

FREIGHT BRITAIN

£350bn

value of UK export goods in 2018, up 3 per cent on the previous year

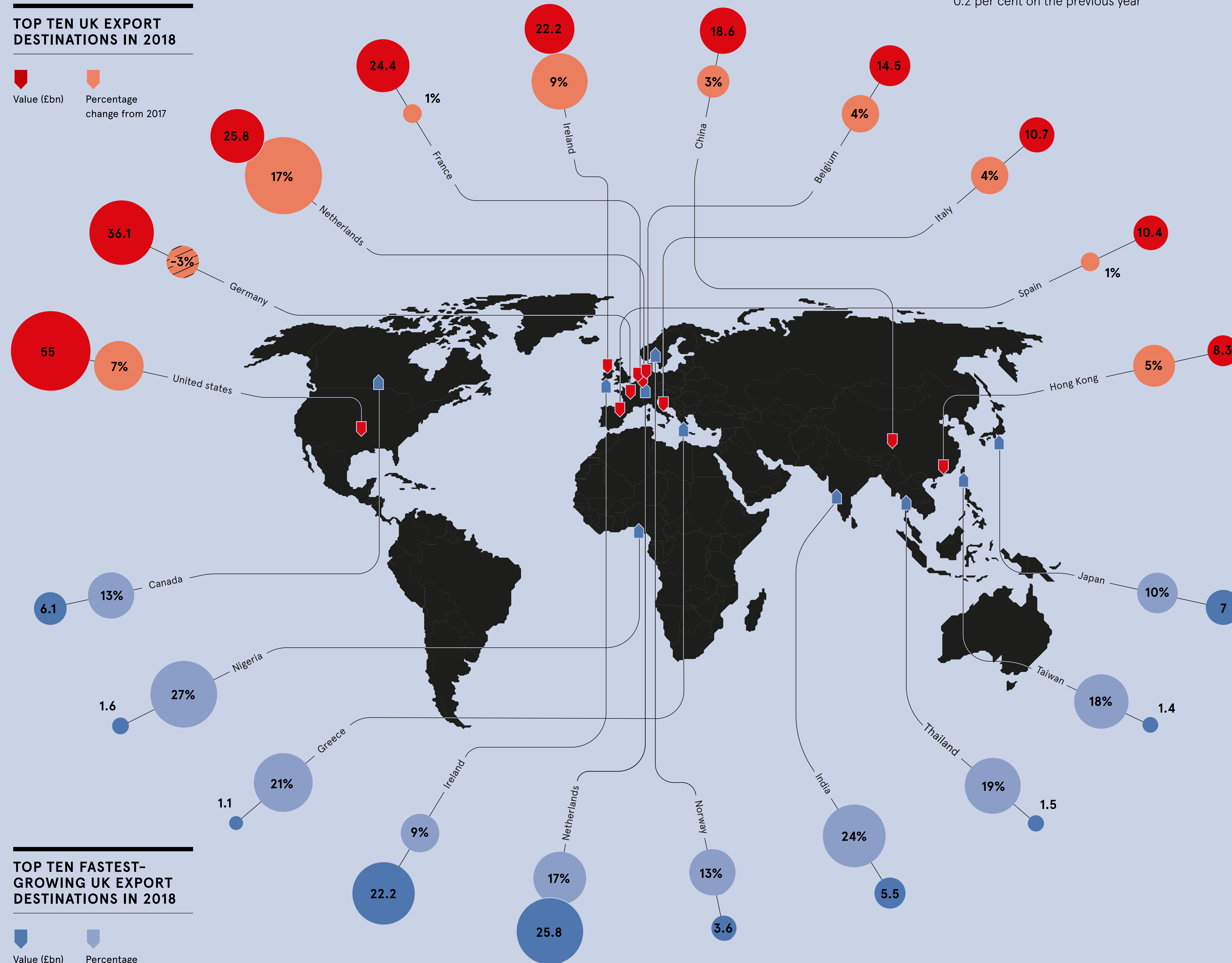
£279bn

value of UK export services in 2018, up 0.2 per cent on the previous year

The importance of exports to the national economy cannot be ignored, with outbound goods and services worth around a third of total UK GDP combined. This infographic explores the most valuable exports to come from the UK, and which countries are buying the most

