



AGRI-FOOD TRADE STATISTICAL FACTSHEET

European Union - EPA Cariforum

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The details of the **product categories** referred to in this factsheet are available on: http://ec.europa.eu/agriculture/trade-analysis/statistics/outside-eu/2015/product-classes-details_en.pdf

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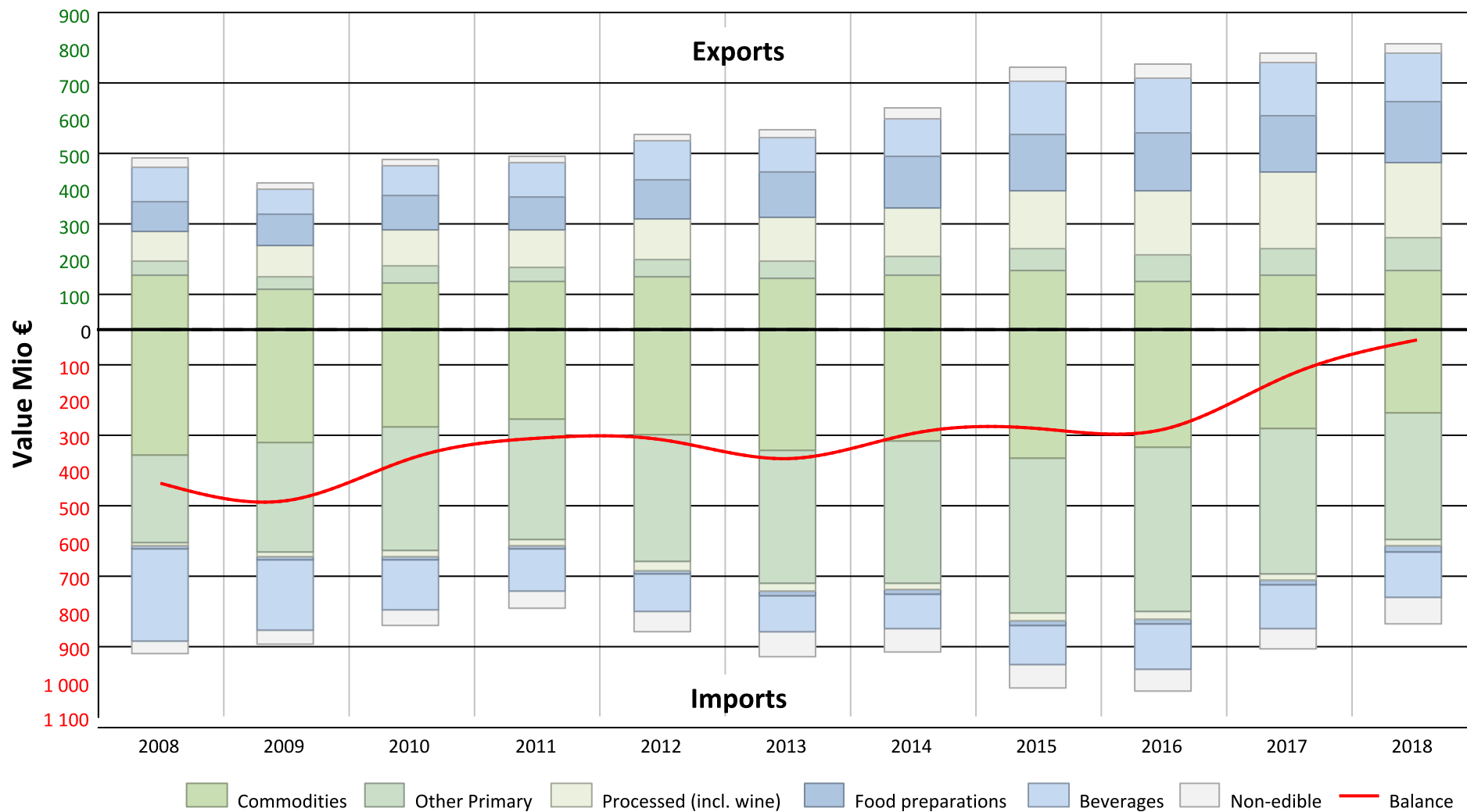
1. Selection of indicators

