



# Sugar Market situation

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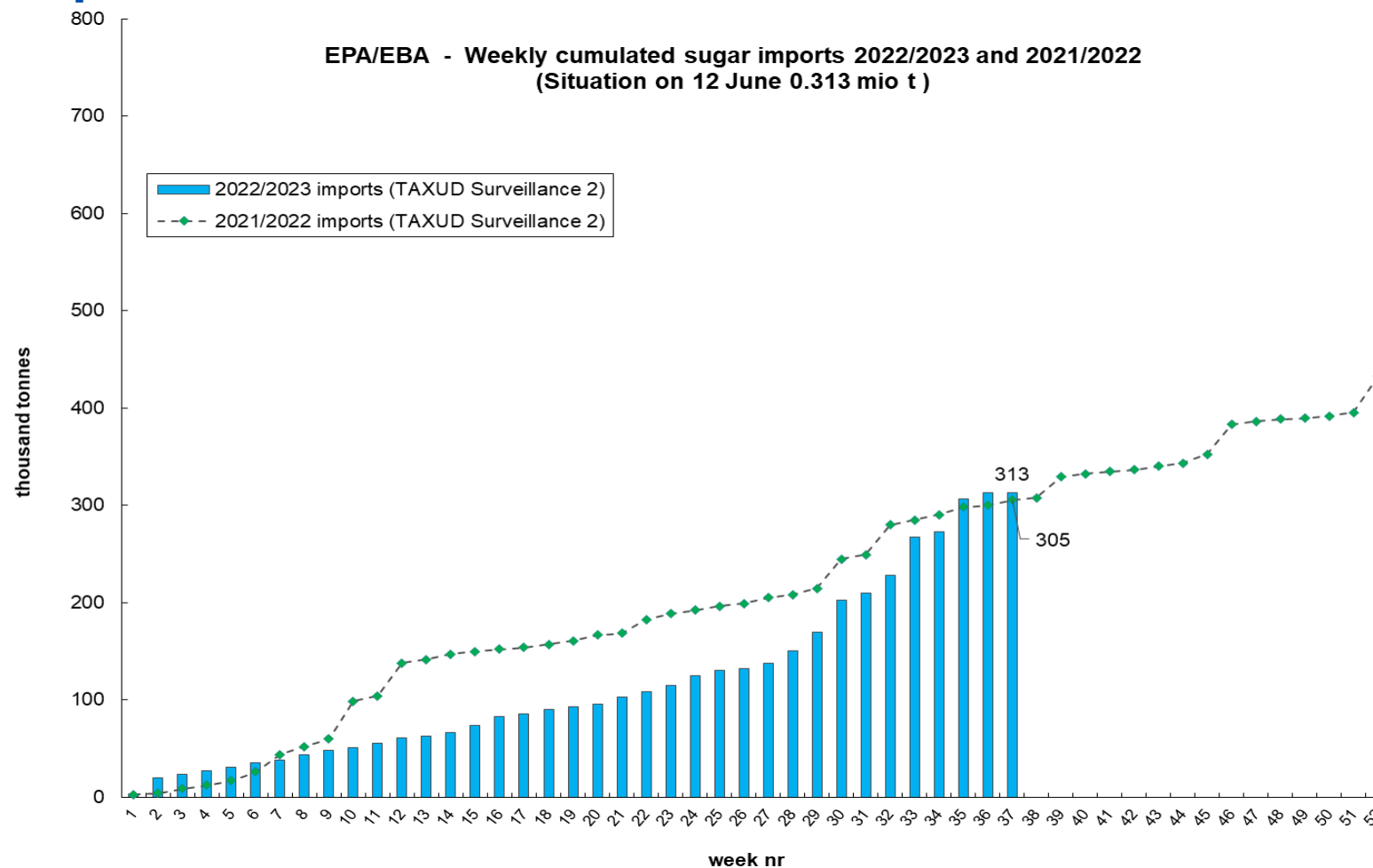


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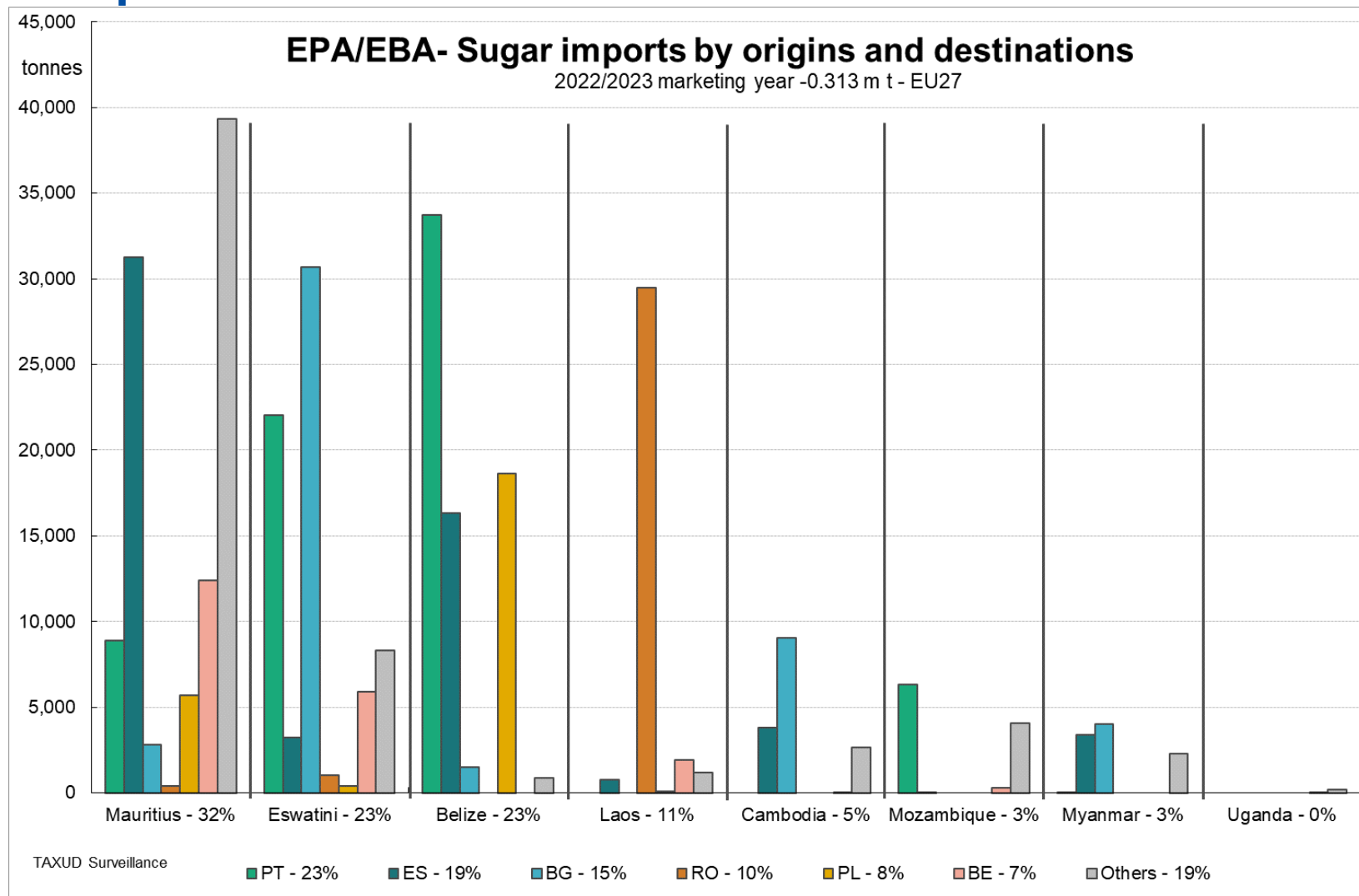
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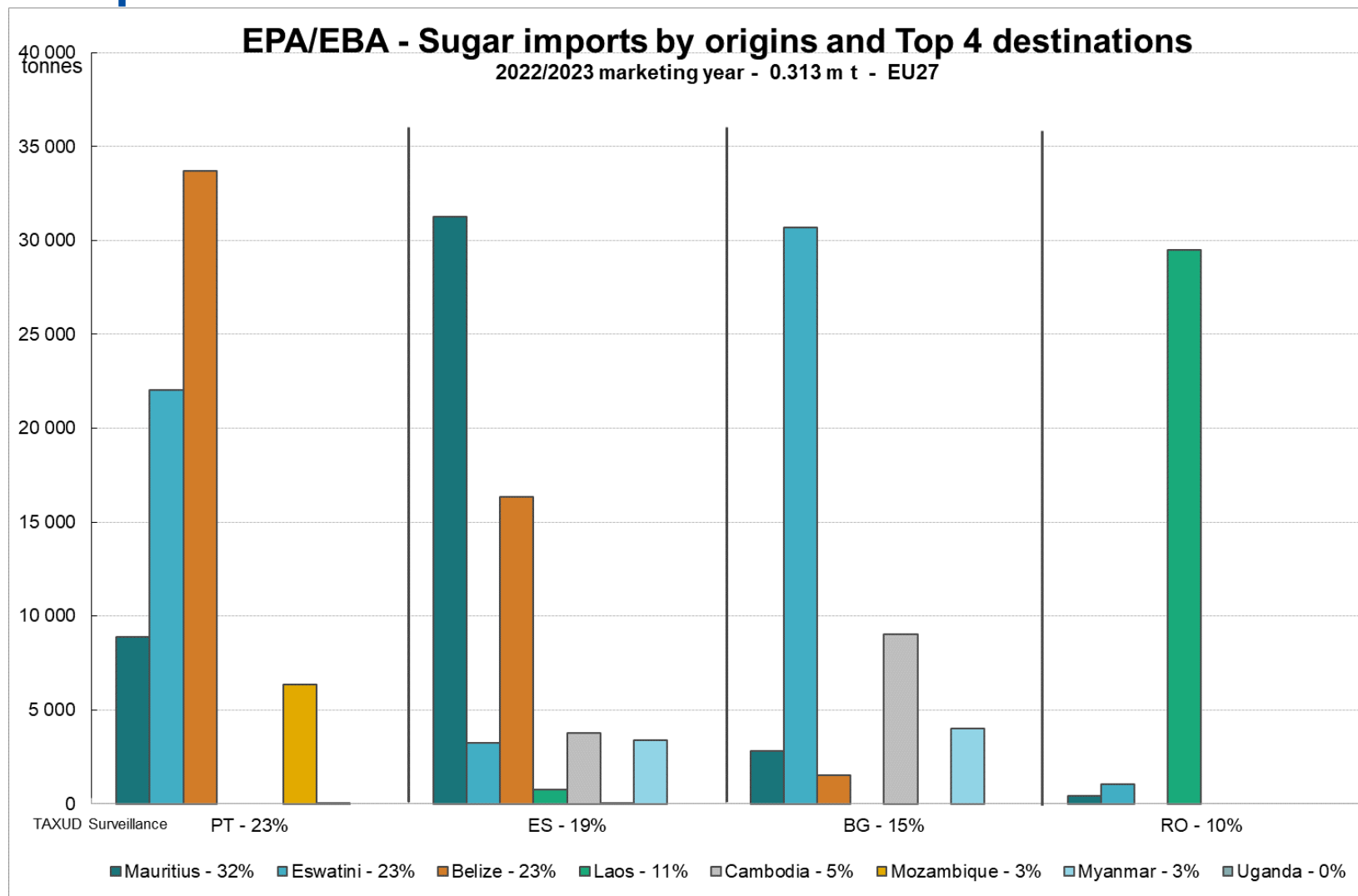
