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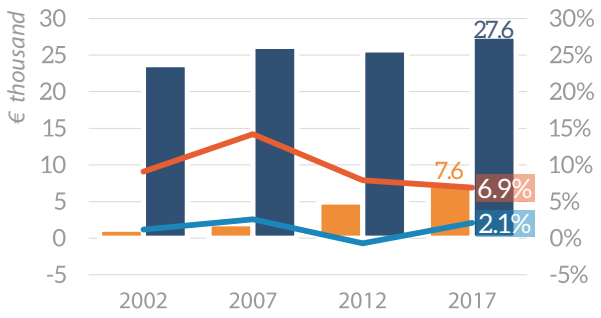
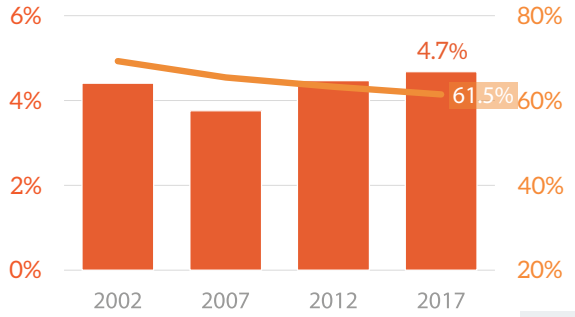
GDP per capita (€) and annual growth (%) in China and the EU-28



GDP per capita (left axis): China, EU-28

GDP growth (right axis): China, EU-28

China total unemployment and female labour market participation

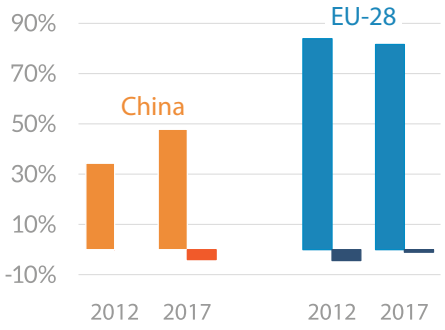


Total unemployment (left axis)

Female labour force participation (right axis)

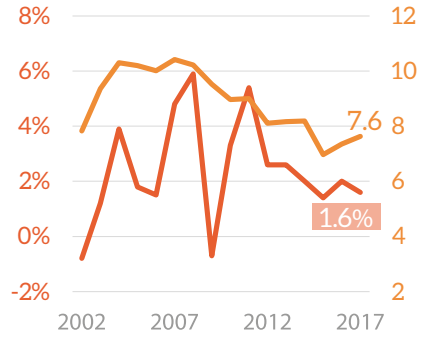
EU-28 (2017)	
7.6%	
51.0%	

Public finances, monetary and financial data



Public debt (% of GDP)

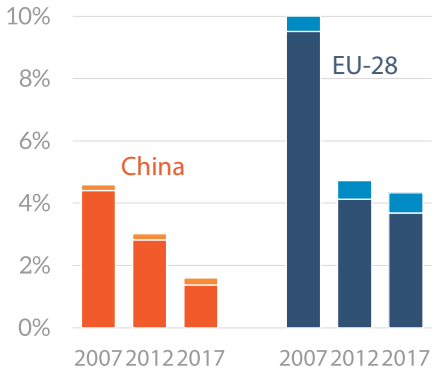
Surplus/deficit (% of GDP)



Renminbi/euro exchange rate (right axis)

China inflation rate (%, left axis)

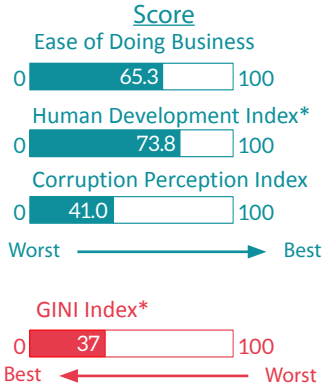
FDI and remittances to China and the EU-28



Remittances received (% of GDP)

FDI net inflows (% of GDP)

Chinese business environment and socio-economic indicators



Rank	
78/190	The **Ease of Doing Business'**s 'distance to frontier' score assesses the overall level of regulatory performance of a country. It ranges from 0='lowest performance' to 100='the frontier', the best performance observed worldwide each year.
90/188	The **Human Development Index** (HDI) measures the average achievement in key dimensions of human development. It is based on life expectancy at birth, average duration of education and GDP per capita. It ranges from 0 to 100. 'High human development countries' (UN) are in the range between 70 and 80.
77/180	The **Corruption Perception Index** measures the perceived levels of public–sector corruption worldwide. Scores range from 0 (highly corrupt) to 100 (very clean). In 2016, two thirds of countries scored below 50.
71/142	The **GINI Index** measures the deviation of the distribution of income among individuals or households within a country from a perfectly equal distribution. It is hence a measure of inequality in income distribution. A value of 0 represents absolute equality, a value of 100 absolute inequality.

