



European Semiconductor Industry Association

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Semiconductor sales in June 2015

Worldwide semiconductor sales in June 2015 amounted to US\$ 27.993 billion, the European Semiconductor Industry Association (ESIA) reported on August 3. The report is based on the latest sales data released by WSTS. The worldwide sales figure represents a 0.4% decrease from May. In Europe, semiconductor sales followed a similar pattern: in June sales amounted to US\$ 2.826 billion, down 1.7% from May. All growth figures represent a three month rolling average.

Despite the overall decline there were – compared to May - areas of growth in Europe. This is true in particular for MOS microcontroller units and for the MOS DSP product categories. In addition the memory market showed good growth, for example for total MOS Drams and for NOR Flash.

Looking at application-specific chips, sales of semiconductor devices designed to be used in automotive, wired communication and consumer applications performed particularly well in June.

On Euro basis semiconductor sales in Europe were at € 2.556 billion in June 2015, down 2.9% from May. Looking at year-on-year growth, Euro-Dollar exchange rates have still a significant impact on the sales picture. On US dollar basis sales in Europe declined by 11.5% whereas on Euro basis sales increased by 9.8%.

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Monthly European Semiconductor Sales in Billion Euro (3-month-average data)

Market data for the 3 month moving average ending:								
Region	sales (in billions)		Month on Month growth		Year on Year growth		YTD growth	
	May 15	Jun 15	May 15	Jun 15	May 15	Jun 15	May 15	Jun 15
in \$:								
Europe	2.874	2.826	-0.5%	-1.7%	-7.8%	-11.5%	-6.4%	-7.8%
Americas	5.622	5.533	0.2%	-1.6%	11.4%	5.6%	12.5%	9.9%
Japan	2.539	2.565	-0.1%	1.0%	-11.8%	-13.6%	-11.0%	-11.6%
Asia Pacific	17.075	17.069	3.4%	0.0%	8.2%	6.4%	8.1%	7.2%
of which China	8.080	8.128	3.9%	0.6%	9.4%	7.8%	11.6%	10.5%
World	28.110	27.993	2.0%	-0.4%	4.8%	2.0%	5.2%	3.9%
In EURO:								
Europe	2.631	2.556	0.0%	-2.9%	16.5%	9.8%	15.3%	13.3%
Rate (\$/Euro)	1.116	1.121	-18.8%	-17.6%	< Euro against \$ versus prev. Year			

Monthly European Semiconductor Sales Development (in Euro)



Note:

3/12=Percent change of a three month period compared to a similar period twelve months before

12/12= Percent change of a twelve month period compared to a similar period twelve months before

Semiconductor sales worldwide and in Europe (in US Dollars)



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On a 12/12 basis, i.e. on the basis of the percent change of a 12 month period compared to a similar period twelve months before

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About ESIA: *The European Semiconductor Industry Association (ESIA) is the voice of the Semiconductor Industry of Europe. Its mission is to represent, promote and defend the common interests of the Europe based semiconductor industry towards the European Institutions and stakeholders in order to ensure a sustainable business environment and foster its global competitiveness. As a provider of key enabling technologies the industry creates innovative solutions for industrial development, contributing to economic growth and responding to major societal challenges. Being ranked as the most R&D intensive sector by the European Commission, the European Semi-conductor ecosystem supports approx. 200.000 jobs directly and up to 1.000.000 induced jobs in systems, applications and services in Europe. Overall, micro- and nano-electronics enable the generation of at least 10% of GDP in Europe and the world.*

About WSTS: *World Semiconductor Trade Statistics (WSTS) is a non-profit organization of 62 semiconductor companies representing close to 80% of the world semiconductor market. Founded in 1986, WSTS is the singular source for monthly industry shipment statistics. The mission of WSTS is to be the respected source of semiconductor market data and forecast. <http://www.wsts.org/>*