

AGRI-FOOD TRADE STATISTICAL FACTSHEET

European Union - Australia

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"Agri-food products" refers to the WTO definition of agricultural products and includes the chapters 1-24 (excluding fish and fish products) of the Harmonised System, and a number of headings in chapters 29, 33, 35, 38, 41, 43 and 50-53. The aggregate of EU Agri-food trade does not contain tariff codes CN 3302.10.40 and CN 3302.10.90 (some odoriferous substances which are regarded as industrial products).

The details of the **product categories** referred to in this factsheet are available on: [Agri-food trade presentation \(europa.eu\)](https://ec.europa.eu/agri-food/trade-presentation)

More trade statistics including main economic indicators, GDP by sector, trade in goods and trade in commercial services are provided by the EU Commission Directorate-General for Trade on their website: https://agriculture.ec.europa.eu/data-and-analysis/markets/trade-data/trade-countryregion/trade-value_en

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EU Agri-Food trade with: Australia

1. Selection of indicators

Agricultural indicators

	Unit	Period	World	Partner
1 Agriculture, value added	(% of GDP)	2021	4.3	2.3
2 Employment in agriculture	(% of total employment)	2019	26.7	2.6
3 Arable land	(ha)	2018	n.a.	30 974 000
4 Crop production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	99.0
5 Livestock production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	100.7
6 Food production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	100.0
7 Rural population	(% of total population)	2021	43.4	13.6

Source: World Bank

Trade indicators

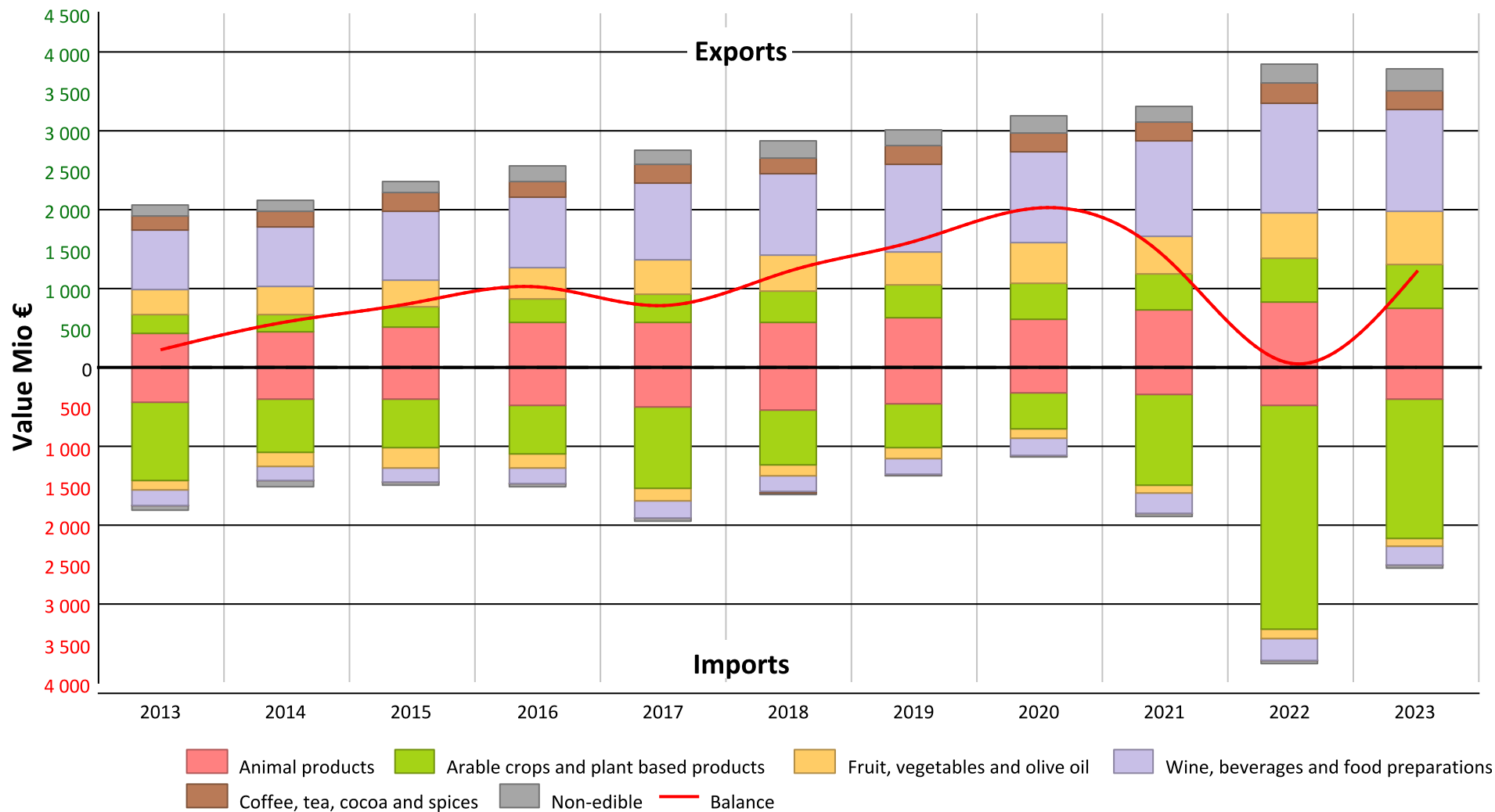
	Unit	Exports	Imports	Balance
EU27 Agri-food trade with Australia				
Agri-food trade value	Mio €	3 770	2 547	1 223
- as share of EU27 total Agri-food trade	(%)	1.7	1.6	
- as share of EU27 total trade with Australia	(%)	9.8	18.7	
% change 2022 - 2023		-1.7	-32.5	
Annual rate of change from 2013 - 2023	(%)	6.3	3.5	
EU27 total trade with Australia				
Total trade value	Mio €	38 467	13 630	24 837
- as share of EU27 total trade	(%)	1.5	0.5	
EU27 world trade				
Total trade value	Mio €	2 556 755	2 518 822	37 933
Total Agri-food trade	Mio €	228 747	158 603	70 143
- as share of EU27 total trade	(%)	9.0	6.3	184.9