Trade indicators

	Unit	Exports	Imports	Balance
EU28 Agri-food trade with EPA Cariforum				
Agri-food trade value	Mio €	811	839	-28
- as share of EU28 total Agri-food trade	(%)	0.6	0.7	
- as share of EU28 total trade with EPA Cariforum	(%)	15.8	21.5	
% change 2017 - 2018		3.4	-7.8	
Annual rate of change from 2008 - 2018	(%)	5.3	-0.9	
EU28 total trade with EPA Cariforum				
Total trade value	Mio €	5 123	3 909	1 214
- as share of EU28 total trade	(%)	0.3	0.2	
EU28 world trade				
Total trade value	Mio €	1 955 746	1 980 361	-24 615
Total Agri-food trade	Mio €	137 528	116 310	21 218
- as share of EU28 total trade	(%)	7.0	5.9	-86.2

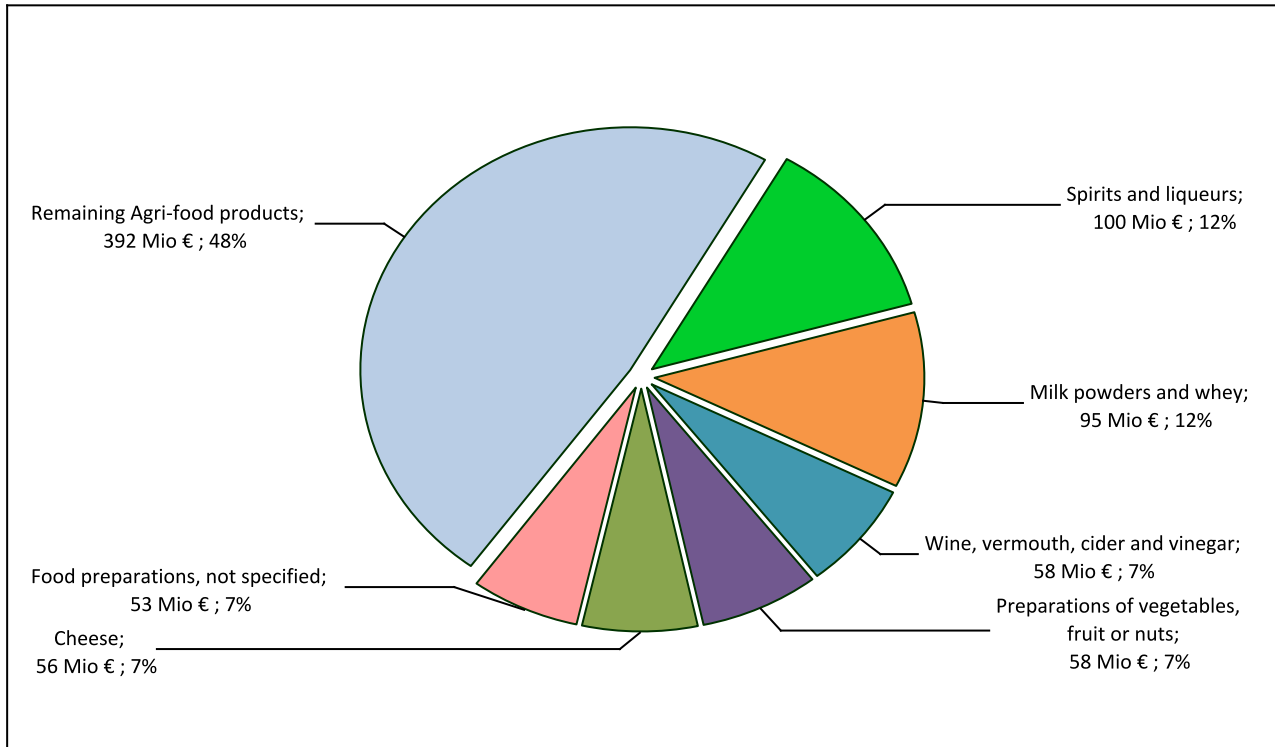
EU Agri Food trade with: EPA Cariforum

2. Structure of EU Agri-food trade with EPA Cariforum, 2008 - 2018



3. EU Agri-food EXPORTS to EPA Cariforum by product category

Top EU Agri-food exports to EPA Cariforum in 2018



Evolution of 20 top EU Agri-food exports to EPA Cariforum, 2014 - 2018

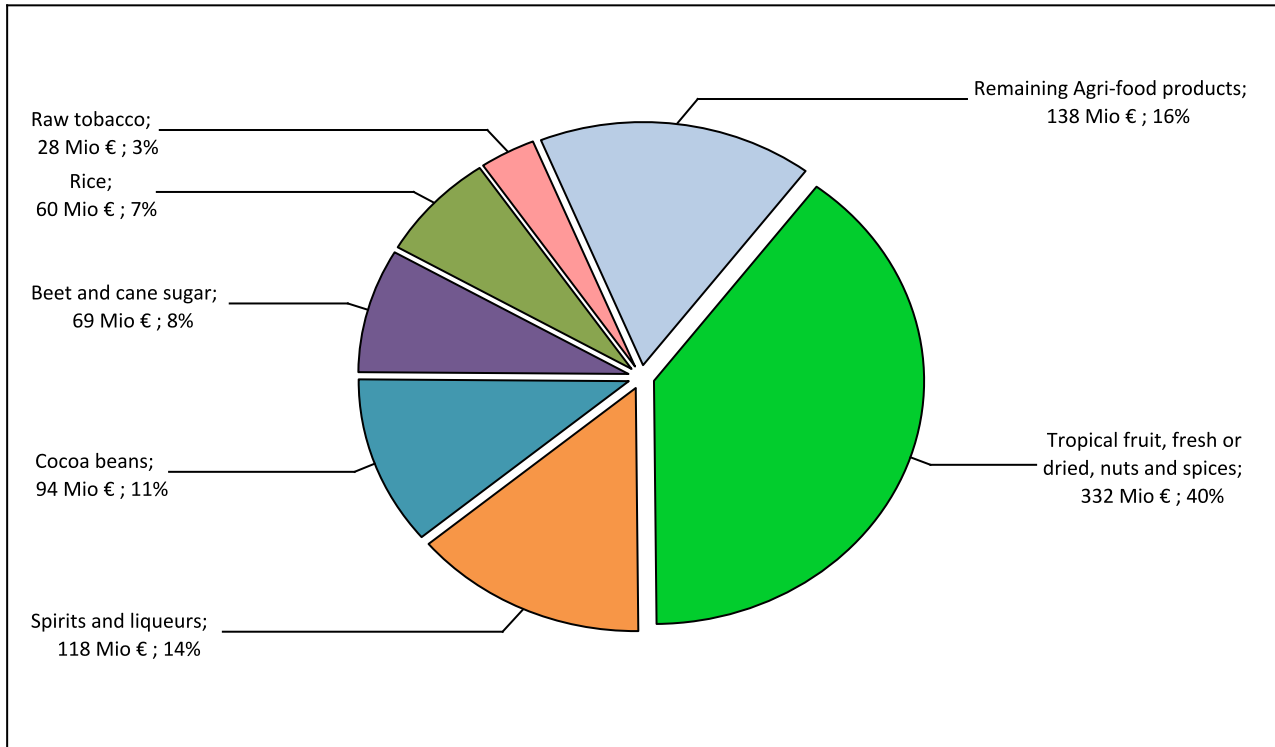
		Exports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	Share in all Agri 2018	Change 2017-2018
