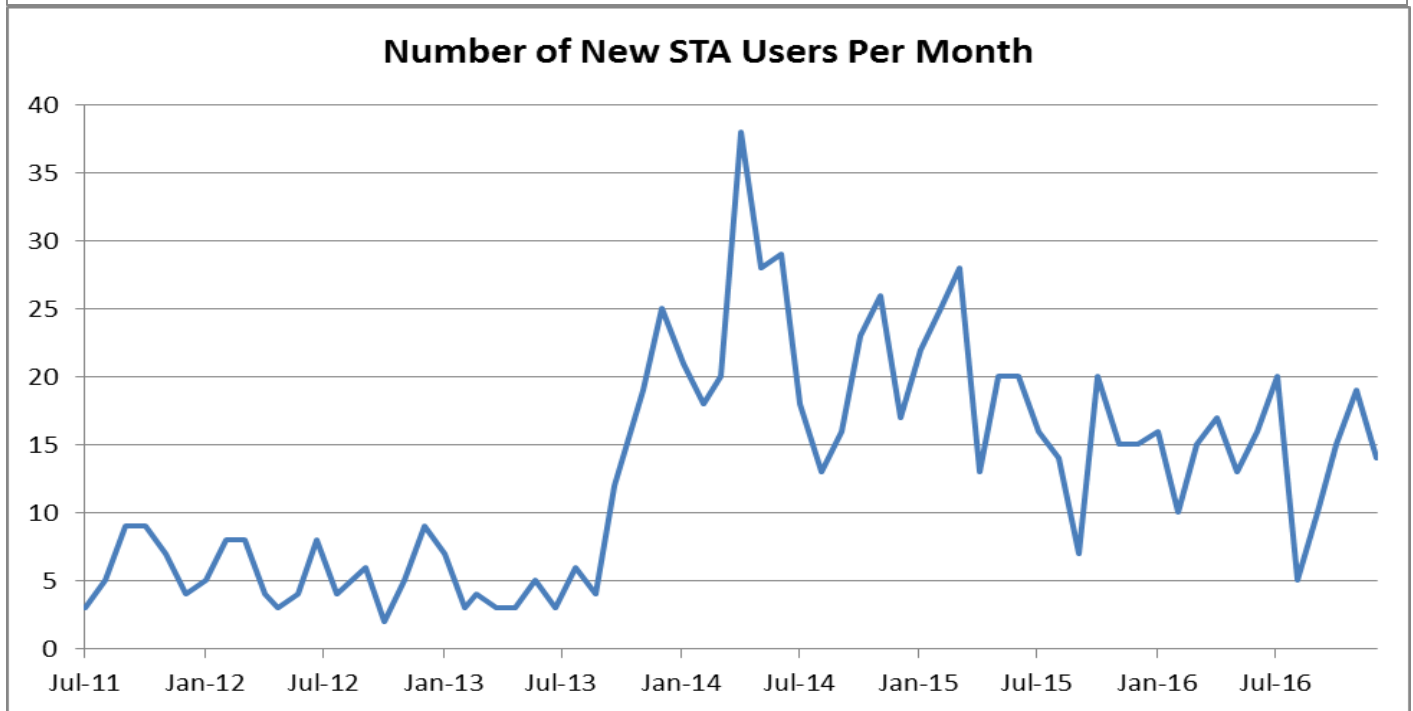
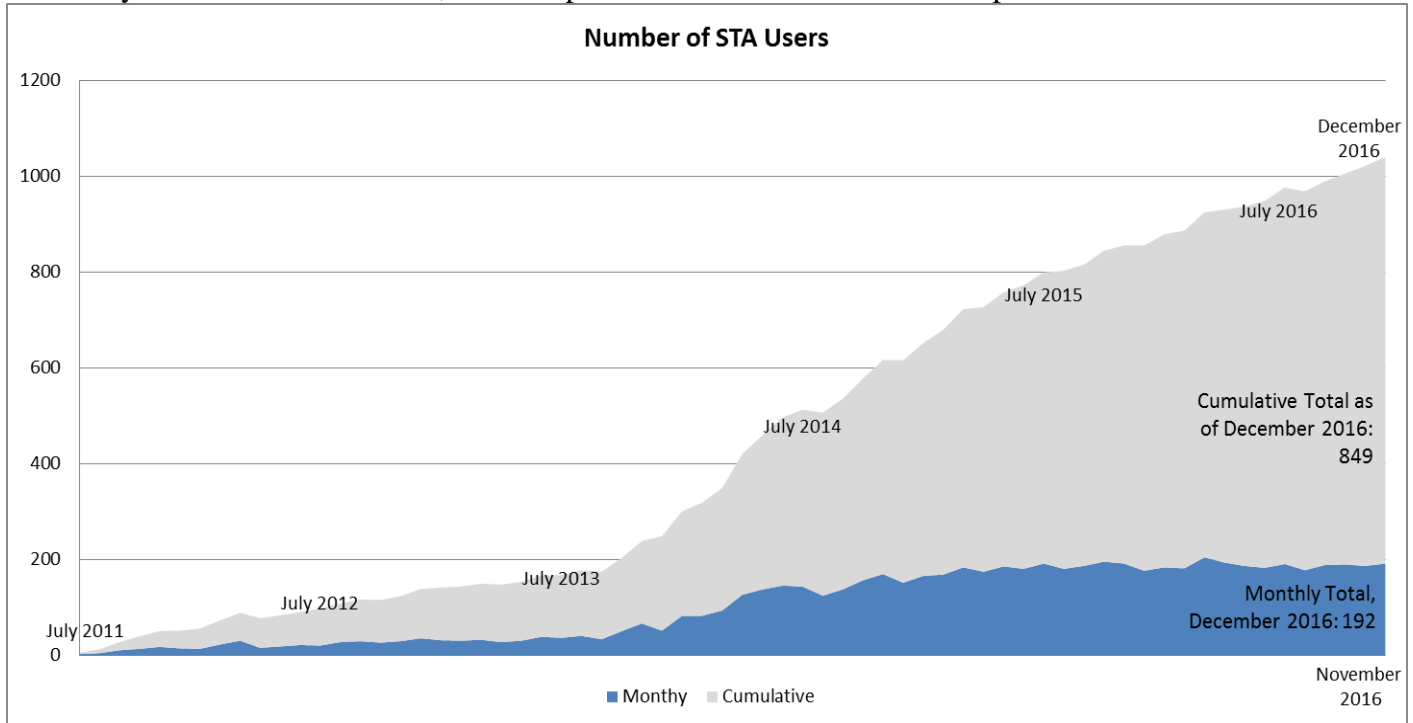