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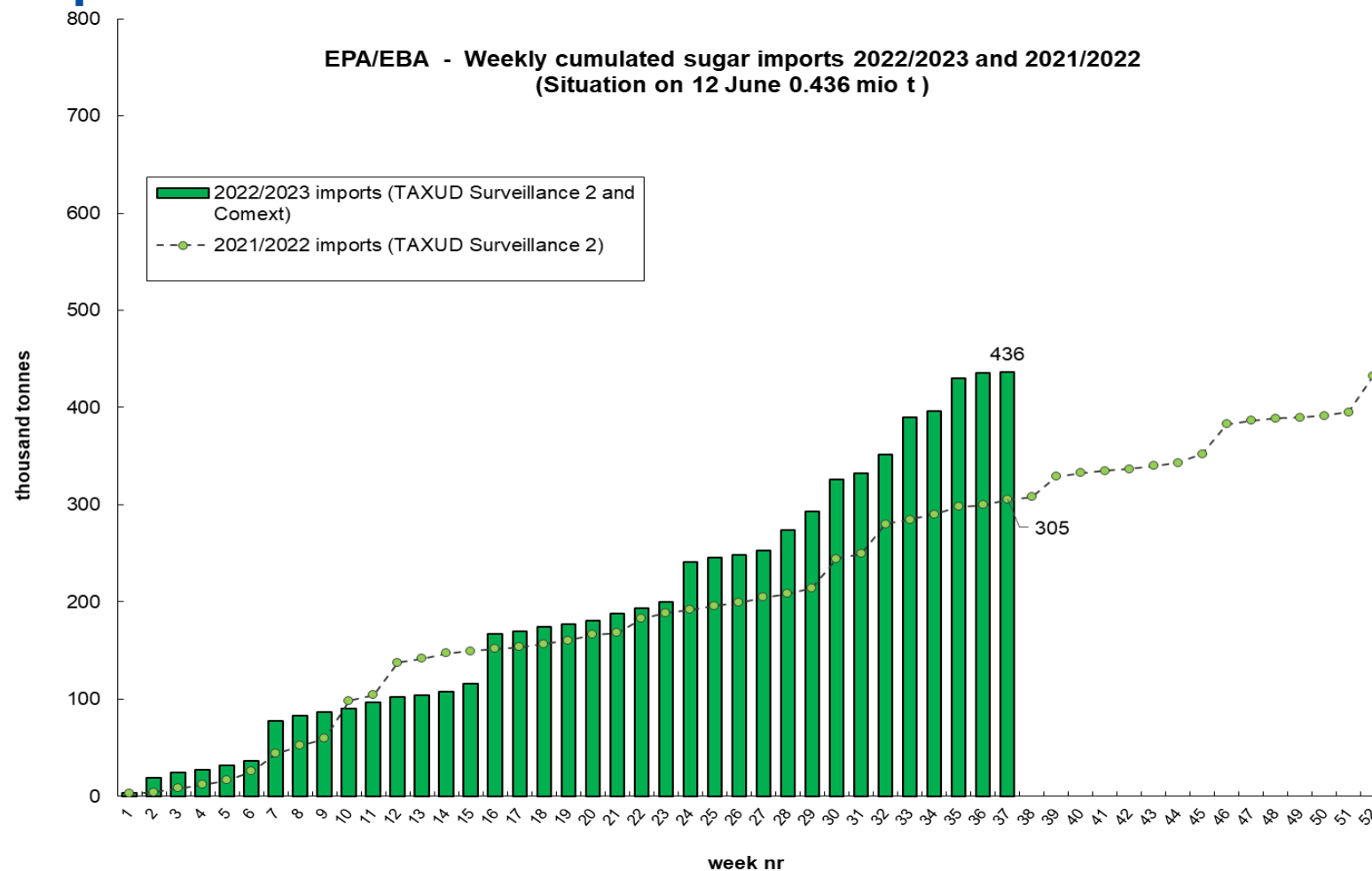
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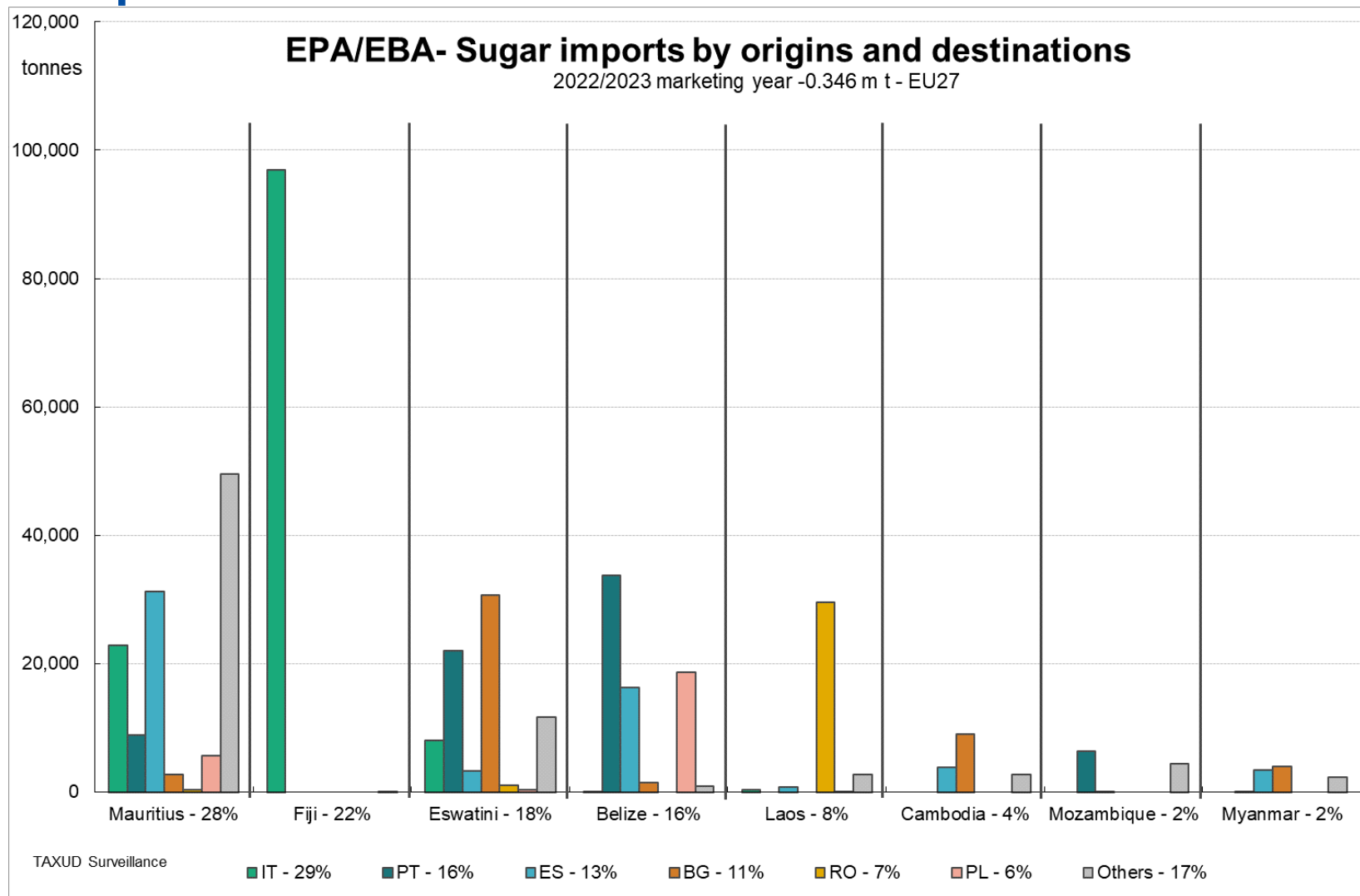
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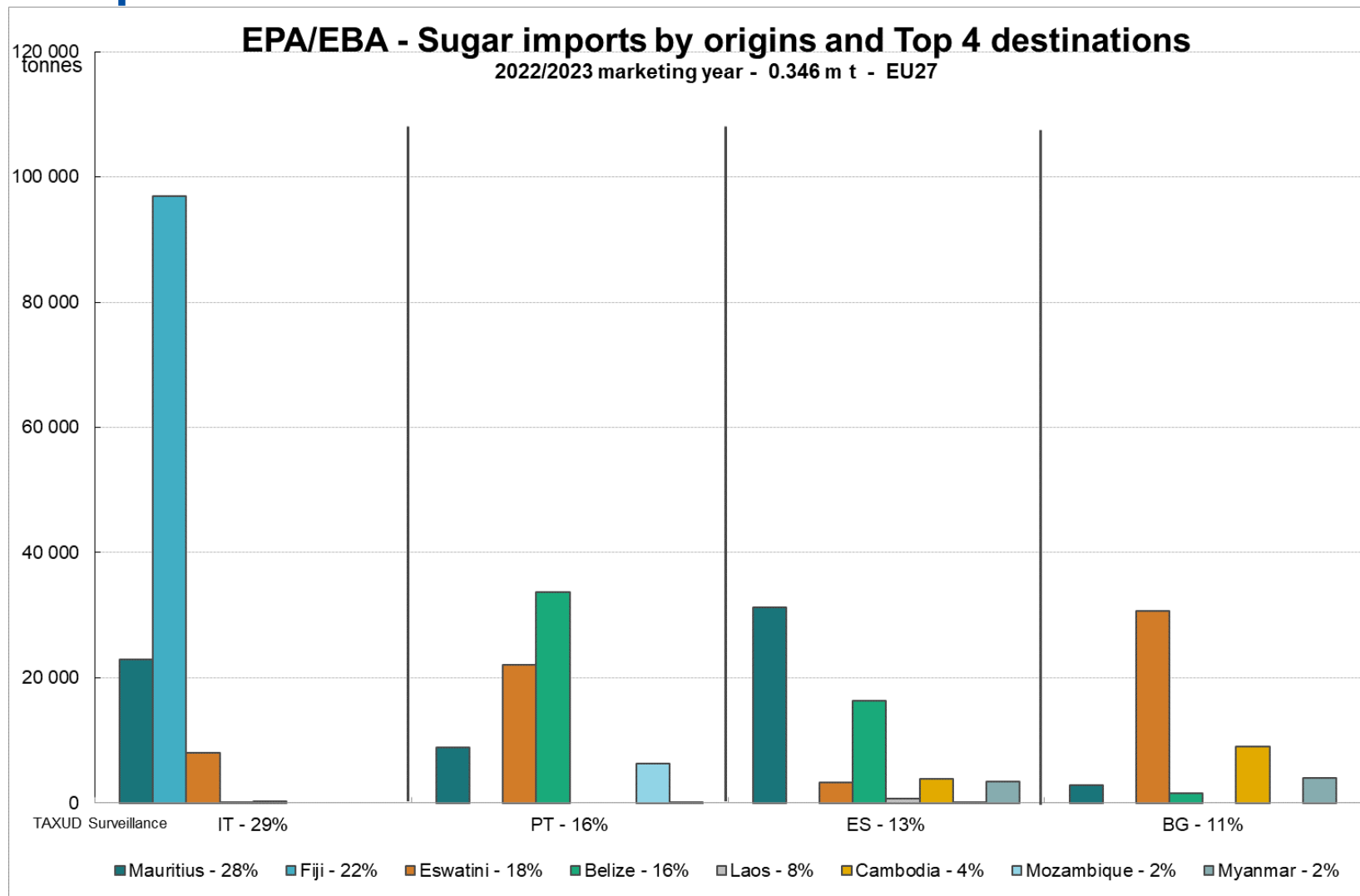
