

AGRI-FOOD TRADE STATISTICAL FACTSHEET

European Union - Switzerland

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"EU" refers to the European Union at 27 members (after the withdrawal of the UK) for all years indicated.

"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: [Details of the 6 classes of products](#). EU agri-food trade data can also be explored with the interactive tool [Overview of EU agri-food trade](#).

More trade statistics including main economic indicators, trade in goods, trade in services and foreign direct investment are provided by the EU Commission Directorate-General for Trade and Economic Security on their website: <http://ec.europa.eu/trade/policy/countries-and-regions/statistics/>.

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1. Selection of indicators

Agricultural indicators

	Unit	Period	World	Partner
1 Agriculture, value added	(% of GDP)	2024	4.0	0.6
2 Employment in agriculture	(% of total employment)	2025	26.0	2.0
3 Arable land	(ha)	2023	n.a.	396 421
4 Crop production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2020	100.0	104.2
5 Livestock production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2020	100.0	97.7
6 Food production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2020	100.0	99.1
7 Rural population	(% of total population)	2024	42.4	14.5
Source: World Bank				

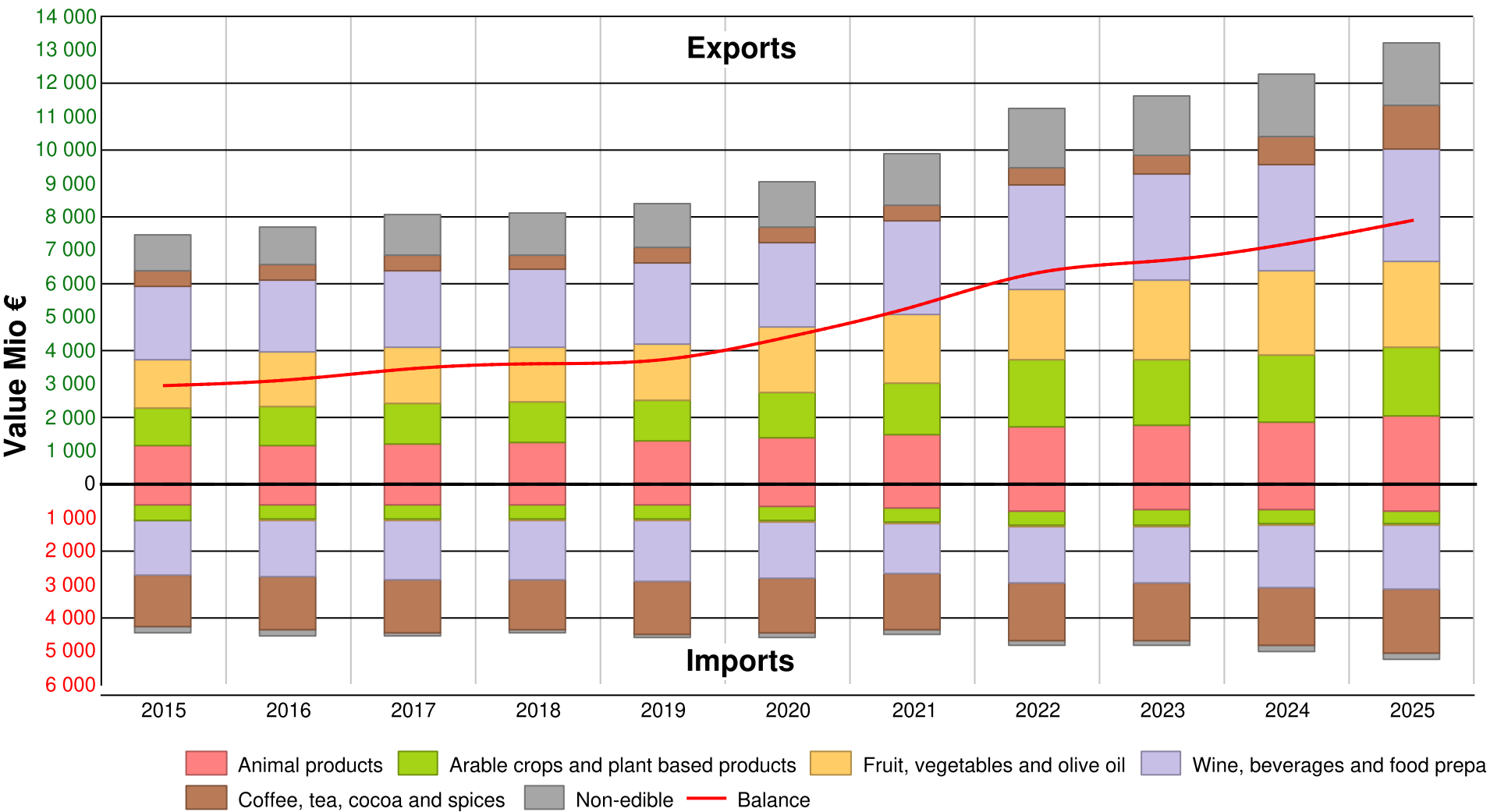
Trade indicators

	Unit	Exports	Imports	Balance
EU27 Agri-food trade with Switzerland				
Agri-food trade value	Mio €	13 179	5 261	7 918
- as share of EU27 total Agri-food trade	(%)	5.5	2.8	