**BIS License Exception Statistics
Strategic Trade Authorization (STA) Exports
July 2011 – December 2016**

I. Companies Using STA

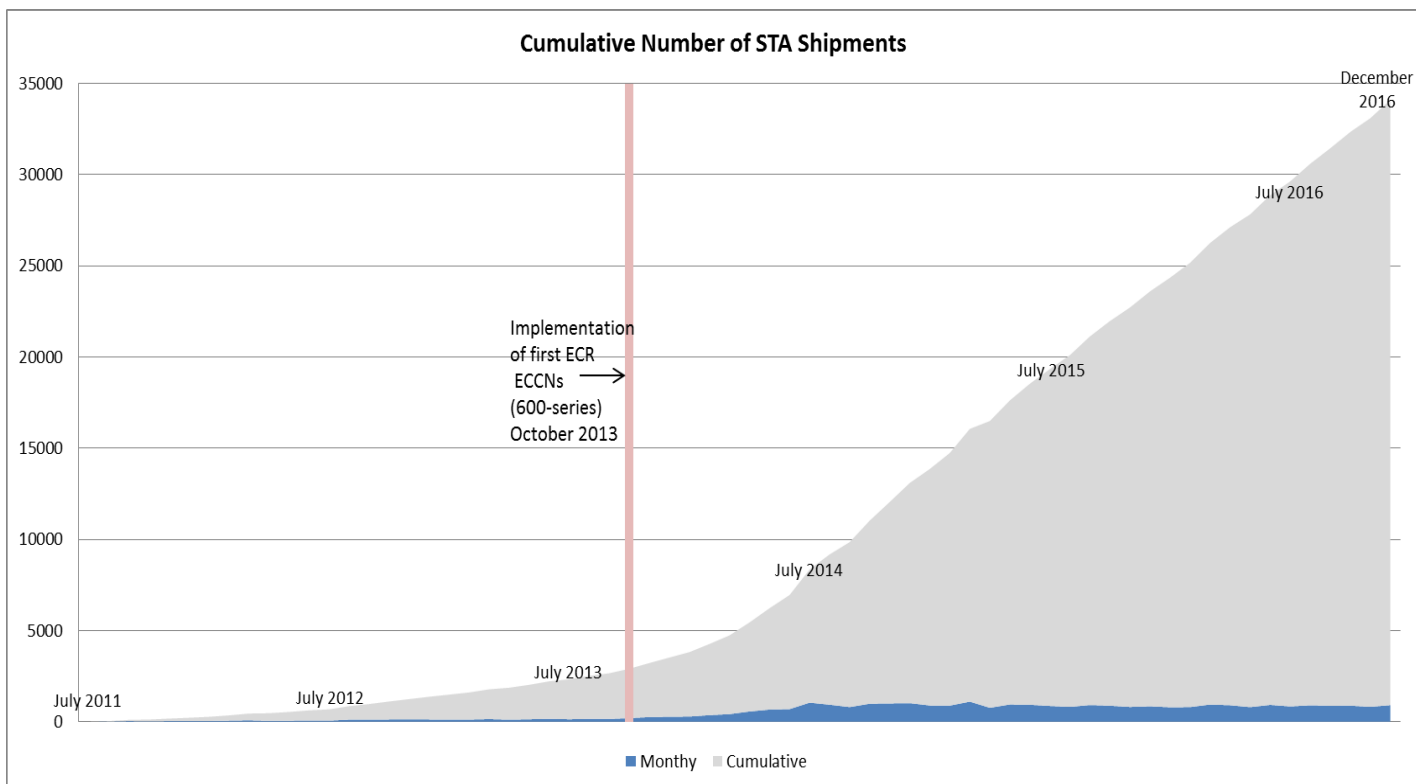
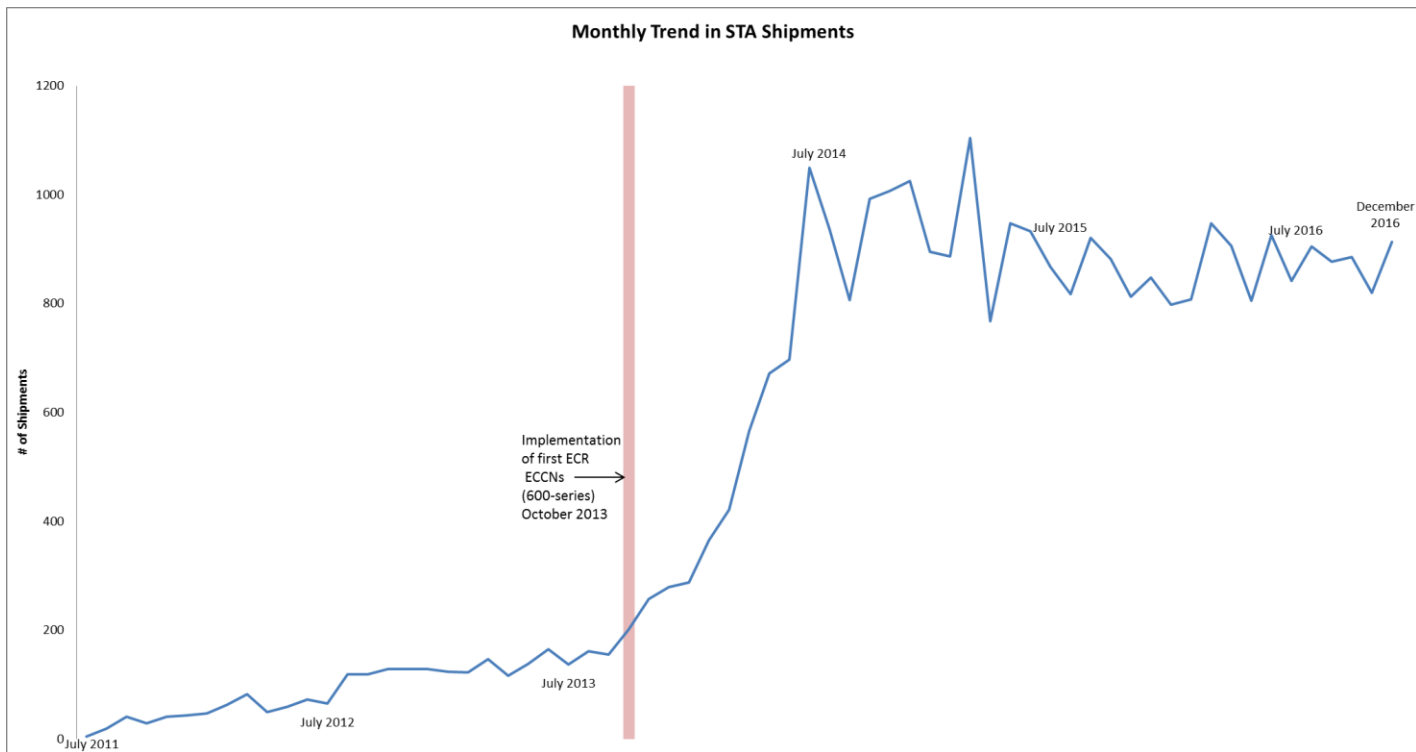
From July 2011 - December 2016, 849 companies used the STA license exception.