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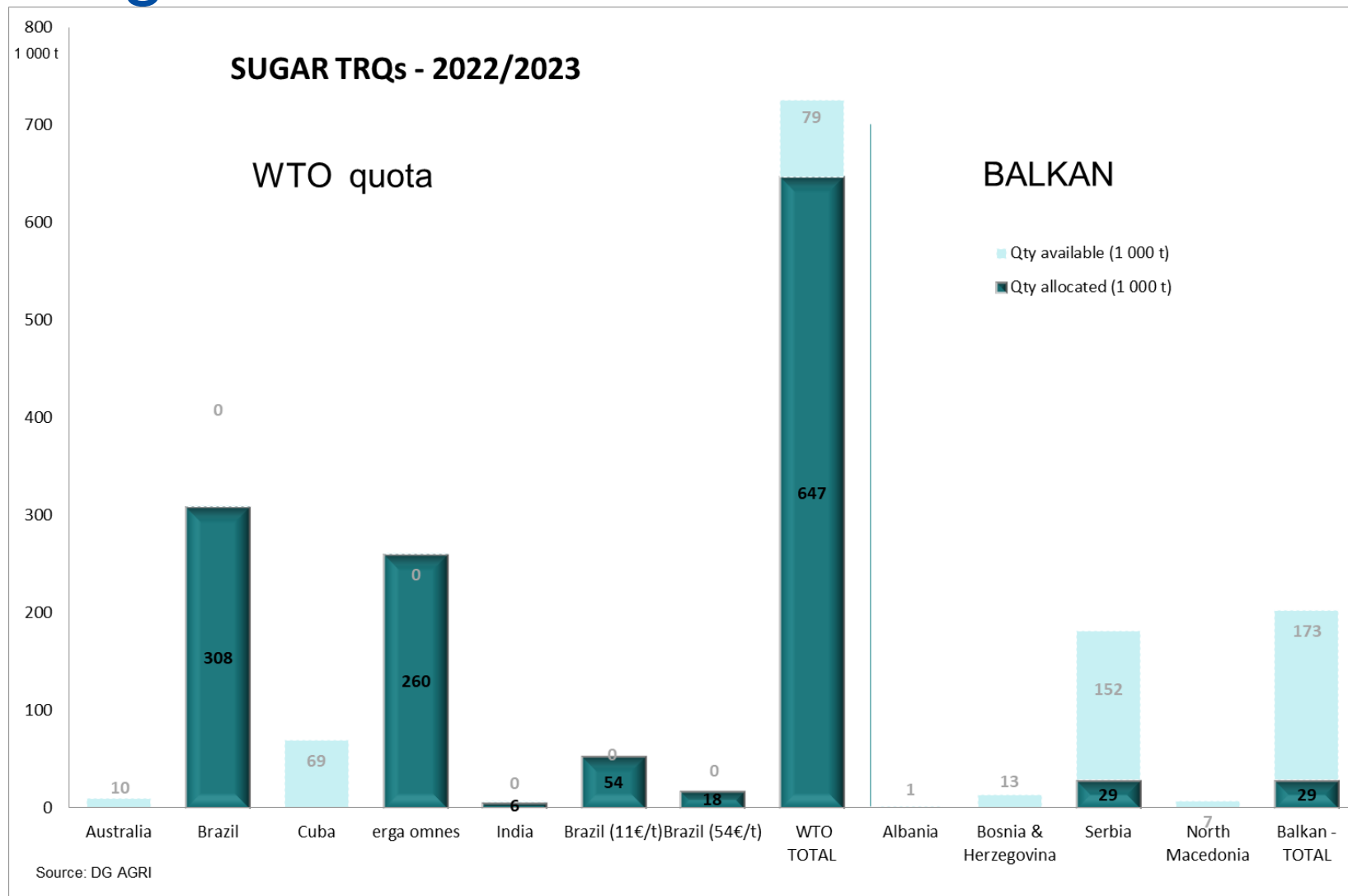
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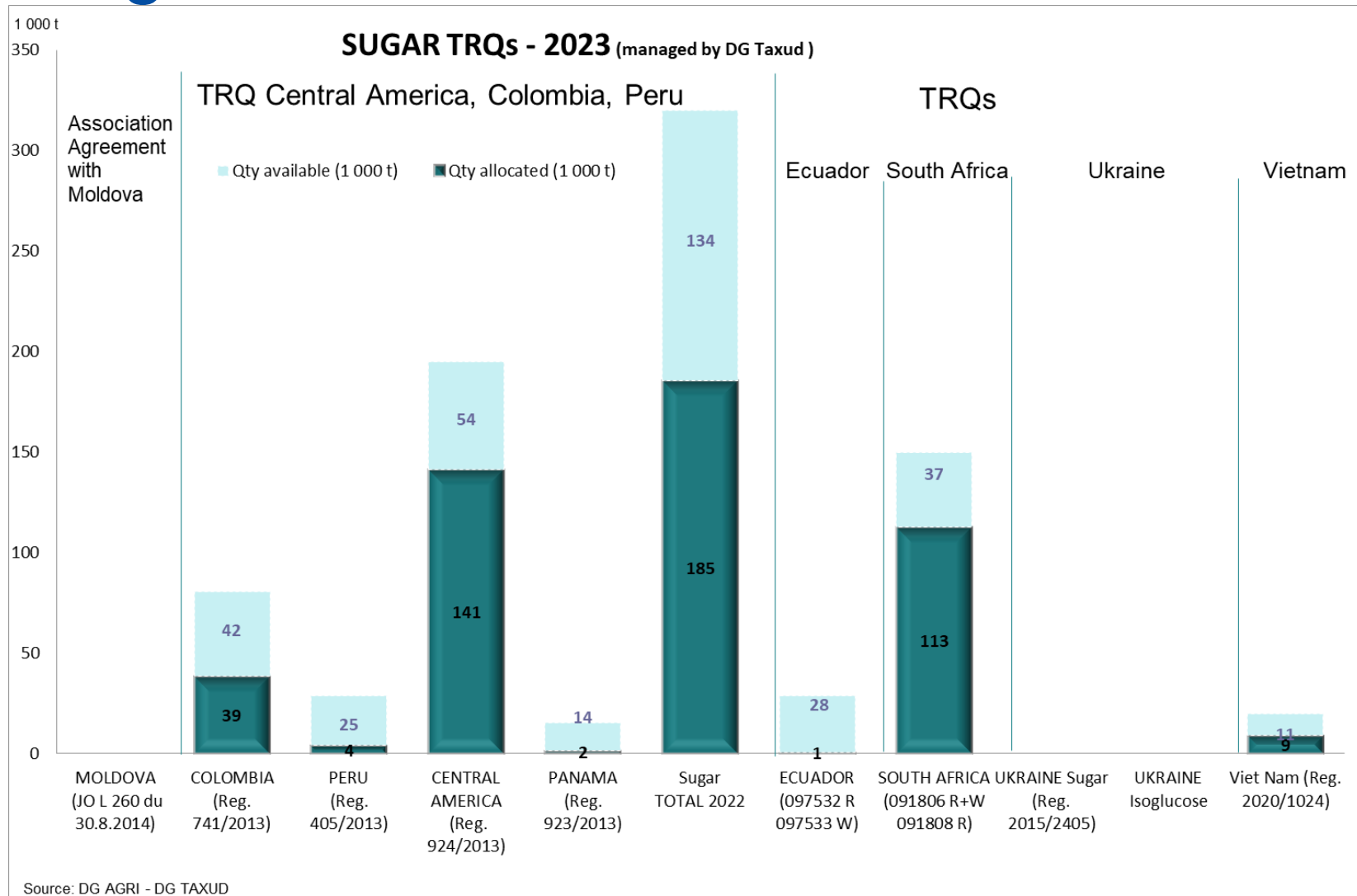
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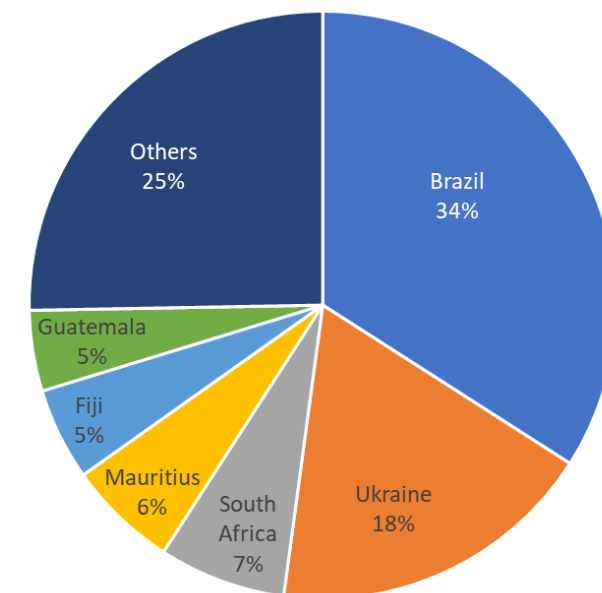