Ranking of EU main Agri-food trade partners and Australia

Top Destinations: 2023				Top Origins: 2023			
		Value Mio €	% Share Extra-EU			Value Mio €	% Share Extra-EU
1	United Kingdom	51 266	22.6	1	Brazil	17 229	10.9
2	USA	27 180	12.0	2	United Kingdom	15 454	9.8
3	China	14 588	6.4	3	Ukraine	11 830	7.5
4	Switzerland	11 528	5.1	4	USA	11 744	7.4
5	Japan	7 876	3.5	5	China	8 334	5.3
6	Russia	6 809	3.0	6	Türkiye	6 621	4.2
7	Norway	5 975	2.6	7	Indonesia	5 484	3.5
8	Türkiye	4 850	2.1	8	Switzerland	4 852	3.1
9	Saudi Arabia	4 628	2.0	9	Argentina	4 648	2.9
10	South Korea	4 538	2.0	10	Ivory Coast	4 040	2.5
11	Canada	4 466	2.0	11	India	3 297	2.1
12	Morocco	3 789	1.7	12	Vietnam	3 210	2.0
13	Australia	3 770	1.7	13	Morocco	3 177	2.0
14	Ukraine	3 458	1.5	14	Peru	3 094	2.0
15	United Arab Emirates	3 337	1.5	15	Malaysia	2 933	1.9
16	Algeria	2 799	1.2	16	South Africa	2 891	1.8
17	Israel	2 775	1.2	17	Canada	2 852	1.8
18	Brazil	2 574	1.1	18	Australia	2 547	1.6
19	Serbia	2 405	1.1	19	Colombia	2 283	1.4
20	Singapore	2 385	1.1	20	Ecuador	2 110	1.3
	Rest of the World	55 391	23.9		Rest of the World	39 856	24.6