Source: The U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Automated Export System, January 2017

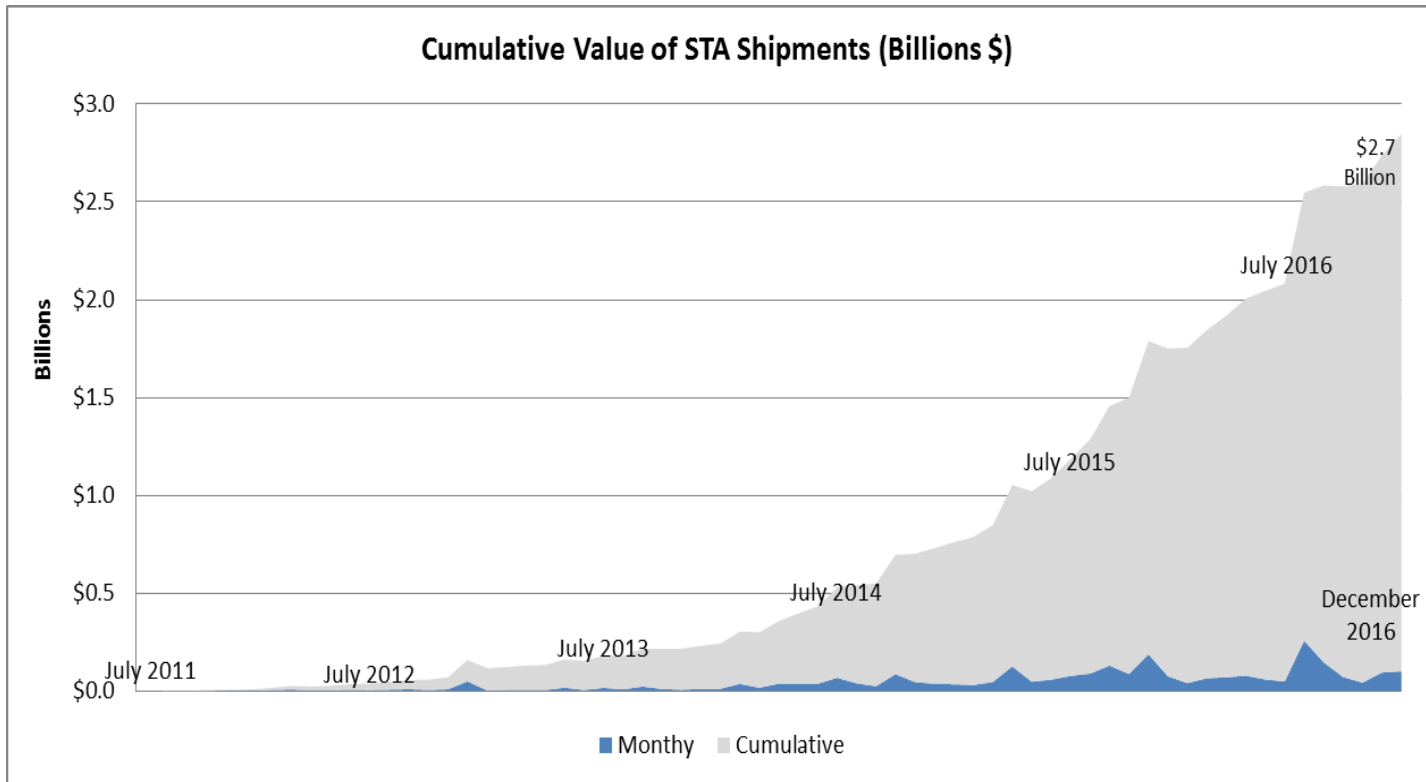
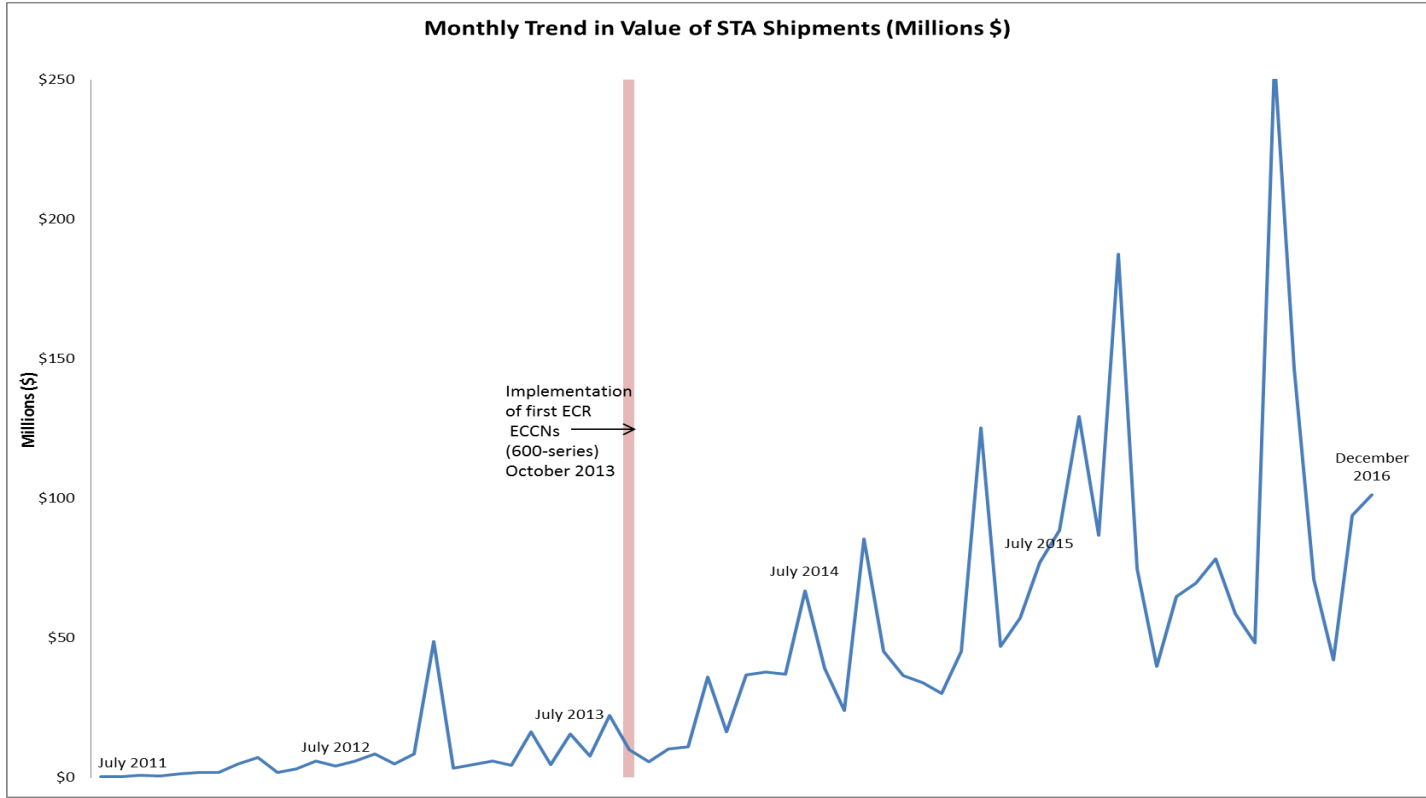
II. STA Shipments