- as share of EU27 total trade with Switzerland	(%)	6.0	3.7	
% change 2024 - 2025		7.5	4.3	
Annual rate of change from 2015 - 2025	(%)	5.9	1.6	
EU27 total trade with Switzerland				
Total trade value	Mio €	219 473	143 156	76 317
- as share of EU27 total trade	(%)	8.3	5.7	
EU27 world trade				
Total trade value	Mio €	2 643 760	2 514 425	129 335
Total Agri-food trade	Mio €	238 382	188 572	49 810
- as share of EU27 total trade	(%)	9.0	7.5	38.5

Ranking of EU main Agri-food trade partners and Switzerland

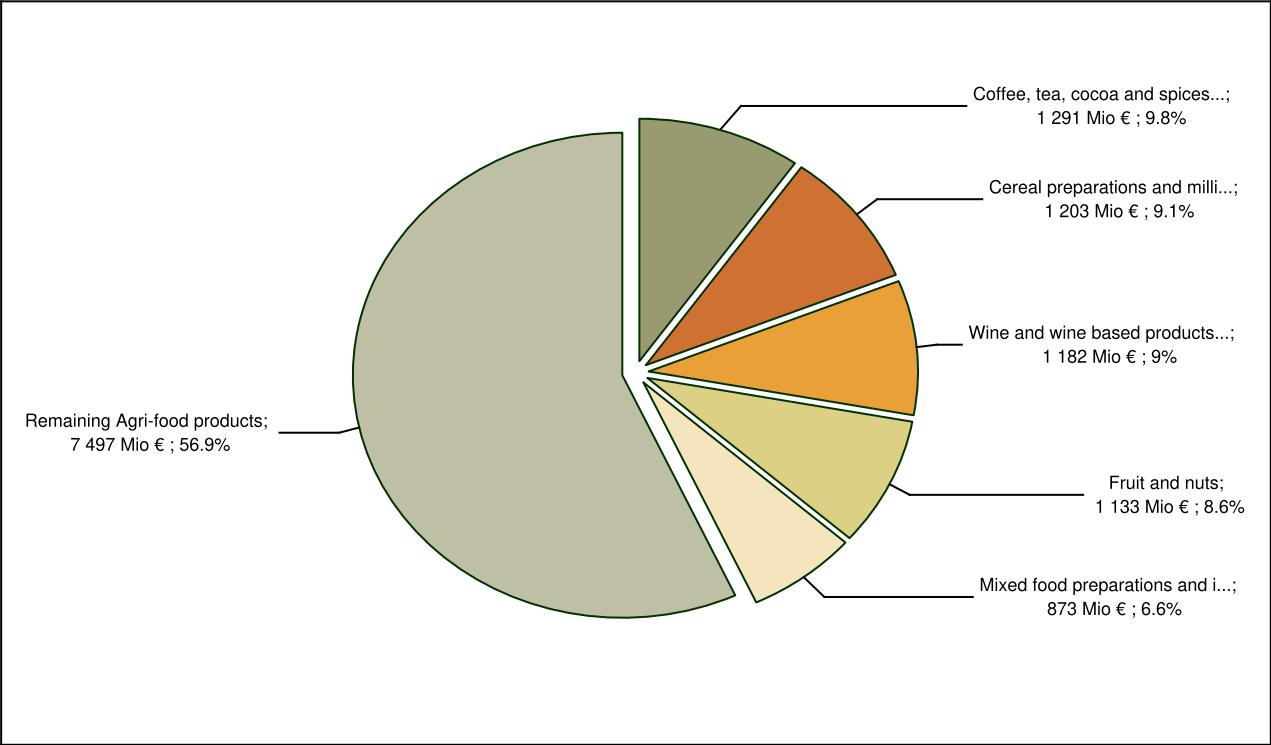
	Top Destinations: 2025	Value Mio €	% Share Extra-EU		Top Origins: 2025	Value Mio €	% Share Extra-EU
1	United Kingdom	55 585	23.3	1	Brazil	18 593	9.9
2	United States	28 590	12.0	2	United Kingdom	15 983	8.5
3	Switzerland	13 179	5.5	3	United States	13 207	7.0
4	China	12 609	5.3	4	Ukraine	10 626	5.6
5	Japan	7 660	3.2	5	China	9 931	5.3
6	Norway	6 514	2.7	6	Ivory Coast	8 868	4.7
7	Türkiye	6 015	2.5	7	Türkiye	6 976	3.7
8	Russia	5 796	2.4	8	Argentina	5 605	3.0
9	Canada	5 070	2.1	9	Vietnam	5 327	2.8
10	Saudi Arabia	4 800	2.0	10	Switzerland	5 261	2.8
11	South Korea	4 335	1.8	11	Indonesia	5 147	2.7
12	Ukraine	4 270	1.8	12	Peru	4 627	2.5
13	Australia	4 057	1.7	13	India	4 430	2.3
14	Morocco	3 791	1.6	14	Canada	4 352	2.3
15	United Arab Emirates	3 474	1.5	15	Morocco	3 734	2.0
16	Israel	3 347	1.4	16	Colombia	3 320	1.8
17	Algeria	2 905	1.2	17	Ecuador	3 251	1.7
18	Serbia	2 877	1.2	18	Malaysia	3 243	1.7
19	Brazil	2 706	1.1	19	South Africa	3 199	1.7
20	Mexico	2 517	1.1	20	Ghana	2 910	1.5
	Rest of the World	58 285	23.6		Rest of the World	49 983	25.9

