

Belgium

EXPORTS MEAN JOBS

Belgian companies' exports outside the EU are worth €139 billion in 2017.
And this keeps 923 thousand Belgian workers busy...

Exports from Belgium to countries outside the EU support **713 thousand** jobs in Belgium.

Another **210 thousand** Belgian workers are in jobs linked to exports from other EU countries to countries outside the EU.

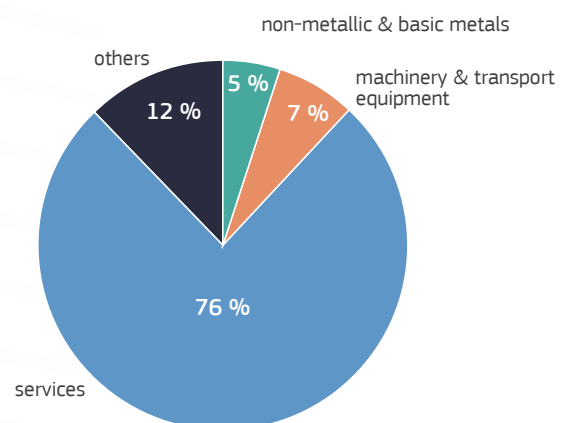
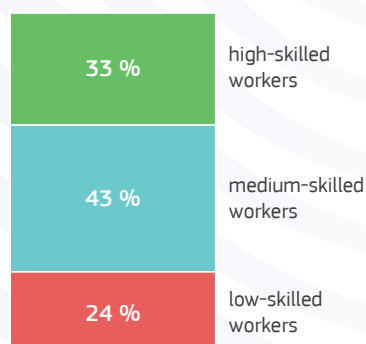
This means **20 % of jobs** in Belgium depend on EU exports.

Belgian exports to countries outside the EU also support over **336 thousand** jobs in the rest of the EU.

Exports create **opportunities for everyone**.



In Belgium, most people in export-related jobs are **medium-skilled** workers.



More than three quarters of export-related jobs in Belgium are in services.

Exports keep the Belgian services industry strong.

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