



Plastics and rubber

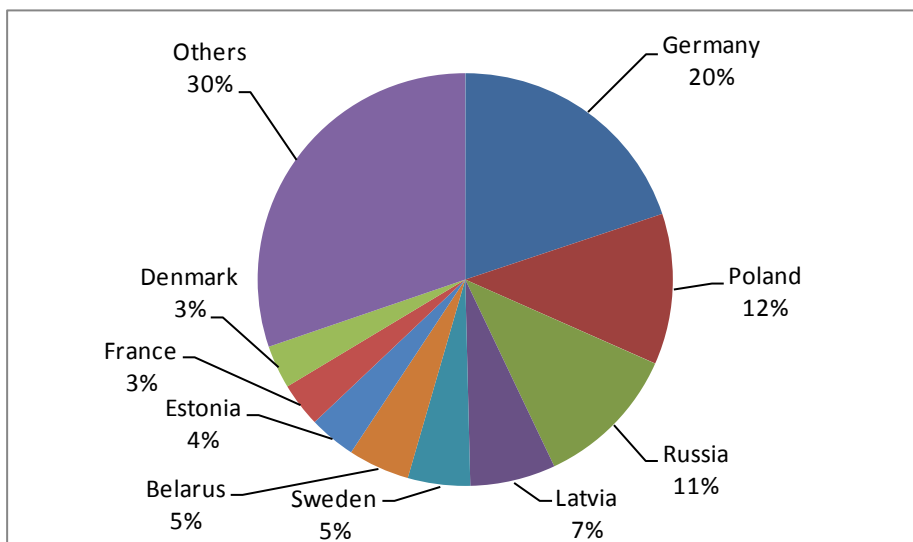
Key figures (2009)

Created added value	LTL 690,090,000 (€ 199,863,879)
Share in total created added value	0.8%
Number of companies*	367
Number of people employed	14,618
Share in total employment	1,3%
Export value	LTL 2,750,825,000 (€ 796,693,988)
Percentage of production exported	57.9%
Share in total Lithuanian exports	6.75%

* As of 1 January 2010

Source: Lithuanian Statistical Department

Export geography (2009)



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Why choose for Lithuanian products?

The Lithuanian plastics industry uses the highest quality raw materials available. Not in the last place because Lithuania has a long tradition in the recycling of plastics. Skilled labor and modern equipment allow Lithuanian plastics manufacturers to produce high quality products at relatively low production costs, giving Lithuanian plastic products an attractive price/quality ratio. Strict mechanisms of quality control are guaranteed by quality management systems. An increasingly growing number of companies are ISO certified.



Lithuania's export-oriented plastic manufacturers have gradually become leaders in the region with three large production plants. Lithuania's PET technologies are acknowledged worldwide. The Lithuanian trademark NEOPET® is recognized as a premium-quality brand.

The Lithuanian plastics industry is dominated by small and medium enterprises that are flexible and have the ability to respond quickly to changing market circumstances. Lithuania's advantageous geographic location

Lithuania's export-oriented plastics manufacturers (almost 58% of production is exported), already being leaders in the local industry, are also becoming leaders in the region with three large plants.

A dense network of research and development institutions provides the infrastructure for the development of new products and technologies for the plastics industry and educate. Together with two technical universities, the R&D centers are educating and training specialists for the Lithuanian plastics industry.

Type of activities

Manufacturing of plastic construction materials, automotive components from plastic, PET resin granulas, PET pre-forms, PET bottles, plastic caps and closures, plastic packaging materials.

Main exporting companies

UAB Plasta, UAB Putokšnis, UAB Plamega, UAB Salinta, UAB Indorama, UAB Orion global PET, UAB Retal Baltic and UAB Neo group.



Contact information

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