From July 2011 - December 2016, there were 33,185 shipments exported under STA license exception. Of these shipments, 10,469 (31.5 percent) were less than \$2,500.



Source: The U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Automated Export System, January 2017

From July 2011 - December 2016, the value of exports under STA license exception was \$2.7 billion.



Source: The U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Automated Export System, January 2017

Top ECCNs Exported Under STA License Exception, July 2011-December 2016

<u>ECCN</u>
9A610
9A619
6A003
9A012
0A987
3A611
9A515
9A004
0A606

Top ECCNs Exported to 36 STA (c)(1) Countries, July 2011-December 2016

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9A610
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Top ECCNs Exported to Eight STA (c)(2) Countries , July 2011-December 2016

<u>ECCN</u>
9A012
6A005
1C008
3A001
3C004
3A002
1C010
6A002

Source: The U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Automated Export System, January 2017

*Authorized Destinations Country Group A:5, 15 CFR 740.20 (c) (See Attachment 1 for list of countries)

**Authorized Destinations Country Group A:6, 15 CFR 740.20 (c) (See Attachment 1 for list of countries)

Top Destinations of Items Exported Under STA License Exception, July 2011-December 2016

Country	# of Shipments	Value (millions)
Japan	6,543	\$985.5
South Korea	3,783	\$286.3
United Kingdom	2,831	\$165.0
Netherlands	1,985	\$44.7
Australia	1,883	\$78.4
Turkey	1,845	\$63.2
Sweden	1,773	\$20.5