2. Structure of EU Agri-food trade with Switzerland, 2015 - 2025



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

Top EU Agri-food exports to Switzerland in 2025



Evolution of 15 top EU Agri-food exports to Switzerland, 2021 - 2025

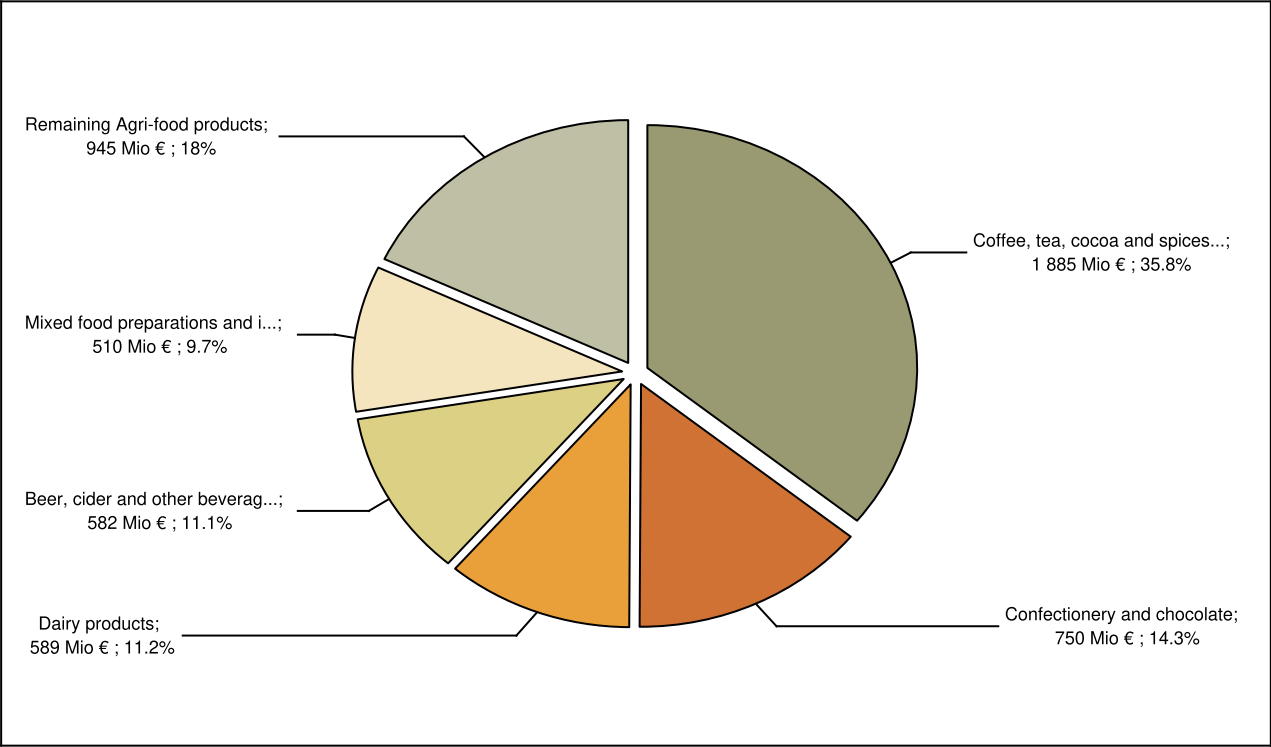
		Exports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	Share in all Agri 2025	Change 2024-2025
	Agri-food	9 857	11 201	11 579	12 262	13 179	100.0	7.5
1	Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	501	543	566	851	1 291	9.8	51.6
2	Cereal preparations and milling products	871	983	1 109	1 145	1 203	9.1	5.1
3	Wine and wine based products	1 239	1 301	1 263	1 171	1 182	9.0	0.9
4	Fruit and nuts	893	913	1 005	1 051	1 133	8.6	7.8
5	Mixed food preparations and ingredients	602	670	703	788	873	6.6	10.8
6	Vegetables	604	634	704	725	711	5.4	-1.8
7	Dairy products	514	618	646	658	679	5.2	3.3
8	Beer, cider and other beverages	495	584	627	630	655	5.0	4.0
9	Horticulture	591	593	582	600	602	4.6	0.5
10	Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	426	474	512	540	584	4.4	8.2
11	Pet food and forage crops	432	507	537	533	541	4.1	1.5
12	Confectionery and chocolate	326	365	404	436	496	3.8	13.9
13	Poultry and eggs	252	298	339	371	448	3.4	20.7
14	Other animal products	329	389	406	403	405	3.1	0.5
15	Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	205	256	274	377	349	2.6	-7.3
	Remaining Agri-food products	1 578	2 073	1 904	1 984	2 025	15.4	2.1

Evolution of EU Agri-food exports to Switzerland, 2021 - 2025

	Exports						
	Value Mio €					%	
	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	Share in all Agri 2025	Change 2024-2025
Agri-food	9 857	11 201	11 579	12 262	13 179	100.0	7.5
Animal products	1 465	1 700	1 740	1 822	2 030	15.4	11.5
Beef and veal	177	197	154	184	276	2.1	50.3
