Natural rubber

Fibres & other raw materials

Latex tapped from the Hevea tree, coagulated into sheets or block rubber; two-thirds of it goes into tyres.

Key facts

World production, 2024
14.8 million tonnes

Top producer
Thailand, 32%

Top exporter, natural rubber (HS 4001), 2024
Thailand, 30% of export value

Benchmark price, September 2026
$2.41/kg
TSR20, SGX/SICOM; +39% over 12 months

Where it's traded
SGX SICOM TSR20 Rubber (TF); Osaka Exchange (JPX) RSS3 Rubber (RSS3); Shanghai Futures Exchange Natural Rubber (RU)

HS code
4001 Natural rubber, balata, gutta-percha, in primary forms or plates

FAOSTAT item
836 Natural rubber in primary forms

Also called
rubber, natural rubber latex, latex, TSR20, RSS3, hevea rubber

Top producers, 2024

Country	Tonnes	Share
Thailand	4.8 million	32%

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Indonesia	2.3 million	15%
Ivory Coast (Côte d'Ivoire)	1.7 million	11%
Vietnam	1.3 million	9%
China	877,600	5.9%

FAOSTAT Crops and livestock products (QCL), 2024.

Top exporters, 2024

Country	Export value	Share
Thailand	5.1 billion USD	30%
Indonesia	3.2 billion USD	19%
Ivory Coast (Côte d'Ivoire)	2.7 billion USD	16%
Vietnam	1.2 billion USD	7.4%
Malaysia	1.2 billion USD	6.9%

CEPII BACI international trade database (HS22, V202601).

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