1	Spirits and liqueurs	75	104	103	103	100	12.3	-2.9
2	Milk powders and whey	84	89	73	88	95	11.7	8.0
3	Wine, vermouth, cider and vinegar	39	49	47	51	58	7.2	13.7
4	Preparations of vegetables, fruit or nuts	40	45	51	58	58	7.2	0.0
5	Cheese	34	39	50	57	56	6.9	-1.8
6	Food preparations, not specified	36	42	51	47	53	6.5	12.8
7	Infant food and other cereals, flour, starch or milk preparations	53	41	43	44	45	5.5	2.3
8	Vegetables, fresh, chilled and dried	23	27	30	31	40	4.9	29.0
9	Pet food	19	27	27	28	29	3.6	3.6
10	Pasta, pastry, biscuits and bread	25	27	25	26	26	3.2	0.0
11	Waters and soft drinks	21	35	33	28	20	2.5	-28.6
12	Fresh milk and cream, buttermilk and yoghurt	8	9	14	15	20	2.5	33.3
13	Vegetable oils other than palm & olive oils	16	18	17	18	19	2.3	5.6
14	Meat preparations	10	14	16	17	19	2.3	11.8
15	Chocolate, confectionery and ice cream	12	13	14	15	16	2.0	6.7
16	Malt	28	33	18	14	15	1.8	7.1
17	Olive oil	9	12	14	16	13	1.6	-18.8
18	Beer	8	8	10	11	11	1.4	0.0
19	Butter	4	5	6	7	9	1.1	28.6
20	Poultry meat, fresh, chilled and frozen	5	6	7	6	9	1.1	50.0
	Remaining Agri-food products	78	97	102	105	101	12.5	-3.8