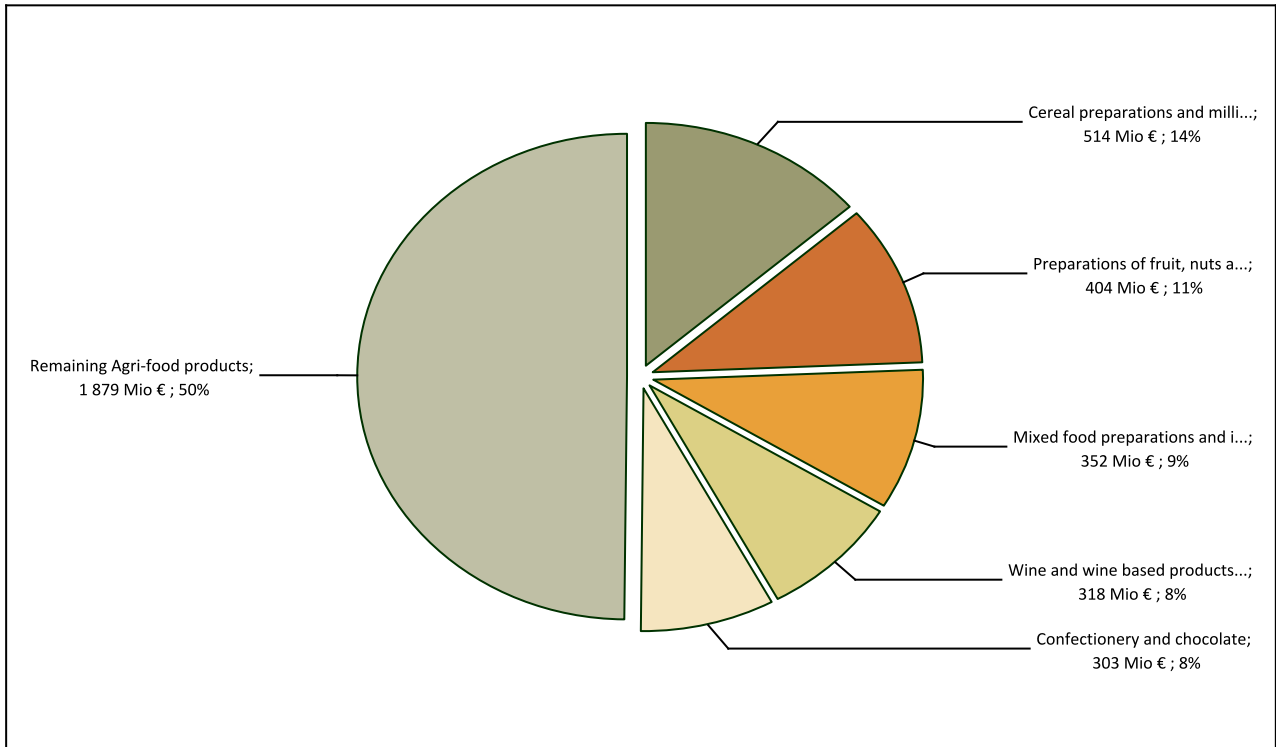
EU Agri-Food trade with: Australia

2. Structure of EU Agri-food trade with Australia, 2013 - 2023



3. EU Agri-food EXPORTS to Australia by product category

Top EU Agri-food exports to Australia in 2023



Evolution of 15 top EU Agri-food exports to Australia, 2019 - 2023

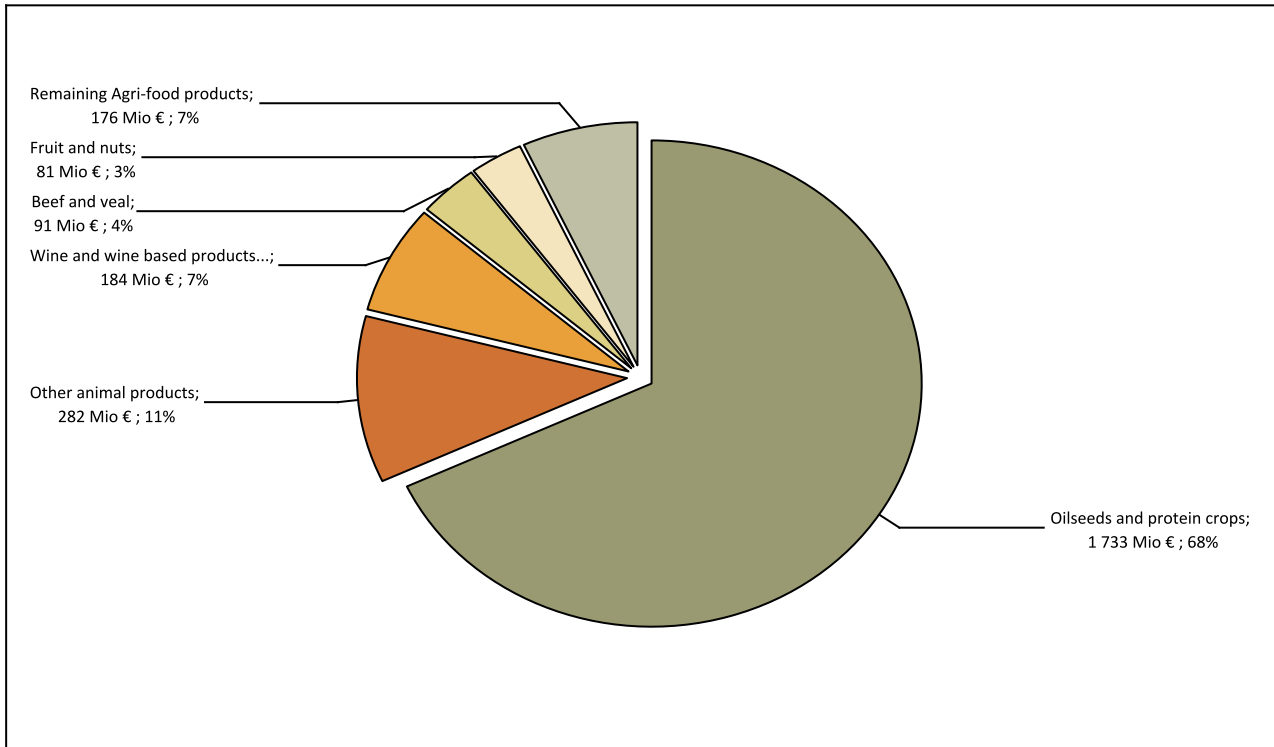
		Exports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
	Agri-food	2 998	3 188	3 302	3 835	3 770	100.0	-1.7
1	Cereal preparations and milling products	373	410	418	499	514	13.6	3.0
2	Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	198	240	233	296	404	10.7	36.5
3	Mixed food preparations and ingredients	296	328	296	370	352	9.3	-4.9
4	Wine and wine based products	260	280	322	354	318	8.4	-10.2
5	Confectionery and chocolate	253	249	251	296	303	8.0	2.4
6	Dairy products	260	277	261	283	298	7.9	5.3
7	Pigmeat	284	239	357	401	286	7.6	-28.7
8	Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	225	238	243	247	247	6.6	0.0
9	Beer, cider and other beverages	197	185	198	210	185	4.9	-11.9
10	Olives and olive oil	135	151	139	171	157	4.2	-8.2
11	Spirits and liqueurs	110	120	148	170	139	3.7	-18.2
12	Other animal products	59	73	84	118	128	3.4	8.5
13	Pet food and forage crops	77	90	116	130	122	3.2	-6.2
14	Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	85	83	34	69	101	2.7	46.4
15	Vegetables	72	89	77	86	84	2.2	-2.3
	Remaining Agri-food products	115	136	125	135	131	3.5	-3.0

Evolution of EU Agri-food exports to Australia, 2019 - 2023

	Exports						
	Value Mio €					%	
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
Agri-food	2 998	3 188	3 302	3 835	3 770	100.0	-1.7
Animal products	611	595	712	822	735	19.5	-10.5
Beef and veal	2	1	2	2	2	0.0	-1.6