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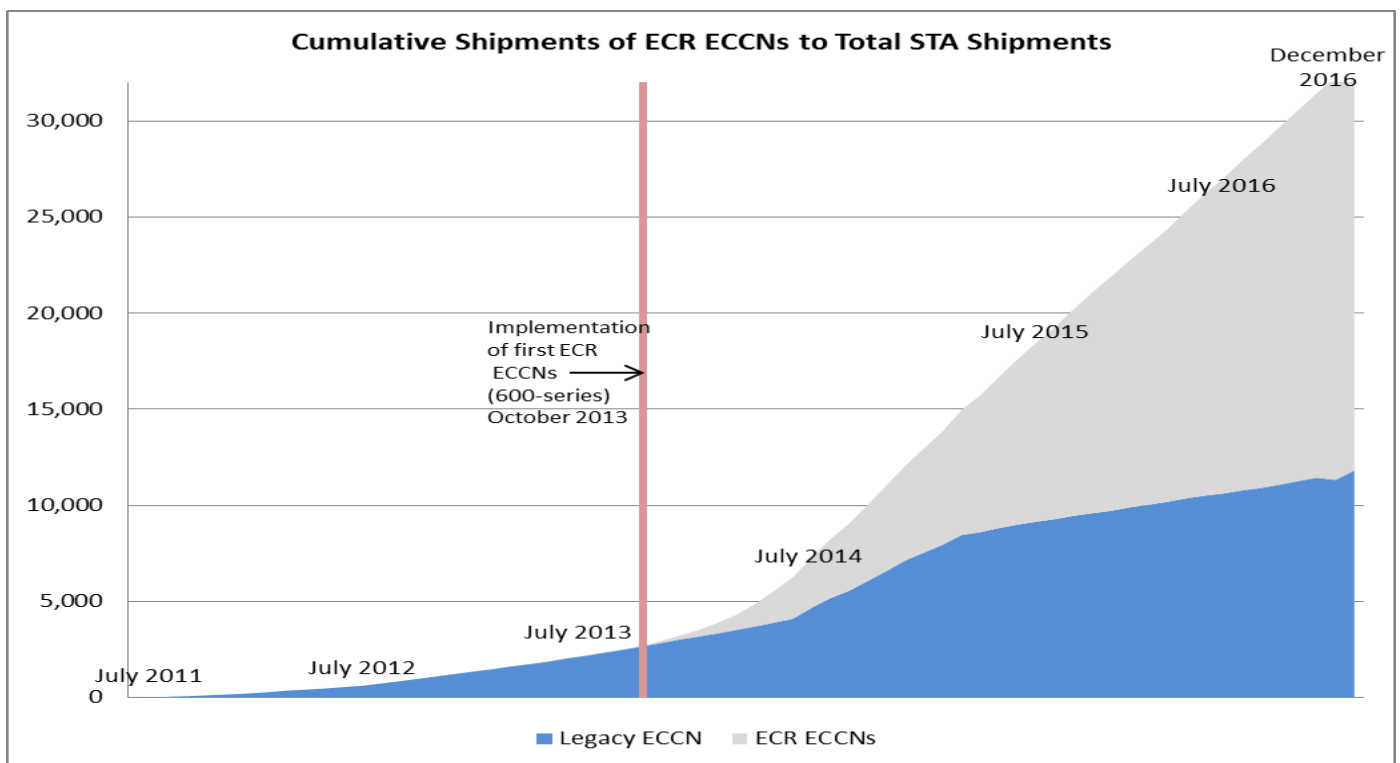
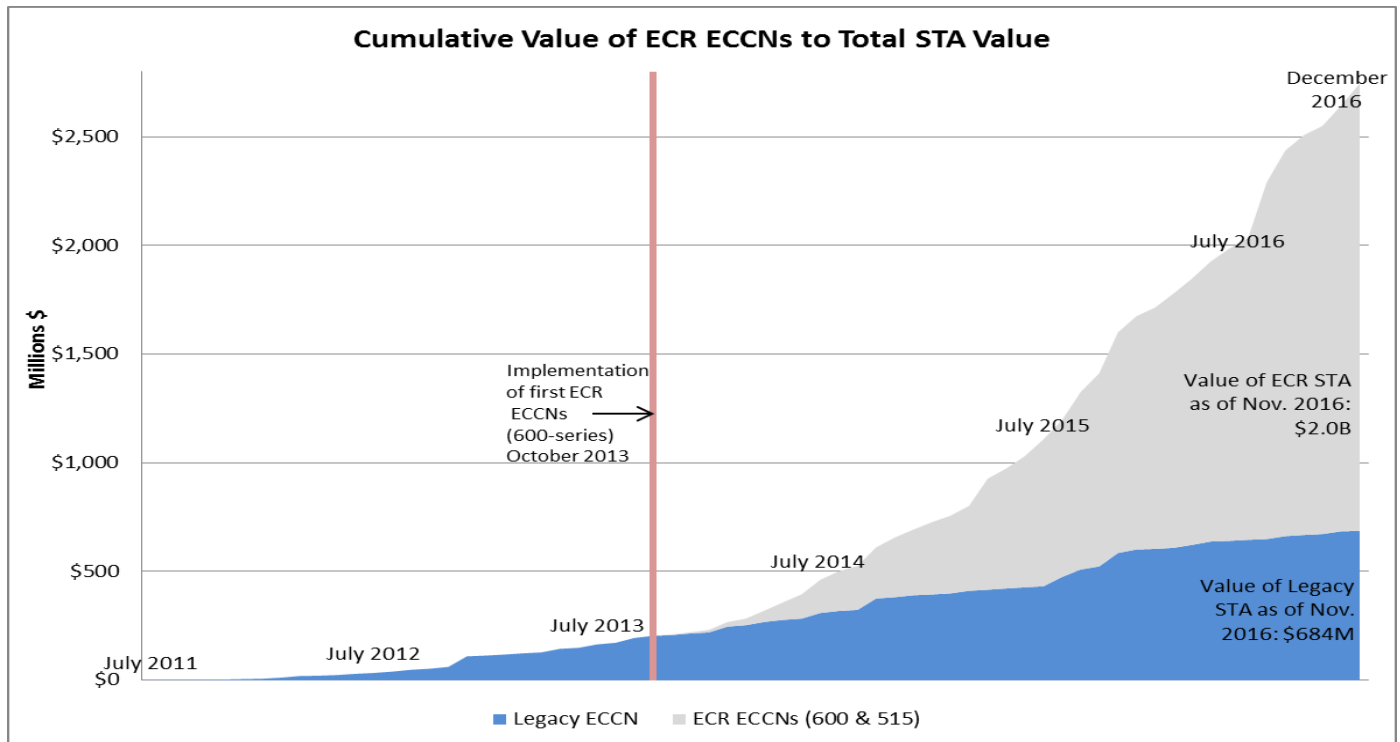
Country	# of Shipments	Value (millions)
Taiwan	602	\$102.5
Israel	371	\$48.8
Singapore	353	\$63.8
India	212	\$10.3
South Africa	117	\$1.3
Hong Kong	67	\$0.5