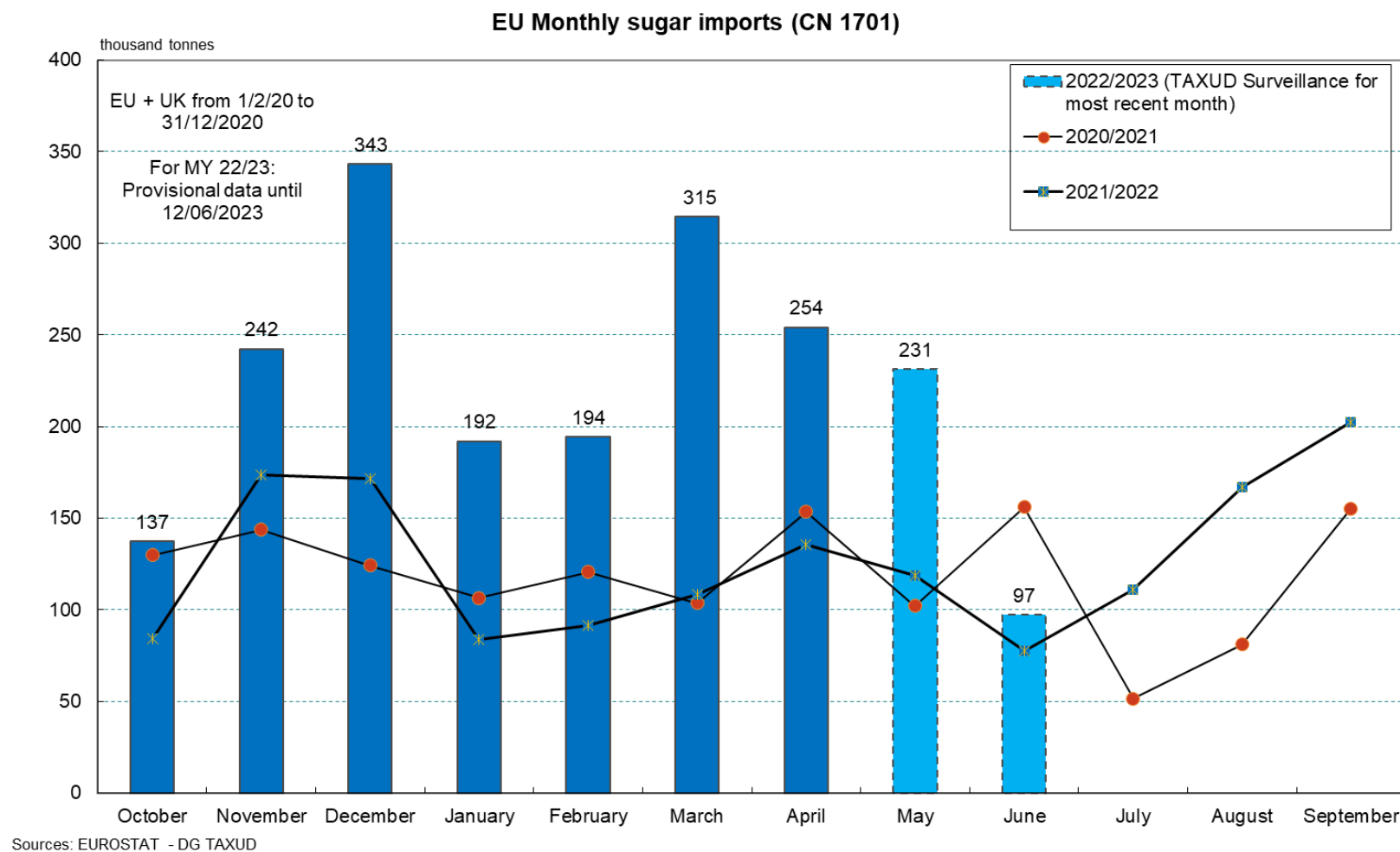
# Sugar TRQs 2023 (EU 27) (15/06/2023)



# EU Total Sugar Trade Flows

# EU Sugar Imports

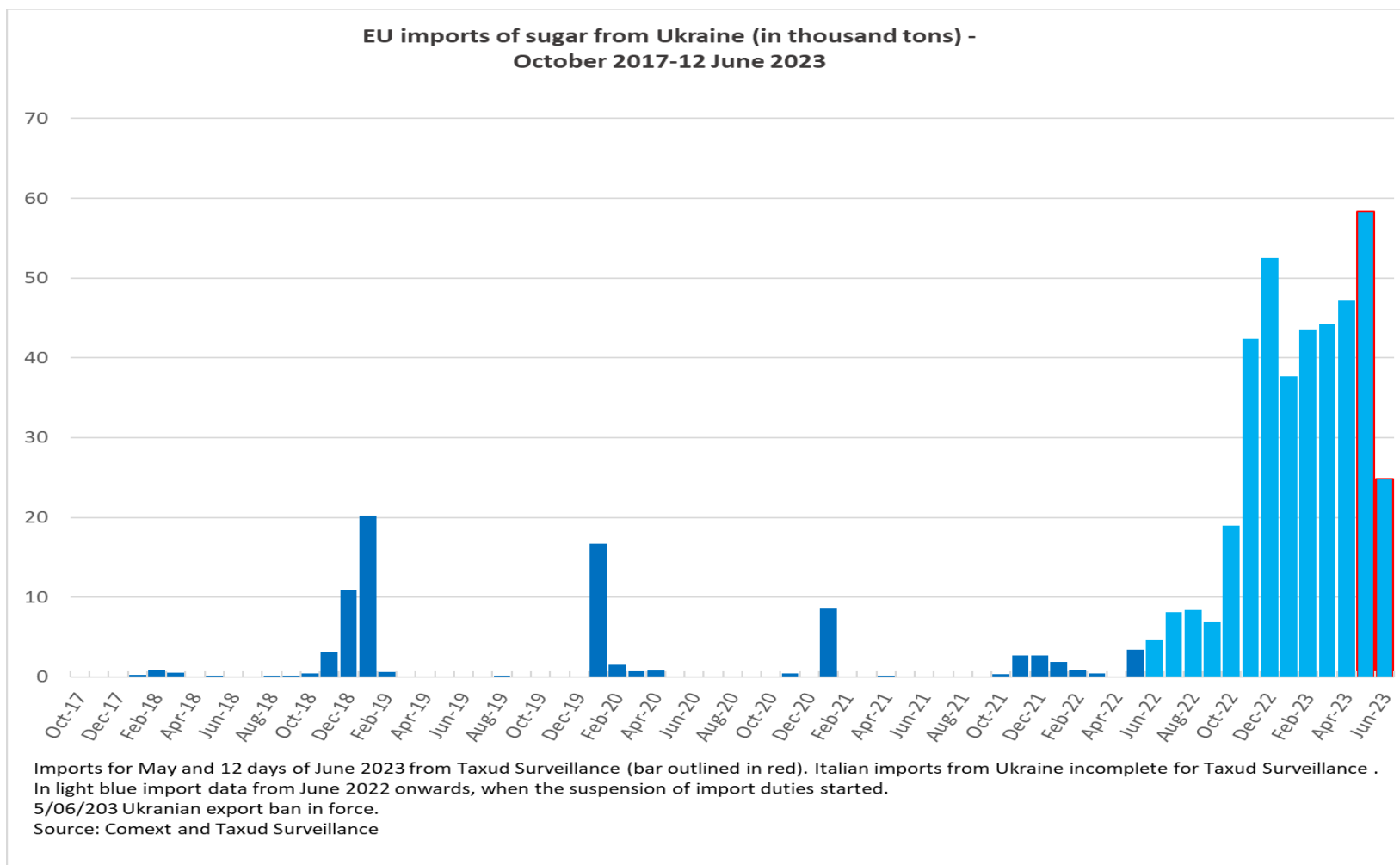
# EU Total imports



EU imports by origin in the eight months of the current Marketing Year 202/23  
(Comext and Taxud data)