Pigmeat	284	239	357	401	286	7.6	-28.7
Poultry and eggs	6	6	7	18	22	0.6	18.1
Sheep and goat	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-99.5
Dairy products	260	277	261	283	298	7.9	5.3
Other animal products	59	73	84	118	128	3.4	8.5
Arable crops and plant based products	417	460	468	557	566	15.0	1.6
Cereals	16	20	17	24	24	0.6	-0.1
Cereal preparations and milling products	373	410	418	499	514	13.6	3.0
Oilseeds and protein crops	7	7	5	7	5	0.1	-19.1
Vegetable oils (Oilseeds and Palm)	5	5	5	8	6	0.2	-20.6
Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	16	18	22	20	17	0.4	-16.2
Sugar and isoglucose	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	105.2
Fruit, vegetables and olive oil	427	512	467	568	660	17.5	16.2
Vegetables	72	89	77	86	84	2.2	-2.8
Fruit and nuts	22	32	18	15	15	0.4	2.5
Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	198	240	233	296	404	10.7	36.4
Olives and olive oil	135	151	139	171	157	4.2	-8.2
Wine, beverages and food preparations	1 115	1 161	1 215	1 399	1 298	34.4	-7.2
Wine and wine based products	260	280	322	354	318	8.4	-10.1
Spirits and liqueurs	110	120	148	170	139	3.7	-17.9
Beer, cider and other beverages	197	185	198	210	185	4.9	-11.7
Confectionery and chocolate	253	249	251	296	303	8.0	2.4
Mixed food preparations and ingredients	296	328	296	370	352	9.3	-4.7
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	225	238	243	247	247	6.5	-0.2
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Non-edible	204	221	198	242	264	7.0	9.0
Pet food and forage crops	77	90	116	130	122	3.2	-6.6
Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	85	83	34	69	101	2.7	46.2
Horticulture	14	16	15	15	12	0.3	-18.8
Non edible for technical use	17	19	23	27	28	0.7	3.5
Unspecified	11	12	10	1	1	0.0	5.3