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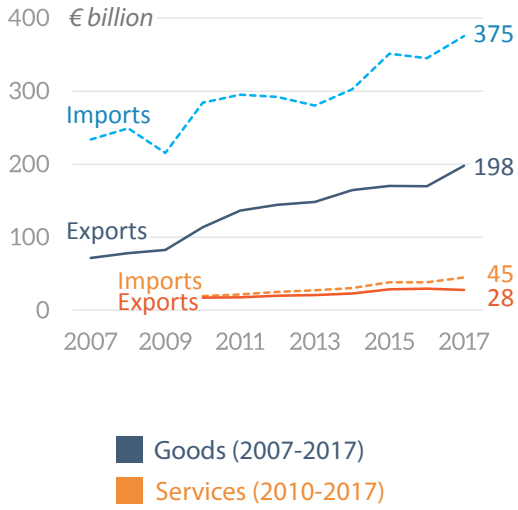
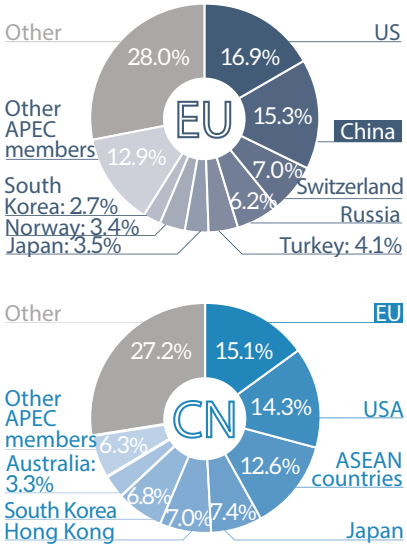
EU trade with China



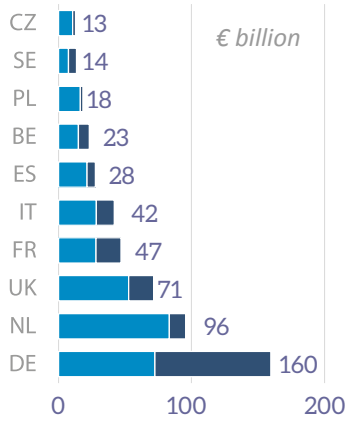
Main trade partners (2017)

Trade in goods, exports plus imports

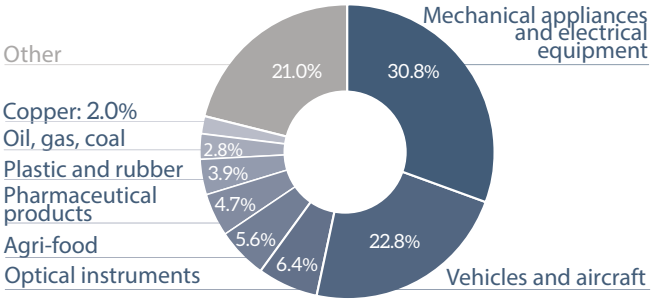


Top EU partners (2017)

Trade in goods



EU exports of goods to China (2017)



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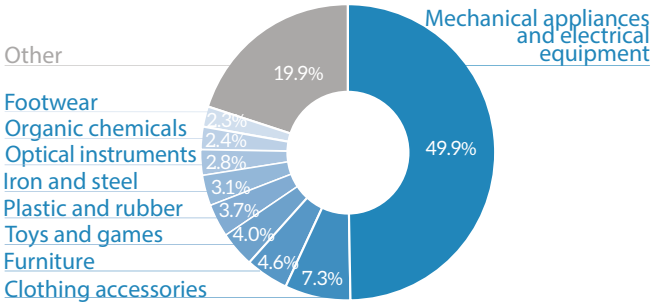

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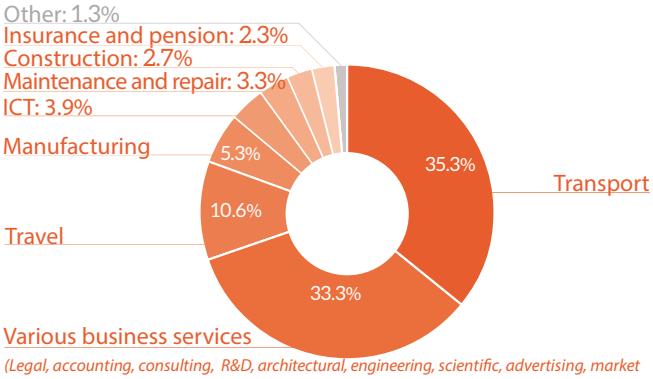

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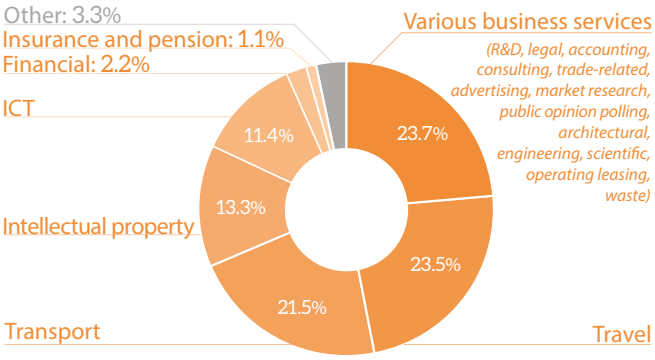

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Data sources for page 2: EU trade with China, Main trade partners (EU), Top EU partners (goods), EU exports of goods to China (%) and EU imports of goods from China (%) are from ComExt, Eurostat; Other APEC members = Australia, Brunei Darussalam, Canada, Chile, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Malaysia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Peru, Philippines, Singapore, South Korea, Thailand and Vietnam; Trade in services are from Eurostat; Main trade partners (China) are from IMF; ASEAN Countries = Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand and Vietnam; Other APEC members = Canada, Chile, Mexico, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Peru and Russia.

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