Pigmeat	147	146	147	167	180	1.4	7.6
Poultry and eggs	252	298	339	371	448	3.4	20.7
Sheep and goat	46	52	48	38	42	0.3	8.4
Dairy products	514	618	646	658	679	5.2	3.3
Other animal products	329	389	406	403	405	3.1	0.5
Arable crops and plant based products	1 541	1 983	1 985	2 027	2 044	15.5	0.9
Cereals	261	412	319	337	324	2.5	-3.8
Cereal preparations and milling products	871	983	1 109	1 145	1 203	9.1	5.1
Oilseeds and protein crops	145	195	149	153	156	1.2	2.0
Vegetable oils (oilseeds and palm)	58	86	84	63	69	0.5	9.3
Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	97	160	159	148	155	1.2	4.5
Sugar and isoglucose	109	147	165	181	137	1.0	-24.4
Fruit, vegetables and olive oil	2 031	2 141	2 358	2 503	2 589	19.6	3.5
Vegetables	604	634	704	725	711	5.4	-1.8
Fruit and nuts	893	913	1 005	1 051	1 133	8.6	7.8
Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	426	474	512	540	584	4.4	8.2
Olives and olive oil	108	120	138	187	161	1.2	-14.0
Wine, beverages and food preparations	2 812	3 101	3 156	3 175	3 353	25.4	5.6
Wine and wine based products	1 239	1 301	1 263	1 171	1 182	9.0	0.9
Spirits and liqueurs	150	181	159	150	147	1.1	-2.3
Beer, cider and other beverages	495	584	627	630	655	5.0	4.0
Confectionery and chocolate	326	365	404	436	496	3.8	13.9
Mixed food preparations and ingredients	602	670	703	788	873	6.6	10.8
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	501	543	566	851	1 291	9.8	51.6
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Non-edible	1 508	1 732	1 774	1 884	1 871	14.2	-0.7
Pet food and forage crops	432	507	537	533	541	4.1	1.5
Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	205	256	274	377	349	2.6	-7.3
Horticulture	591	593	582	600	602	4.6	0.5
Non-edible for technical use	246	353	352	321	334	2.5	4.0
Unspecified	34	23	29	54	45	0.3	-16.9

