



The Central Market of Thessaloniki is situated in the Western part of the city of Thessaloniki and specifically at the 7th klm of the Thessaloniki – Athens National Road. It covers a total area of 250.000 m². The Wholesale Fruit and Vegetable Market has been operating since February 1975. It has 280 stores which are included in 4 main areas of 70 stores each. Merchandise movement on a yearly basis is up to 430.000 tons of fruit and vegetable. At the premises of the Wholesale Meat Market 24 enterprises have been operating since June 2003. Merchandise movement on a yearly basis is 3.600 tons of meat. At the site of the Market there is one bank, the 4th Export Customs and the State Chemical Institute.

Central Market is managerically and economically autonomous and is under the supervision of the Ministry of Development. It is managed by an 11- member Board of Directors. It plays an important role in the transport of fruit, vegetables and meat both inside the country and abroad. The goal of the Market is to facilitate the transport of fruit and vegetables and meat, and to be of assistance to the producer, merchant and consumer.

The ultimate goal is the modernization of the market and the enlargement of the produce in merchandise to all directions. At this point through programs, financed by the Greek Government and our Market, we are trying to expand our activities and cooperate with other countries of the region, like Bulgaria and FYROM.

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