Evolution of EU Agri-food exports to EPA Cariforum, 2014 - 2018

	Exports						
	Value Mio €					%	
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	Share in all Agri 2018	Change 2017-2018
Agri Food	626	742	750	784	811	100.0	3.4
Agricultural food and feed products	342	394	394	444	471	58.1	6.1
- Commodities	151	165	136	152	164	20.2	7.9
-- Wheat	5	3	3	2	4	0.7	100.0
-- Cereals, other than wheat and rice	1	1	1	1	1	0.1	0.0
-- Rice	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Flours and other products of the milling industry	2	3	3	7	6	0.8	-14.3
-- Malt	28	33	18	14	15	1.9	7.1
-- Starches, inulin & gluten	1	1	2	1	2	0.3	100.0
-- Soyabeans	0	0	0		0	0.0	
-- Oilseeds, other than soyabeans	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Palm & palm kernel oils	0	0	1	1	0	0.0	-100.0
-- Vegetable oils other than palm & olive oils	16	18	17	18	19	2.4	5.6
-- Oilcakes	1	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Other feed and feed ingredients	1	1	1	2	2	0.3	0.0
-- Beet and cane sugar	4	3	4	3	3	0.4	0.0
-- Sugar, other than beet & cane	0	1	1	4	3	0.4	-25.0
-- Milk powders and whey	84	89	73	88	95	11.7	8.0
-- Butter	4	5	6	7	9	1.1	28.6
-- Gums, resins and plant extracts	3	4	6	1	2	0.3	100.0
-- Unroasted coffee, tea in bulk & mate	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Cocoa beans	0	0			0	0.0	
-- Cocoa paste and powder	1	1	2	2	2	0.3	0.0
-- Agricultural commodities, not specified	0	0	0	0	1	0.3	
- Other primary	55	64	73	77	94	11.6	22.1
-- Live animals	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Bovine meat, fresh, chilled and frozen	1	1	2	2	2	0.3	0.0
-- Pork meat, fresh, chilled and frozen	5	6	6	9	7	0.9	-22.2
-- Poultry meat, fresh, chilled and frozen	5	6	7	6	9	1.1	50.0
-- Sheep and goat meat, fresh, chilled and frozen	0	0	0	1	1	0.1	0.0
-- Offal, animal fats and other meats, fresh, chilled and frozen	2	4	3	3	3	0.4	0.0
-- Fresh milk and cream, buttermilk and yoghurt	8	9	14	15	20	2.5	33.3
-- Eggs and honey	1	2	1	1	1	0.1	0.0
-- Vegetables, fresh, chilled and dried	23	27	30	31	40	4.9	29.0
-- Fruit, fresh or dried, excl. citrus & tropical fruit	3	2	2	2	3	0.4	50.0
-- Citrus fruit	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Tropical fruit, fresh or dried, nuts and spices	3	4	4	4	5	0.6	25.0
-- Miscellaneous seeds and hop cones	3	3	3	3	4	0.5	33.3
-- Agricultural primary food products, not specified							
- Processed (incl. wine)	136	165	185	214	213	26.3	-0.5
-- Meat preparations	10	14	16	17	19	2.3	11.8
-- Cheese	34	39	50	57	56	6.9	-1.8
-- Olive oil	9	12	14	16	13	1.6	-18.8
-- Preparations of vegetables, fruit or nuts	40	45	51	58	58	7.2	0.0
-- Fruit juices	3	4	4	13	7	0.9	-46.2
-- Wine, vermouth, cider and vinegar	39	49	47	51	58	7.2	13.7
-- Roasted coffee and tea	2	2	3	3	3	0.4	0.0
Food preparations and beverages	256	309	317	312	312	38.5	0.0
- Food preparations	148	156	164	164	174	21.5	6.1
-- Chocolate, confectionery and ice cream	12	13	14	15	16	2.0	6.7
-- Infant food and other cereals, flour, starch or milk	53	41	43	44	45	5.5	2.3
-- Pasta, pastry, biscuits and bread	25	27	25	26	26	3.2	0.0
-- Soups and sauces	3	3	3	3	3	0.4	0.0
-- Coffee and tea extracts	1	1	2	1	2	0.3	100.0
-- Food preparations, not specified	36	42	51	47	53	6.5	12.8
-- Pet food	19	27	27	28	29	3.6	3.6
- Beverages	108	153	153	148	138	17.0	-6.8
-- Waters and soft drinks	21	35	33	28	20	2.5	-28.6
-- Beer	8	8	10	11	11	1.4	0.0
-- Spirits and liqueurs	75	104	103	103	100	12.3	-2.9
-- Odoriferous substances	5	6	7	6	7	0.9	16.7
Non-edible	28	38	39	28	28	3.5	0.0
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-- Raw hides, skins and furskins	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Non-edible animal products	0	0	0	1	0	0.0	-100.0
-- Wool and silk		0					
-- Cotton, flax and hemp, and plaiting materials	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Cut flowers and plants	0	1	1	1	1	0.1	0.0
-- Bulbs, roots and live plants	2	3	3	3	4	0.5	33.3
-- Raw tobacco	2	2	3	2	7	1.3	250.0
-- Cigars and cigarettes	9	8	6	6	9	1.1	50.0
-- Fatty acids and waxes	1	3	1	2	1	0.1	-50.0
-- Sugar alcohols	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Essential oils	1	1	1	1	1	0.1	0.0
-- Ethanol	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Casein, other albuminoidal substances and modified starches	1	2	1	2	2	0.3	0.0
-- Non-edible, not specified	10	16	21	11	4	0.5	-63.6
-- Products non-attributable	0	1	1	0	0	0.0	