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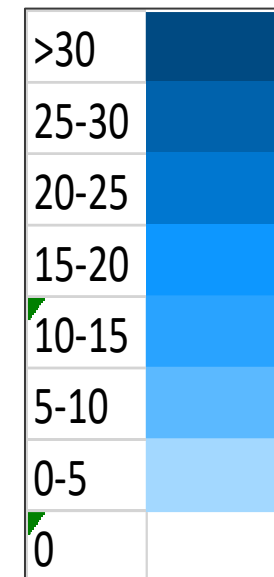
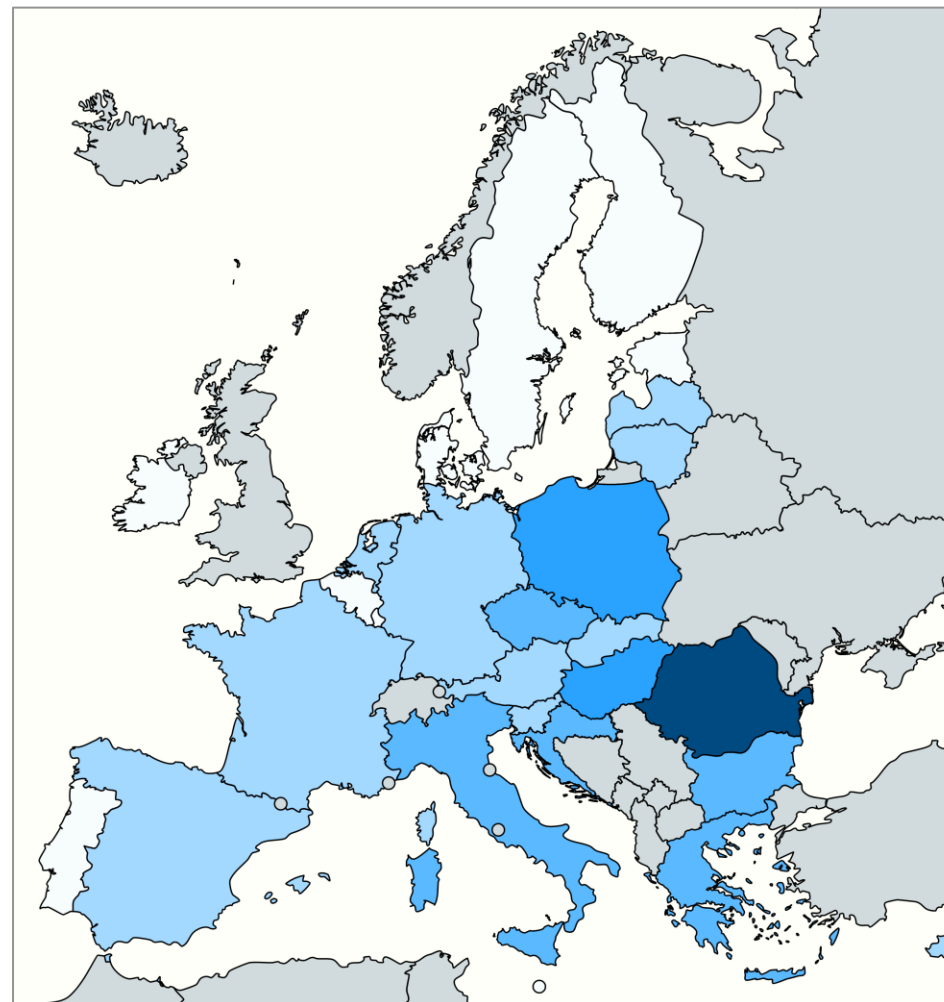
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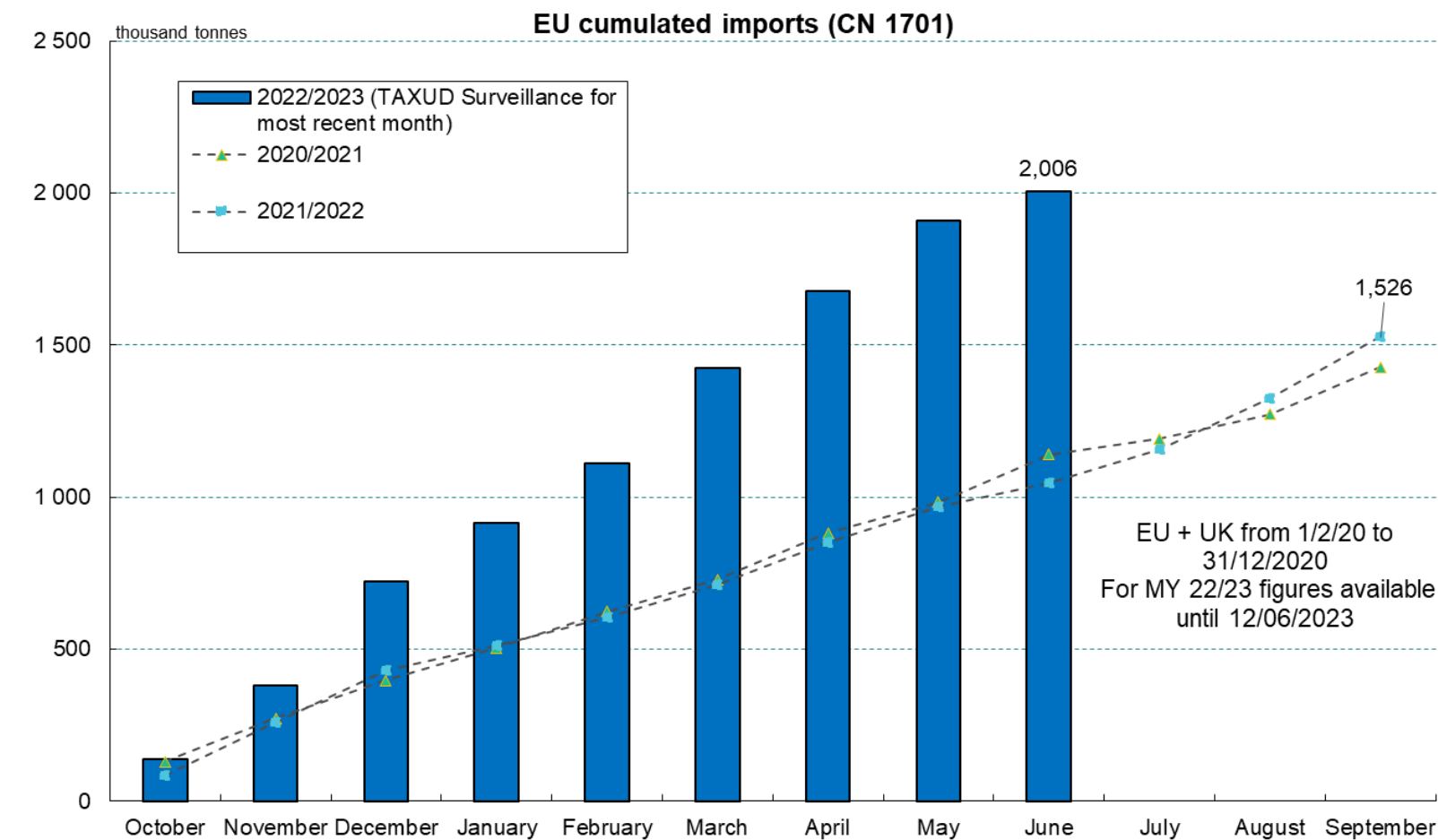
(in tonnes)	Oct.21-May.22	Oct. 22-May.23	Share