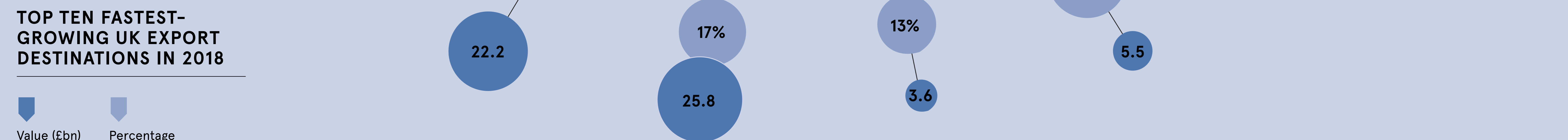
TOP TEN UK EXPORT DESTINATIONS IN 2018

Value (£bn) Percentage change from 2017



TOP TEN FASTEST-GROWING UK EXPORT DESTINATIONS IN 2018

Value (£bn) Percentage change from 2017



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TEN BIGGEST UK EXPORT GOODS

Trade value of UK exports in 2018 worldwide

72.3

Nuclear reactors and machinery

54.6

Vehicles, other than railway or tramway

47.4

Precious/semi-precious stones and metals

43.7

Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products

42.0

Motor vehicles

31.8

Gold, unwrought or semi-manufactured

31.8

Metals

30.0

Pharmaceutical products

28.8

Electrical machinery and equipment

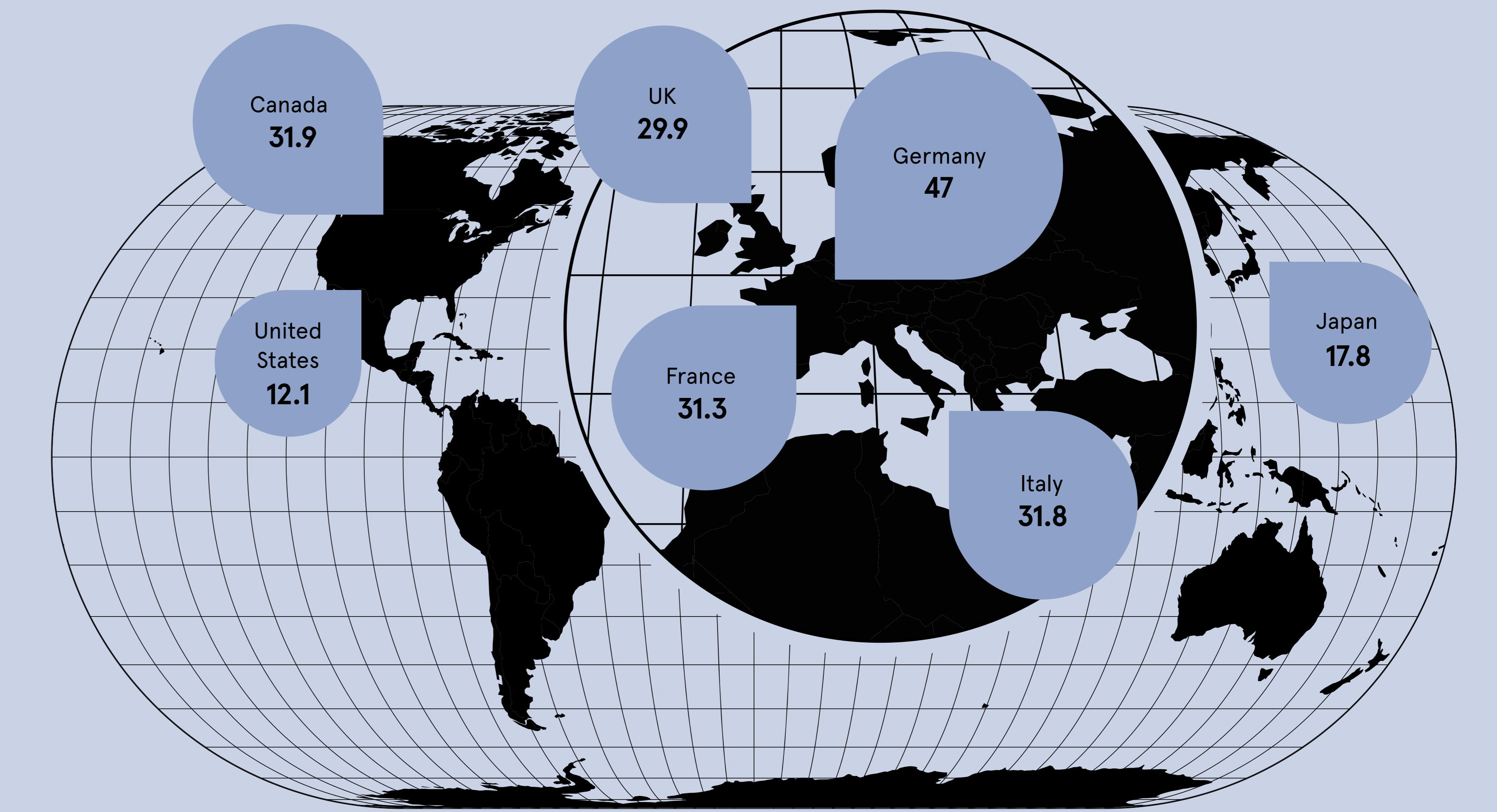
24.9

Turbo-jets/propellers and turbines

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WHICH G7 NATION RELIES MOST ON EXPORTS?

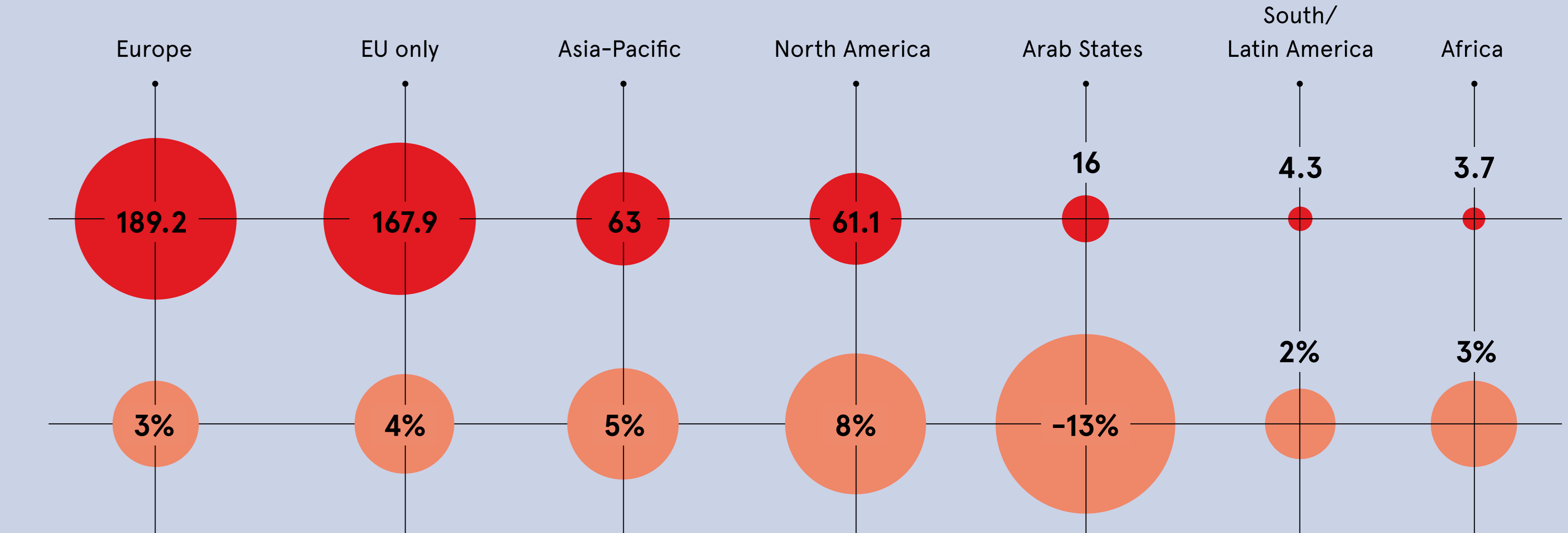
Exported goods and services as a percentage of GDP