4. EU Agri-food IMPORTS from EPA Cariforum by product category

Top EU Agri-food imports from EPA Cariforum in 2018



Evolution of 20 top EU Agri-food imports from EPA Cariforum, 2014 - 2018

		Imports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	Share in all Agri 2018	Change 2017-2018
1	Tropical fruit, fresh or dried, nuts and spices	368	404	427	379	332	39.6	-12.4
2	Spirits and liqueurs	91	102	119	115	118	14.1	2.6
3	Cocoa beans	80	127	143	87	94	11.2	8.0
4	Beet and cane sugar	189	148	94	121	69	8.2	-43.0
5	Rice	35	65	83	59	60	7.2	1.7
6	Raw tobacco	23	17	16	11	28	3.3	154.5
7	Cigars and cigarettes	27	31	29	33	27	3.2	-18.2
8	Vegetables, fresh, chilled and dried	26	28	28	25	23	2.7	-8.0
9	Ethanol	12	14	13	9	17	2.0	88.9
10	Preparations of vegetables, fruit or nuts	6	9	10	10	8	1.0	-20.0
11	Soups and sauces	6	7	9	7	7	0.8	0.0
12	Fruit juices	10	7	7	5	6	0.7	20.0
13	Cocoa paste and powder	2	2	4	4	5	0.6	25.0
14	Wine, vermouth, cider and vinegar	2	3	4	5	5	0.6	0.0
15	Pet food	1	0	0	0	4	0.5	
16	Unroasted coffee, tea in bulk & mate	6	8	8	5	4	0.5	-20.0
17	Beer	6	7	5	6	4	0.5	-33.3
18	Pasta, pastry, biscuits and bread	3	4	4	4	4	0.5	0.0
19	Waters and soft drinks	3	4	3	3	3	0.4	0.0
20	Fruit, fresh or dried, excl. citrus & tropical fruit	5	6	6	4	3	0.4	-25.0
	Remaining Agri-food products	16	28	19	19	19	2.3	0.0