Of the 44 countries eligible for shipments under the STA license exception, two countries have not been recipients of STA shipments: Albania and Malta.

III. 600-Series and 9x515 STA Exports

From October 2013 – December 2016, there were 21,634 exports of 600-series and 9x515 items under the STA license exception worth \$2.0 billion by 597 exporters (70.3 percent of all STA users).

- 11 of the 14 new STA users for December 2016 only exported 600-series items.



Source: The U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Automated Export System, January 2017

*Top 600-Series ECCNs Items Exported Under STA License Exception
October 2013 – December 2016*

ECCN	# of Shipments	Value (millions)
9A610	10,814	\$769.4
9A619	6,597	\$337.0
3A611	1,734	\$338.4
9A515	693	\$497.5
0A606	290	\$6.1
1A613	270	\$54.8
9A604	200	\$24.6

*Top Destinations of 600-Series Items Exported Under STA License Exception,
October 2013 – December 2016*

Country	# of Shipments	Value (millions)
Japan	5,731	\$920.4
South Korea	3,343	\$279.9
United Kingdom	2,182	\$151.8
Turkey	1,796	\$60.0
Netherlands	1,376	\$25.9
Australia	1020	\$71.6
Italy	951	\$41.2

Source: The U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Automated Export System, January 2017

IV. STA Ultimate Consignees

From July 2011 - December 2016, there were 4,886 ultimate consignees that received items exported under the STA license exception.

- Of these ultimate consignees, 3,257 (66.7 percent) received one-time shipments.
- 362 ultimate consignees received ten or more shipments under the STA license exception.
- 997 ultimate consignees received 600-series and 9x515 items under the STA license exception.

*Countries with the Largest Number of Ultimate Consignees
Receiving STA Shipments, July 2011-December 2016*

Country	# of Consignees	# of Shipments
Sweden	564	1,773
Australia	535	1,883
United Kingdom	415	2,831
France	302	1,226
Japan	302	6,543
Germany	287	1,170
Switzerland	247	826
South Korea	220	3,783
Italy	164	1,250
Netherlands	153	1,985

Source: The U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Automated Export System, January 2017

ATTACHMENT 1

Authorized Destinations pursuant to 15 CFR 740.20 (c)

Country Group A:5

36 STA (c)(1) Countries

Argentina	AR	Germany	DE	Norway	NO
Australia	AU	Greece	GR	Poland	PL
Austria	AT	Hungary	HU	Portugal	PT
Belgium	BE	Iceland	IS	Romania	RO
Bulgaria	BG	Ireland	IE	Slovakia	SK
Canada	CA	Italy	IT	Slovenia	SI
Croatia	HR	Japan	JP	South Korea	KR
Czech Republic	CZ	Latvia	LV	Spain	ES
Denmark	DE	Lithuania	LT	Sweden	SE
Estonia	EE	Luxembourg	LU	Switzerland	CH
Finland	FI	Netherlands	NL	Turkey	TR
France	FR	New Zealand	NZ	United Kingdom	GB

Country Group A:6

8 STA (c)(2) Countries

Can ONLY receive ECCNs with NS and AT reasons for control.

Albania	AL
Hong Kong	HK
India	IN
Israel	IL
Malta	MT
Singapore	SG
South Africa	ZA
Taiwan	TW