having also descended in the year to date and the rolling year.

This month, every geographical area registered decreases except for Africa (+15.1%), which reached 37.8% of the total: Europe and Eurasia (-32.2%), Central and South America (-9.6%), Middle East (-8.0%) and North America (-5.7%).

Monthly crude oil imports over the past 5 years



Crude oil import distribution January-November 2018



Source: Cores

Unit: thousands of tonnes

| | November 2018 | | | Year-to-date | | Rolling year | | |
|---------------------------------|---------------|------------|------------|--------------|------------|--------------|------------|------------|
| _ | Imports | VR (%) (*) | Weight (%) | Imports | VR (%) (*) | Imports | VR (%) (*) | Weight (%) |
| Canada | - | -100.0 | - | 1,137 | 26.1 | 1,214 | 21.9 | 1.8 |
| United States | 81 | -5.8 | 1.5 | 966 | 204.7 | 1,050 | 231.2 | 1.6 |
| Mexico | 876 | 14.1 | 15.8 | 8,572 | -7.0 | 9,041 | -9.2 | 13.5 |
| North America total | 957 | -5.7 | 17.2 | 10,675 | 2.3 | 11,305 | 0.3 | 16.9 |
| Brazil | 231 | -58.4 | 4.2 | 4,259 | 6.7 | 4,404 | 6.7 | 6.6 |
| Colombia | 150 | - | 2.7 | 755 | -19.2 | 755 | -30.3 | 1.1 |
| Trinidad and Tobago | - | - | - | - | -100.0 | - | -100.0 | - |
| Venezuela | 145 | 437.0 | 2.6 | 418 | -60.2 | 418 | -65.5 | 0.6 |
| Central and South America total | 526 | -9.6 | 9.5 | 5,432 | -9.8 | 5,577 | -13.8 | 8.3 |
| Azerbaijan | - | -100.0 | - | 948 | 11.7 | 1,039 | 10.5 | 1.5 |
| Georgia | - | - | - | 83 | -45.8 | 109 | -38.8 | 0.2 |
| Georgia | - | - | - | - | -100.0 | - | -100.0 | - |
| Kazakhstan | 478 | 57.2 | 8.6 | 4,195 | 4.0 | 4,579 | 6.8 | 6.8 |
| Norway | 88 | 22.2 | 1.6 | 1,471 | -34.2 | 1,872 | -19.7 | 2.8 |
| United Kingdom | 91 | - | 1.6 | 571 | -61.1 | 653 | -69.6 | 1.0 |
| Russia | - | -100.0 | - | 1,018 | -50.0 | 1,218 | -45.5 | 1.8 |
| Other Europe and Eurasia | 37 | -2.6 | 0.7 | 470 | 35.1 | 502 | 29.0 | 0.7 |
| Europe and Eurasia total | 694 | -32.2 | 12.5 | 8,756 | -21.8 | 9,972 | -20.7 | 14.9 |
| Saudi Arabia | 697 | 2.2 | 12.5 | 6,988 | 17.1 | 7,398 | 13.3 | 11.0 |
| Iraq | 584 | 102.1 | 10.5 | 4,262 | 9.1 | 4,408 | 2.5 | 6.6 |
| Iran | - | -100.0 | | 4,894 | 28.0 | 5,455 | 33.2 | 8.1 |
| Middle East total | 1,281 | -8.0 | 23.1 | 16,144 | 17.8 | 17,261 | 15.6 | 25.7 |
| Angola | 266 | 1.5 | 4.8 | 2,548 | -1.2 | 2,548 | -10.1 | 3.8 |
| Algeria | 98 | 16.7 | 1.8 | 921 | 4.5 | 1,001 | -1.1 | 1.5 |
| Cameroon | - | - | - | 356 | -46.5 | 356 | -46.5 | 0.5 |
| Congo | - | - | - | 234 | -37.4 | 234 | -53.1 | 0.3 |
| Egypt | 65 | -1.5 | 1.2 | 259 | -68.6 | 412 | -59.8 | 0.6 |
| Gabon | - | - | - | - | -100.0 | - | -100.0 | - |
| Eq. Guinea | - | - | - | 762 | 37.1 | 762 | 9.6 | 1.1 |
| Libya | 557 | -24.8 | 10.0 | 6,338 | 35.3 | 7,121 | 45.1 | 10.6 |
| Nigeria | 1,112 | 66.2 | 20.0 | 9,096 | 4.8 | 9,891 | 10.6 | 14.7 |
| Other Africa | - | - | | 631 | 172.0 | 631 | 172.0 | 0.9 |
| Africa total | 2,098 | 15.1 | 37.8 | 21,145 | 7.4 | 22,956 | 8.5 | 34.2 |
| Total | 5,556 | -4.8 | 100.0 | 62,152 | 1.8 | 67,071 | 1.0 | 100.0 |
| OPEC | 3,459 | 8.9 | 62.3 | 36,461 | 12.7 | 39,236 | 12.5 | 58.5 |
| Non-OPEC | 2,097 | -21.2 | 37.7 | 25,691 | -10.5 | 27,835 | -11.7 | 41.5 |
| OECD | 1,136 | 4.5 | 20.4 | 12,800 | -10.5 | 13,939 | -12.5 | 20.8 |
| Non-OECD | 4,420 | -6.9 | 79.6 | 49,352 | 5.6 | 53,132 | 5.3 | 79.2 |
| EU | 91 | | 1.6 | 654 | -59.6 | 762 | -67.2 | 1.1 |
| | V. | _ | 1.0 | 304 | 55.0 | .02 | V1.2 | |

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

Source: Cores

⁻ equals 0.0 / ^ other than 0.0