Evolution of EU Agri-food imports from EPA Cariforum, 2014 - 2018

	Imports						
	Value Mio €					%	
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	Share in all Agri 2018	Change 2017-2018
Agri Food	918	1 021	1 030	910	839	100.0	-7.8
Agricultural food and feed products	739	827	823	714	617	73.5	-13.6
- Commodities	317	365	337	282	238	28.4	-15.6
-- Wheat	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Cereals, other than wheat and rice	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Rice	35	65	83	59	60	8.6	1.7
-- Flours and other products of the milling industry	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Malt	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Starches, inulin & gluten	0	0		0	0	0.0	
-- Soyabeans					0	0.0	
-- Oilseeds, other than soyabeans	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Palm & palm kernel oils	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Vegetable oils other than palm & olive oils	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Oilcakes	0	9	0	3	1	0.1	-66.7
-- Other feed and feed ingredients	1	3	0	0	2	0.3	
-- Beet and cane sugar	189	148	94	121	69	8.2	-43.0
-- Sugar, other than beet & cane	4	1	5	2	0	0.0	-100.0
-- Milk powders and whey	0		0	0	0	0.0	
-- Butter							
-- Gums, resins and plant extracts	0	0	0	0	2	0.3	
-- Unroasted coffee, tea in bulk & mate	6	8	8	5	4	0.5	-20.0
-- Cocoa beans	80	127	143	87	94	13.8	8.0
-- Cocoa paste and powder	2	2	4	4	5	0.7	25.0
-- Agricultural commodities, not specified							
- Other primary	403	442	465	412	361	43.0	-12.4
-- Live animals	0	1	1	0	1	0.1	
-- Bovine meat, fresh, chilled and frozen					0	0.0	
-- Pork meat, fresh, chilled and frozen	0	0					
-- Poultry meat, fresh, chilled and frozen					0	0.0	
-- Sheep and goat meat, fresh, chilled and frozen					0	0.0	
-- Offal, animal fats and other meats, fresh, chilled			0		0	0.0	
-- Fresh milk and cream, buttermilk and yoghurt				0	0	0.0	
-- Eggs and honey	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Vegetables, fresh, chilled and dried	26	28	28	25	23	2.7	-8.0
-- Fruit, fresh or dried, excl. citrus & tropical fruit	5	6	6	4	3	0.4	-25.0
-- Citrus fruit	3	3	3	3	2	0.3	-33.3
-- Tropical fruit, fresh or dried, nuts and spices	368	404	427	379	332	39.6	-12.4
-- Miscellaneous seeds and hop cones	0	0	1	1	1	0.1	0.0
-- Agricultural primary food products, not specified							
- Processed (incl. wine)	19	20	21	20	18	2.1	-10.0
-- Meat preparations	0	0			0	0.0	
-- Cheese							
-- Olive oil		0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Preparations of vegetables, fruit or nuts	6	9	10	10	8	1.0	-20.0
-- Fruit juices	10	7	7	5	6	0.7	20.0
-- Wine, vermouth, cider and vinegar	2	3	4	5	5	0.6	0.0
-- Roasted coffee and tea	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
Food preparations and beverages	112	125	143	137	143	17.0	4.4
- Food preparations	12	13	16	13	18	2.1	38.5
-- Chocolate, confectionery and ice cream	0	1	1	1	0	0.0	-100.0
-- Infant food and other cereals, flour, starch or	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Pasta, pastry, biscuits and bread	3	4	4	4	4	0.5	0.0
-- Soups and sauces	6	7	9	7	7	0.8	0.0
-- Coffee and tea extracts	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Food preparations, not specified	2	2	2	2	2	0.2	0.0
-- Pet food	1	0	0	0	4	0.5	
- Beverages	100	112	127	124	125	14.9	0.8
-- Waters and soft drinks	3	4	3	3	3	0.4	0.0
-- Beer	6	7	5	6	4	0.5	-33.3
-- Spirits and liqueurs	91	102	119	115	118	14.1	2.6
-- Odoriferous substances	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
Non-edible	67	69	64	59	79	9.4	33.9
- Non-edible	67	69	64	59	79	9.4	33.9
-- Raw hides, skins and furskins	1	1	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Non-edible animal products	1	1	1	0	0	0.0	
-- Wool and silk							
-- Cotton, flax and hemp, and plaiting materials	0	1	0	0	1	0.2	
-- Cut flowers and plants	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
-- Bulbs, roots and live plants	1	1	1	1	2	0.2	100.0
-- Raw tobacco	23	17	16	11	28	4.2	154.5
-- Cigars and cigarettes	27	31	29	33	27	3.6	-18.2
-- Fatty acids and waxes	0	0	1	1	1	0.1	0.0
-- Sugar alcohols			0		0	0.0	
-- Essential oils	1	3	3	3	3	0.4	0.0
-- Ethanol	12	14	13	9	17	2.4	88.9
-- Casein, other albuminoidal substances and		0	1	0	0	0.0	
-- Non-edible, not specified		0					
-- Products non-attributable			0				