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

Top EU Agri-food imports from Switzerland in 2025



Evolution of 15 top EU Agri-food imports from Switzerland, 2021 - 2025

		Imports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	Share in all Agri 2025	Change 2024-2025
	Agri-food	4 523	4 847	4 859	5 046	5 261	100.0	4.3
1	Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	1 676	1 713	1 686	1 717	1 885	35.8	9.8
2	Confectionery and chocolate	461	511	580	635	750	14.3	18.2
3	Dairy products	511	524	520	563	589	11.2	4.6
4	Beer, cider and other beverages	518	581	559	644	582	11.1	-9.7
5	Mixed food preparations and ingredients	473	494	495	516	510	9.7	-1.2
6	Cereal preparations and milling products	352	369	380	356	322	6.1	-9.7
7	Other animal products	156	206	193	156	154	2.9	-1.6
8	Non-edible for technical use	72	66	79	83	83	1.6	-0.8
9	Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	22	52	51	72	75	1.4	3.9
10	Wine and wine based products	47	57	47	47	55	1.0	17.8
11	Beef and veal	54	56	42	47	54	1.0	15.1
12	Pet food and forage crops	34	42	40	45	44	0.8	-2.7
13	Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	37	39	38	37	31	0.6	-18.2
14	Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	25	29	30	26	23	0.4	-10.3
15	Pigmeat	21	25	32	21	21	0.4	-3.9
	Remaining Agri-food products	64	82	87	80	85	1.6	7.0

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	Value Mio €					%	
	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	Share in all Agri 2025	Change 2024-2025
Agri-food	4 523	4 847	4 859	5 046	5 261	100.0	4.3
Animal products	749	822	794	794	827	15.7	4.2
Beef and veal	54	56	42	47	54	1.0	15.1
Pigmeat	21	25	32	21	21	0.4	-3.9
Poultry and eggs	6	11	8	7	10	0.2	46.2
Sheep and goat	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-39.8
Dairy products	511	524	520	563	589	11.2	4.6
Other animal products	156	206	193	156	154	2.9	-1.6
Arable crops and plant based products	408	436	449	417	381	7.2	-8.6
Cereals	11	11	12	14	12	0.2	-11.5
Cereal preparations and milling products	352	369	380	356	322	6.1	-9.7
Oilseeds and protein crops	3	2	3	2	2	0.0	29.8
Vegetable oils (oilseeds and palm)	2	3	4	2	1	0.0	-44.4
Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	25	29	30	26	23	0.4	-10.3
Sugar and isoglucose	16	21	20	17	20	0.4	18.7
Fruit, vegetables and olive oil	49	53	59	55	50	1.0	-9.5
Vegetables	7	8	10	10	13	0.2	30.2
Fruit and nuts	3	4	10	7	6	0.1	-16.5
Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	37	39	38	37	31	0.6	-18.2
Olives and olive oil	1	1	1	2	1	0.0	-14.6
Wine, beverages and food preparations	1 507	1 656	1 694	1 856	1 911	36.3	3.0
Wine and wine based products	47	57	47	47	55	1.0	17.8
Spirits and liqueurs	9	13	12	14	14	0.3	3.1
Beer, cider and other beverages	518	581	559	644	582	11.1	-9.7
Confectionery and chocolate	461	511	580	635	750	14.3	18.2
Mixed food preparations and ingredients	473	494	495	516	510	9.7	-1.2
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	1 676	1 713	1 686	1 717	1 885	35.8	9.8
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Non-edible	134	168	178	207	207	3.9	0.0
Pet food and forage crops	34	42	40	45	44	0.8	-2.7
Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	22	52	51	72	75	1.4	3.9
Horticulture	6	7	5	5	4	0.1	-14.9
Non-edible for technical use	72	66	79	83	83	1.6	-0.8
Unspecified	0	1	2	1	1	0.0	-11.6

