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to the Commission**

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Subject: EU-China trade

Trade relations between the EU and China are experiencing a very positive momentum. However, there is still a considerable disproportion in terms of imports/exports between the EU as a whole and China, as well as significant differences in the figures for imports/exports between the different Member States and China.

In order to have a clear picture of exactly how things stand today, could the Commission please provide the following information:

1. a breakdown by Member State of total import and export exchange with China in 2012;
2. the top 20 EU companies, and the top 20 Chinese ones, in terms of EU-China trade relations;
3. the same information for the first months of 2013, if available.