5. EU Agri-food trade with EPA Cariforum by HS chapters

Evolution of EU Agri-food exports to EPA Cariforum, 2014 - 2018

		Exports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	Share in all Agri 2018	Change 2017-2018
	Agri Food	626	742	750	784	811	100.0	3.4
01	Live Animals	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
02	Meat and edible meat offal	15	20	23	24	25	3.1	4.2
04	Dairy produce	131	145	144	168	181	22.3	7.7
05	Products of animal origin	0	1	0	1	0	0.0	-100.0
06	Live trees and other plants	2	3	3	3	3	0.4	0.0
07	Edible vegetables, roots & tubers	23	27	30	31	40	4.9	29.0
08	Edible fruits & nuts	3	3	3	3	4	0.5	33.3
09	Coffee, tea, mate & spices	5	5	6	7	7	0.9	0.0
10	Cereals	6	4	4	3	5	0.6	66.7
11	Products of the milling industry	32	37	23	24	23	2.8	-4.2
12	Oil seeds & oleaginous fruits	4	4	5	4	6	0.7	50.0
13	Lacs, gums, resins & other veg. saps	3	4	6	1	2	0.3	100.0
14	Vegetable products n.e.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
15	Animal or vegetable fats & oils	26	31	31	34	33	4.1	-2.9
16	Preparations of meat	8	11	11	13	15	1.8	15.4
17	Sugars & sugar confectionery	7	8	9	12	10	1.2	-16.7
18	Cocoa & cocoa preparations	9	10	11	11	11	1.4	0.0
19	Preps. of cereals, flour, starch, etc.	76	68	67	69	70	8.6	1.4
20	Preps. of vegetables, fruits, nuts & plants	42	48	55	71	65	8.0	-8.5
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	41	49	58	54	61	7.5	13.0
22	Beverages, spirits & vinegar	142	197	194	193	189	23.3	-2.1
23	Residues and waste from food industry	20	27	28	30	30	3.7	0.0
24	Tobacco & tobacco products	21	27	29	19	19	2.3	0.0
	Other WTO products outside chapters 1-24	9	12	10	10	11	1.4	10.0

Evolution of Agri-food imports from EPA Cariforum, 2014 - 2018

		Imports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	Share in all Agri 2018	Change 2017-2018
	Agri Food	918	1 021	1 030	910	839	100.0	-7.8
01	Live Animals	0	1	1	0	1	0.1	
02	Meat and edible meat offal	0	0			0	0.0	
04	Dairy produce	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
05	Products of animal origin	1	1	1	0	0	0.0	
06	Live trees and other plants	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
07	Edible vegetables, roots & tubers	26	28	28	25	23	2.7	-8.0
08	Edible fruits & nuts	373	408	430	380	333	39.7	-12.4
09	Coffee, tea, mate & spices	10	13	14	11	8	1.0	-27.3
10	Cereals	35	65	83	59	60	8.3	1.7
11	Products of the milling industry	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
12	Oil seeds & oleaginous fruits	1	2	1	2	2	0.2	0.0
13	Lacs, gums, resins & other veg. saps	0	0	0	0	2	0.3	
14	Vegetable products n.e.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
15	Animal or vegetable fats & oils	0	1	1	1	1	0.1	0.0
16	Preparations of meat	0	0			0	0.0	
17	Sugars & sugar confectionery	193	149	98	123	69	8.2	-43.9
18	Cocoa & cocoa preparations	83	130	148	92	100	11.9	8.7
19	Preps. of cereals, flour, starch, etc.	4	4	4	4	4	0.5	0.0
20	Preps. of vegetables, fruits, nuts & plants	17	17	16	15	13	1.5	-13.3
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	7	9	11	9	9	1.1	0.0
22	Beverages, spirits & vinegar	114	128	144	138	147	17.5	6.5
23	Residues and waste from food industry	2	13	0	3	7	0.8	133.3
24	Tobacco & tobacco products	50	48	45	44	55	6.6	25.0
	Other WTO products outside chapters 1-24	3	5	4	3	4	0.5	33.3