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

Evolution of EU Agri-food exports to Switzerland, 2021 - 2025

		Exports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	Share in all Agri 2025	Change 2024-2025
	Agri-food	9 857	11 201	11 579	12 262	13 179	100.0	7.5
01	Live Animals	84	93	114	114	108	0.8	-5.6
02	Meat and edible meat offal	438	487	456	502	645	4.9	28.5
04	Dairy produce	595	707	765	792	839	6.4	6.0
05	Products of animal origin	43	50	46	48	45	0.3	-5.9
06	Live trees and other plants	589	591	579	597	600	4.6	0.4
07	Edible vegetables, roots & tubers	597	632	701	721	705	5.3	-2.3
08	Edible fruits & nuts	891	911	1 003	1 049	1 131	8.6	7.8
09	Coffee, tea, mate & spices	269	310	306	344	415	3.1	20.5
10	Cereals	225	360	257	276	269	2.0	-2.3
11	Products of the milling industry	77	103	112	119	113	0.9	-5.2
12	Oil seeds & oleaginous fruits	275	366	355	344	331	2.5	-3.7
13	Lacs, gums, resins & other veg. saps	64	72	70	102	80	0.6	-22.2
14	Vegetable products n.e.s.	4	5	5	5	4	0.0	-3.0
15	Animal or vegetable fats & oils	238	294	293	315	299	2.3	-4.9
16	Preparations of meat	142	154	159	172	189	1.4	9.5
17	Sugars & sugar confectionery	191	241	268	290	251	1.9	-13.5
18	Cocoa & cocoa preparations	428	450	501	766	1 187	9.0	54.9
19	Preps. of cereals, flour, starch, etc.	797	875	1 000	1 036	1 086	8.2	4.8
20	Preps. of vegetables, fruits, nuts & plants	404	451	479	510	556	4.2	9.0
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	685	739	810	870	1 003	7.6	15.3
22	Beverages, spirits & vinegar	1 973	2 230	2 201	2 082	2 116	16.1	1.7
23	Residues and waste from food industry	433	552	545	562	580	4.4	3.2
24	Tobacco & tobacco products	205	256	274	377	349	2.6	-7.3
	Other WTO products outside chapters 1-24	214	275	280	269	279	2.1	3.7

Evolution of Agri-food imports from Switzerland, 2021 - 2025

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	Agri-food	4 523	4 847	4 859	5 046	5 261	100.0	4.3
01	Live Animals	12	13	12	13	18	0.3	33.9
02	Meat and edible meat offal	67	71	64	59	67	1.3	12.9
04	Dairy produce	511	525	521	564	589	11.2	4.4
05	Products of animal origin	35	44	34	21	21	0.4	-1.7
06	Live trees and other plants	6	7	5	4	4	0.1	-16.1
07	Edible vegetables, roots & tubers	5	6	7	8	11	0.2	35.9
08	Edible fruits & nuts	3	4	10	6	5	0.1	-16.9
09	Coffee, tea, mate & spices	1 500	1 488	1 424	1 423	1 482	28.2	4.2
10	Cereals	2	2	3	4	2	0.0	-55.8
11	Products of the milling industry	11	11	10	12	13	0.2	6.3
12	Oil seeds & oleaginous fruits	44	27	48	49	52	1.0	7.0
13	Lacs, gums, resins & other veg. saps	73	100	62	59	60	1.1	1.2
14	Vegetable products n.e.s.	1	1	0	1	1	0.0	-7.8
15	Animal or vegetable fats & oils	46	66	54	46	45	0.9	-1.8
16	Preparations of meat	4	6	3	2	2	0.0	4.9
17	Sugars & sugar confectionery	75	92	105	114	138	2.6	21.7
18	Cocoa & cocoa preparations	481	531	617	697	871	16.6	25.0
19	Preps. of cereals, flour, starch, etc.	351	368	379	355	322	6.1	-9.4
20	Preps. of vegetables, fruits, nuts & plants	38	39	38	37	31	0.6	-17.0
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	502	536	583	604	625	11.9	3.5
22	Beverages, spirits & vinegar	578	657	625	706	652	12.4	-7.6
23	Residues and waste from food industry	33	41	39	41	40	0.8	-3.1
24	Tobacco & tobacco products	22	52	51	72	75	1.4	3.9
	Other WTO products outside chapters 1-24	124	161	164	148	136	2.6	-7.9