U.S. International Transactions, Year 2024: Historical Comparisons

[Billions of dollars]

Levels	2024	Most re	cent year	Most re	cent year	Previou	s record
	level	with higher value		with lower value		(if 2024 was a record)	
		Year	Level	Year	Level	Year	Level
Current-account deficit	1,133.621	none		2023	905.376	2022	1,012.098
As a percentage of U.S. gross domestic product	3.9%	2022	3.9%	2023	3.3%		
Goods and services trade deficit	917.835	2022	944.762	2023	784.890		
Goods trade deficit	1,212.989	none		2023	1,063.288	2022	1,179.941
Services trade surplus	295.154	2019	297.865	2023	278.398		
Primary income surplus	-8.890	2023	67.029	none		1960	3.378
Secondary income deficit	206.896	none		2023	187.515	2023	187.515
Exports of goods and services and income receipts	4,827.002	none		2023	4,645.183	2023	4,645.183
Exports of goods and services	3,190.606	none		2023	3,071.816	2023	3,071.816
Goods	2,083.247	2022	2,090.339	2023	2,045.221		
Services	1,107.358	none		2023	1,026.596	2023	1,026.596
Primary income receipts	1,434.713	none		2023	1,376.721	2023	1,376.721
Secondary income receipts	201.684	none		2023	196.646	2023	196.646
Imports of goods and services and income payments	5,960.624	none		2023	5,550.559	2023	5,550.559
Imports of goods and services	4,108.441	none		2023	3,856.707	2022	3,984.167
Goods	3,296.236	none		2023	3,108.509	2022	3,270.281
Services	812.205	none		2023	748.198	2023	748.198
Primary income payments	1,443.603	none		2023	1,309.692	2023	1,309.692
Secondary income payments	408.581	none		2023	384.160	2023	384.160
Capital-account balance	5.268	2017	12.394	2023	-6.320		
Net financial transactions	-1,268.840	2023	-924.123	none		2023	-924.123
Transactions in assets	855.854	2023	978.604	2022	747.109		
Transactions in liabilities	2,053.816	2007	2,190.087	2023	1,887.085		
Transactions in financial derivatives	-70.877	2023	-15.642	2022	-80.698		
Statistical discrepancy	-140.486	2023	-12.427	none		2019	-110.149

Changes in level	2024 change	Most recent year		Most recent year		Previous record	
		with higher value		with lower value		(if 2024 was a record)	
		Year	Change	Year	Change	Year	Change
Current-account deficit	228.245	2021	266.779	2023	-106.722		
As a percentage of U.S. gross domestic product	0.6%	2021	0.9%	2023	-0.6%		
Goods and services trade deficit	132.945	2021	194.379	2023	-159.872		
Goods trade deficit	149.701	2021	170.315	2023	-116.653		
Services trade surplus	16.756	2023	43.219	2022	0.059		
Primary income surplus	-75.919	2023	-48.930	none		2020	-69.683
Secondary income deficit	19.381	2022	44.327	2023	4.220		
Exports of goods and services and income receipts	181.819	2023	232.660	2020	-560.871		
Exports of goods and services	118.790	2022	468.603	2023	32.411		
Goods	38.026	2022	324.486	2023	-45.118		
Services	80.762	2022	144.117	2023	77.531		
Primary income receipts	57.992	2023	192.298	2020	-185.305		
Secondary income receipts	5.038	2023	7.950	2018	-11.935		
Imports of goods and services and income payments	410.065	2022	762.081	2023	125.938		
Imports of goods and services	251.734	2022	565.296	2023	-127.460		
Goods	187.727	2022	421.238	2023	-161.772		
Services	64.007	2022	144.057	2023	34.312		
Primary income payments	133.911	2023	241.228	2020	-115.623		
Secondary income payments	24.421	2022	57.830	2023	12.170		
Capital-account balance	11.588	2017	19.000	2023	-6.139		
Net financial transactions	-344.717	2023	-55.018	none		2019	-255.484
Transactions in assets	-122.750	2023	231.495	2022	-443.919		
Transactions in liabilities	166.731	2023	351.569	2022	-440.110		
Transactions in financial derivatives	-55.235	2023	65.056	2014	-56.557		
Statistical discrepancy	-128.059	2022	97.396	2023	-155.601	••••	

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Note. For more information, see "U.S. International Transactions, 4th Quarter and Year 2024."

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