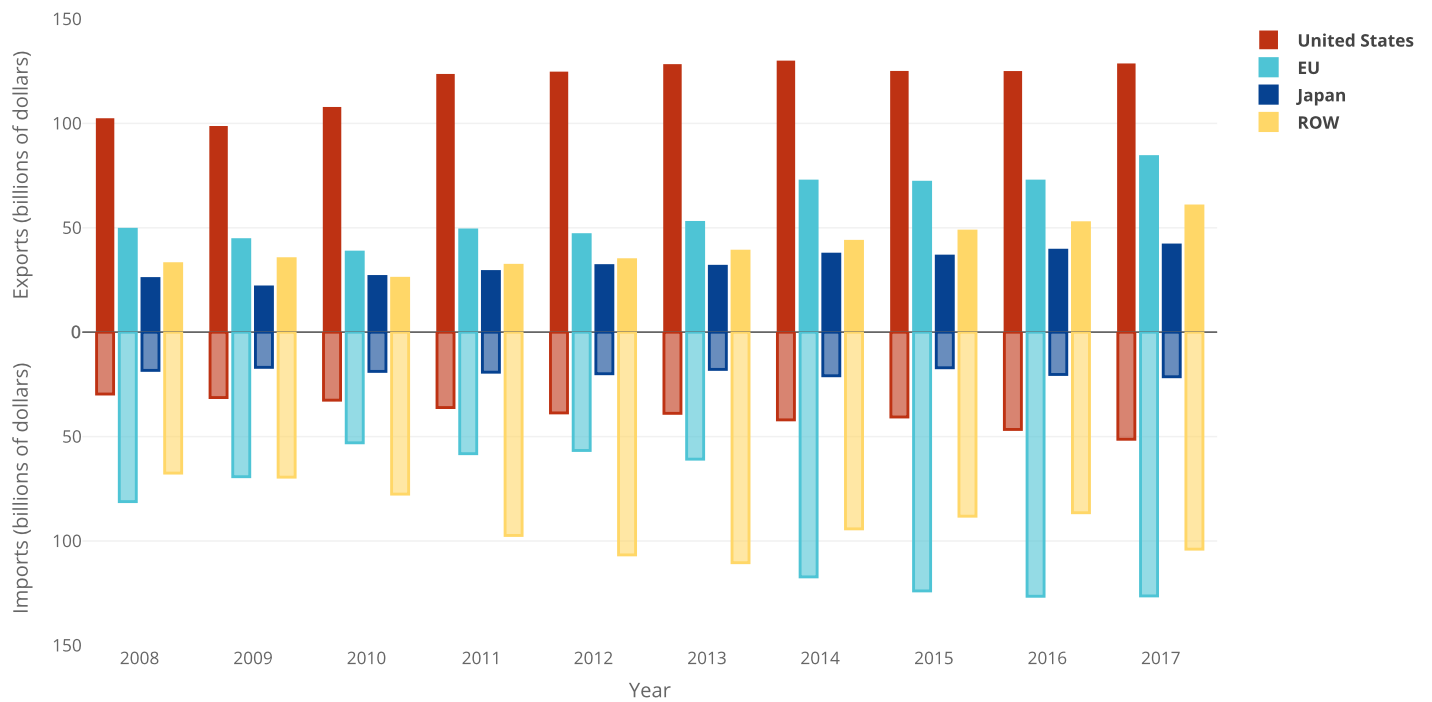


FIGURE 8-19

Exports and imports of intellectual property (charges for their use), by selected region, country, or economy: 2008–17



EU = European Union; ROW = rest of the world.

Note(s)

These are payments for the use of proprietary rights (such as patents, trademarks, copyrights, industrial processes and designs including trade secrets, franchises). These rights can arise from research and development, as well as from marketing. These charges also include those for licenses to reproduce or distribute intellectual property embodied in produced originals or prototypes (such as copyrights on books and manuscripts, computer software, cinematographic works, and sound recordings) and related rights (such as for live performances and television, cable, or satellite broadcast). EU exports do not include intra-EU exports. EU imports do not include intra-EU imports.

Source(s)

World Trade Organization, trade and tariff data, accessed 27 September 2019.

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