4. EU Agri-food IMPORTS from Australia by product category

Top EU Agri-food imports from Australia in 2023



Evolution of 15 top EU Agri-food imports from Australia, 2019 - 2023

		Imports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
	Agri-food	1 388	1 155	1 901	3 774	2 547	100.0	-32.5
1	Oilseeds and protein crops	548	449	1 009	2 721	1 733	68.0	-36.3
2	Other animal products	295	194	227	351	282	11.1	-19.7
3	Wine and wine based products	153	166	203	218	184	7.2	-15.6
4	Beef and veal	133	91	91	102	91	3.6	-10.8
5	Fruit and nuts	109	106	86	103	81	3.2	-21.4
6	Sheep and goat	37	36	24	44	34	1.3	-22.7
7	Mixed food preparations and ingredients	19	25	27	32	27	1.1	-15.6
8	Cereals	1	1	141	95	25	1.0	-73.7
9	Vegetables	32	26	23	18	24	0.9	33.3
10	Pet food and forage crops	8	7	9	14	17	0.7	21.4
11	Non edible for technical use	18	21	27	32	15	0.6	-53.1
12	Beer, cider and other beverages	3	4	8	9	7	0.3	-22.2
13	Spirits and liqueurs	6	8	5	5	7	0.3	40.0
14	Horticulture	4	4	4	5	5	0.2	0.0
15	Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	3	3	4	4	4	0.2	0.0
	Remaining Agri-food products	19	14	12	21	11	0.4	-47.6

EU Agri-Food trade with: Australia

Evolution of EU Agri-food imports from Australia, 2019 - 2023

	Imports						
	Value Mio €					%	
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
Agri-food	1 388	1 155	1 901	3 774	2 547	100.0	-32.5
Animal products	467	324	344	498	408	16.0	-18.1
Beef and veal	133	91	91	102	91	3.6	-10.6
Pigmeat	0	0	0	0	1	0.0	268.0
Poultry and eggs	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	33.3
Sheep and goat	37	36	24	44	34	1.3	-22.9
Dairy products	1	2	3	1	1	0.0	-54.2
Other animal products	295	194	227	351	282	11.1	-19.7
Arable crops and plant based products	563	459	1 157	2 833	1 765	69.3	-37.7
Cereals	1	1	141	95	25	1.0	-74.0
Cereal preparations and milling products	4	2	4	2	3	0.1	14.6
Oilseeds and protein crops	548	449	1 009	2 721	1 733	68.0	-36.3
Vegetable oils (Oilseeds and Palm)	0	0	0	8	1	0.1	-83.3
Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	10	6	3	7	3	0.1	-55.3
Sugar and isoglucose	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	23.3
Fruit, vegetables and olive oil	142	133	110	123	106	4.2	-13.5
Vegetables	32	26	23	18	24	0.9	28.4
Fruit and nuts	109	106	86	103	81	3.2	-21.2
Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	1	1	1	1	1	0.0	-3.8
Olives and olive oil	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	323.4
Wine, beverages and food preparations	184	204	244	265	227	8.9	-14.5
Wine and wine based products	153	166	203	218	184	7.2	-15.4
Spirits and liqueurs	6	8	5	5	7	0.3	31.0
Beer, cider and other beverages	3	4	8	9	7	0.3	-21.5
Confectionery and chocolate	2	1	1	1	1	0.0	-36.2
Mixed food preparations and ingredients	19	25	27	32	27	1.1	-13.3
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	3	3	4	4	4	0.2	0.8
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	3	3	4	4	4	0.2	0.8
Non-edible	30	31	41	51	37	1.5	-26.8
Pet food and forage crops	8	7	9	14	17	0.7	19.3
Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	137.4
Horticulture	4	4	4	5	5	0.2	1.7
Non edible for technical use	18	21	27	32	15	0.6	-51.7
Unspecified							

