

**The volume of** production of rubber and plastic products in January 2024 amounted to **25.6 billion tenge**, which is **6.7%** higher than the figure for the same period in 2023.

In the production of rubber and plastic products during the analyzed period, the main share was made up of plastic plates, sheets, pipes and profiles - **38%**, plastic packaging for goods - **20%**, construction plastic products - **16%**, other plastic products - **18%**, other rubber products - **8%**.

**The physical volume index** for the analyzed period was **94.3%**, which is associated with a decrease in the production of pipes, tubes, sleeves and hoses, and their fittings made of plastic (-4.3%).

**Exports** of rubber and plastic products in value terms for January-December 2023 compared to the same period in 2022 increased **by 75.9%** and amounted to **\$362.0 million**. The main volume of rubber and plastic goods was exported to Russia (**80.1%**), **Kyrgyzstan (7.8%)** and **Uzbekistan (5.5%)**.

**Imports** of rubber and plastic goods for January-December 2023 amounted to **\$2,454.4 million**, which is **17.9%** more than the same period in 2022. The main volume of imports of rubber and plastic goods came from **China (30%)**, **Russia (29%)**, **Germany (5%)**.

**The market volume** of rubber and plastic products for January-December 2023 amounted to **USD 3,065.7 million** (KZT 1,398.9 billion), which is **7%** more than the same period in 2022. There is a decrease in production (-2.6% by 2022), the **share of OTP** decreased by 7.4 percentage points. and amounted to **20%**, which is primarily due to the growth of imports (+17.9%). The share of imported products was 80%.

The largest volume of production of rubber and plastic products in January 2024 **is noted in the following regions:** Almaty region. (21.1%), Astana (16.4%), Almaty (12.9%), Karaganda region. (7.8%), Aktobe region. (7%).