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LARGEST REGIONS BY UK EXPORT VALUE IN 2018

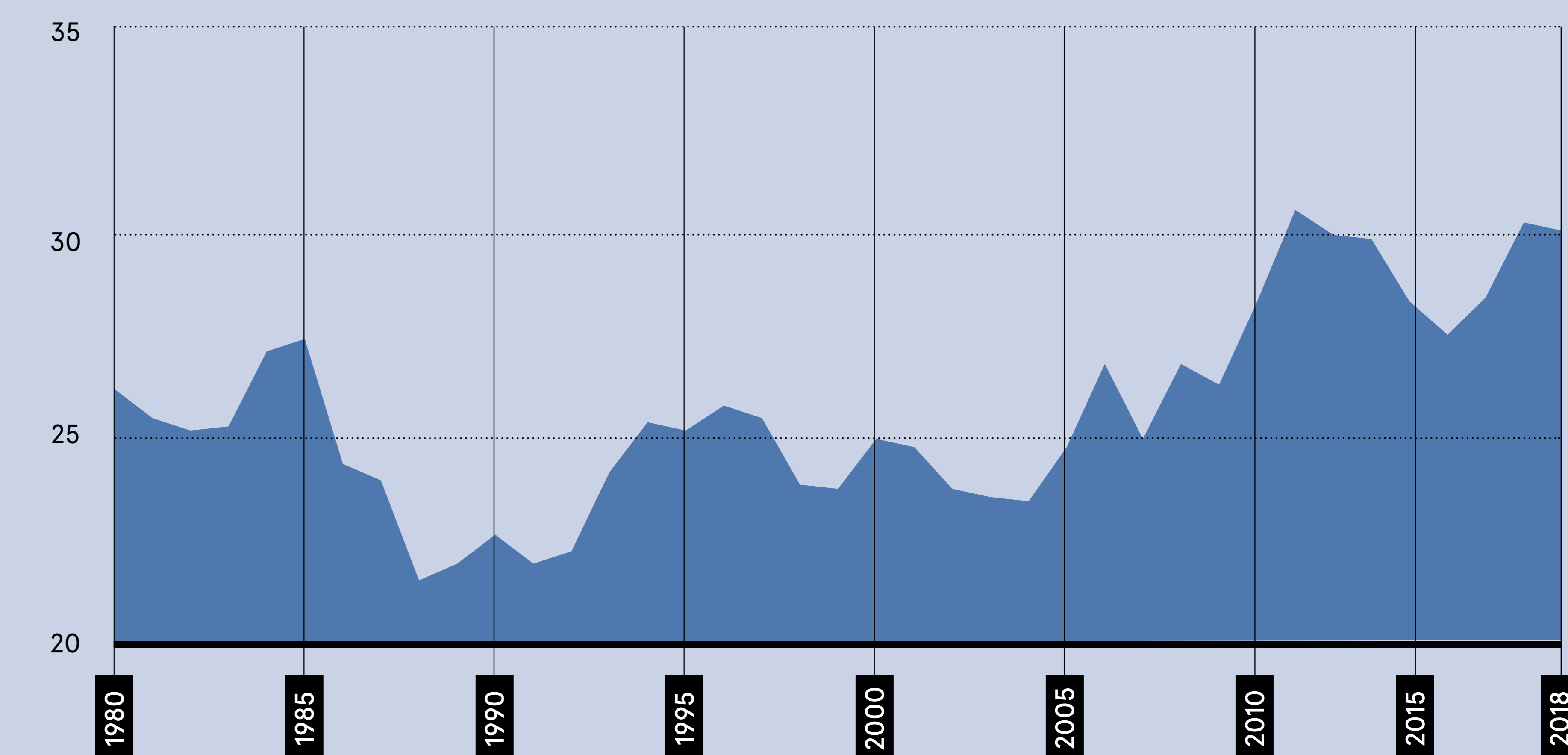
Value (£bn) Percentage change from 2017



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UK EXPORTS TIMELINE

Exported goods and services as a percentage of GDP



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