5. EU Agri-food trade with Australia by HS chapters

Evolution of EU Agri-food exports to Australia, 2019 - 2023

		Exports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
	Agri-food	2 998	3 188	3 302	3 835	3 770	100.0	-1.7
01	Live Animals	7	5	8	18	22	0.6	26.2
02	Meat and edible meat offal	281	234	353	393	280	7.4	-28.8
04	Dairy produce	253	276	269	304	332	8.8	9.0
05	Products of animal origin	7	6	5	4	4	0.1	18.4
06	Live trees and other plants	12	14	13	14	11	0.3	-19.6
07	Edible vegetables, roots & tubers	29	35	34	39	36	1.0	-7.5
08	Edible fruits & nuts	22	32	18	14	15	0.4	2.5
09	Coffee, tea, mate & spices	97	109	108	116	105	2.8	-8.8
10	Cereals	7	10	9	12	13	0.3	6.2
11	Products of the milling industry	29	38	35	39	39	1.0	0.2
12	Oil seeds & oleaginous fruits	67	79	63	72	76	2.0	5.3
13	Lacs, gums, resins & other veg. saps	24	24	29	47	27	0.7	-43.8
14	Vegetable products n.e.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-0.7
15	Animal or vegetable fats & oils	113	132	129	156	138	3.7	-11.1
16	Preparations of meat	9	11	14	18	15	0.4	-18.3
17	Sugars & sugar confectionery	58	63	53	66	68	1.8	3.7
18	Cocoa & cocoa preparations	221	211	216	247	250	6.6	1.3
19	Preps. of cereals, flour, starch, etc.	343	373	381	457	467	12.4	2.2
20	Preps. of vegetables, fruits, nuts & plants	236	280	271	340	446	11.8	31.0
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	414	452	424	474	501	13.3	5.8
22	Beverages, spirits & vinegar	566	585	668	734	643	17.1	-12.4
23	Residues and waste from food industry	80	93	118	136	126	3.4	-6.9
24	Tobacco & tobacco products	85	83	34	69	101	2.7	46.3
	Other WTO products outside chapters 1-24	35	44	50	67	54	1.4	-20.0

Evolution of Agri-food imports from Australia, 2019 - 2023

		Imports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
	Agri-food	1 388	1 155	1 901	3 774	2 547	100.0	-32.5
01	Live Animals	1	1	2	1	2	0.1	29.5
02	Meat and edible meat offal	184	134	118	156	142	5.6	-8.8
04	Dairy produce	1	3	2	2	1	0.0	-55.8
05	Products of animal origin	15	12	14	22	19	0.7	-15.1
06	Live trees and other plants	3	3	3	3	4	0.2	23.8
07	Edible vegetables, roots & tubers	14	15	13	14	16	0.6	11.9
08	Edible fruits & nuts	109	106	86	103	81	3.2	-21.2
09	Coffee, tea, mate & spices	2	1	1	1	1	0.1	10.1
10	Cereals	1	1	141	95	25	1.0	-73.9
11	Products of the milling industry	1	0	0	1	1	0.0	6.5
12	Oil seeds & oleaginous fruits	587	478	1 041	2 759	1 767	69.4	-36.0
13	Lacs, gums, resins & other veg. saps	11	14	17	19	17	0.7	-12.0
14	Vegetable products n.e.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-63.8
15	Animal or vegetable fats & oils	4	5	9	14	6	0.2	-58.5
16	Preparations of meat	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-64.1
17	Sugars & sugar confectionery	2	1	2	1	0	0.0	-34.4
18	Cocoa & cocoa preparations	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-16.3
19	Preps. of cereals, flour, starch, etc.	2	2	4	2	2	0.1	12.7
20	Preps. of vegetables, fruits, nuts & plants	1	1	1	1	1	0.0	-4.7
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	8	11	10	13	11	0.4	-13.5
22	Beverages, spirits & vinegar	162	179	216	232	199	7.8	-14.6
23	Residues and waste from food industry	2	2	4	14	12	0.5	-18.4
24	Tobacco & tobacco products	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	137.4
	Other WTO products outside chapters 1-24	275	186	217	318	240	9.4	-24.4