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,448</b>	<b>344,974</b>	
Romania	3,342	109,106	31.6%
Poland	3,084	42,253	12.2%
Italy	1,427	33,659	9.8%
Bulgaria	2,008	30,536	8.9%
Hungary		28,954	8.4%
Croatia	43	22,117	6.4%
Greece	260	20,931	6.1%
Czechia		19,244	5.6%
Spain	2,284	13,410	3.9%
Slovenia		6,347	1.8%
Lithuania		5,963	1.7%
Germany		3,609	1.0%
France		2,944	0.9%
Latvia		2,431	0.7%
Slovakia		1,851	0.5%
Austria		1,411	0.4%
Malta		96	0.0%
Estonia		44	0.0%
Netherlands	0	43	0.0%
Cyprus		25	0.0%



Share of total EU imports from Ukraine  
Oct 22-May23

(Source: Comext-Taxud)

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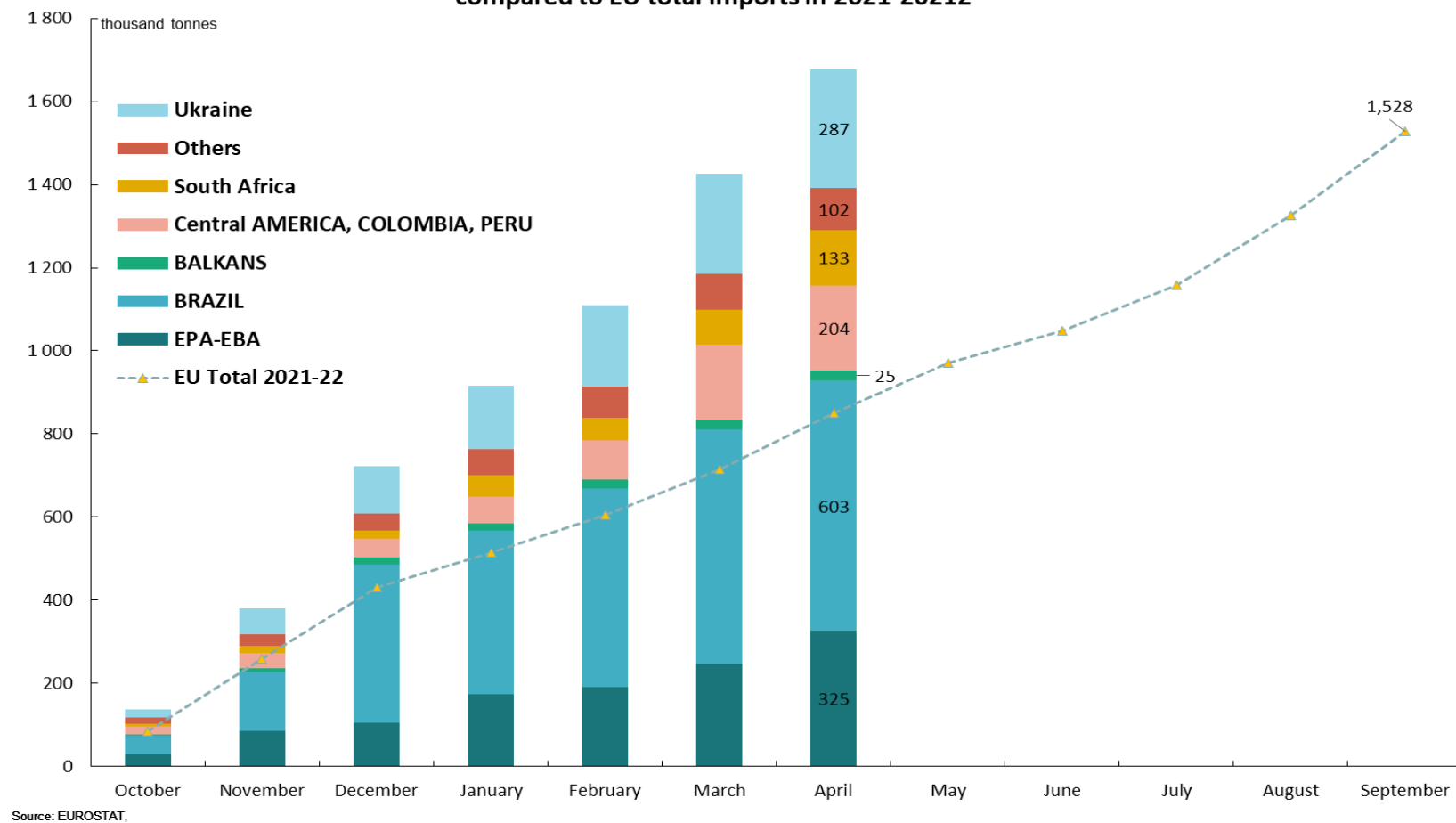
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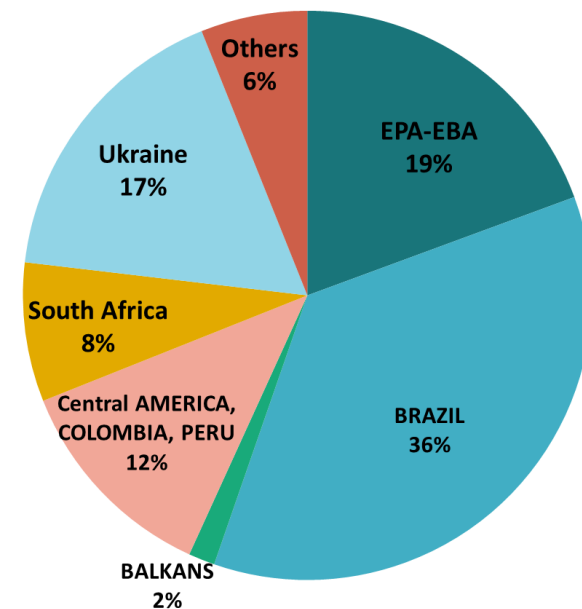


# EU Total imports

EU Sugar main imports origins in 2022-2023  
compared to EU total imports in 2021-2022



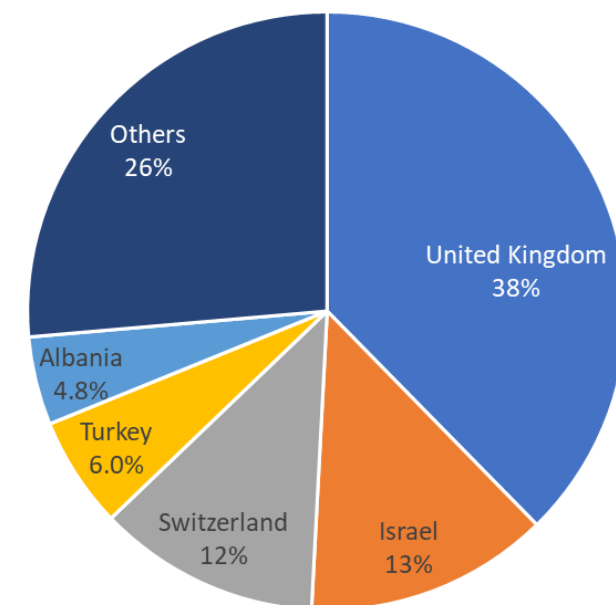
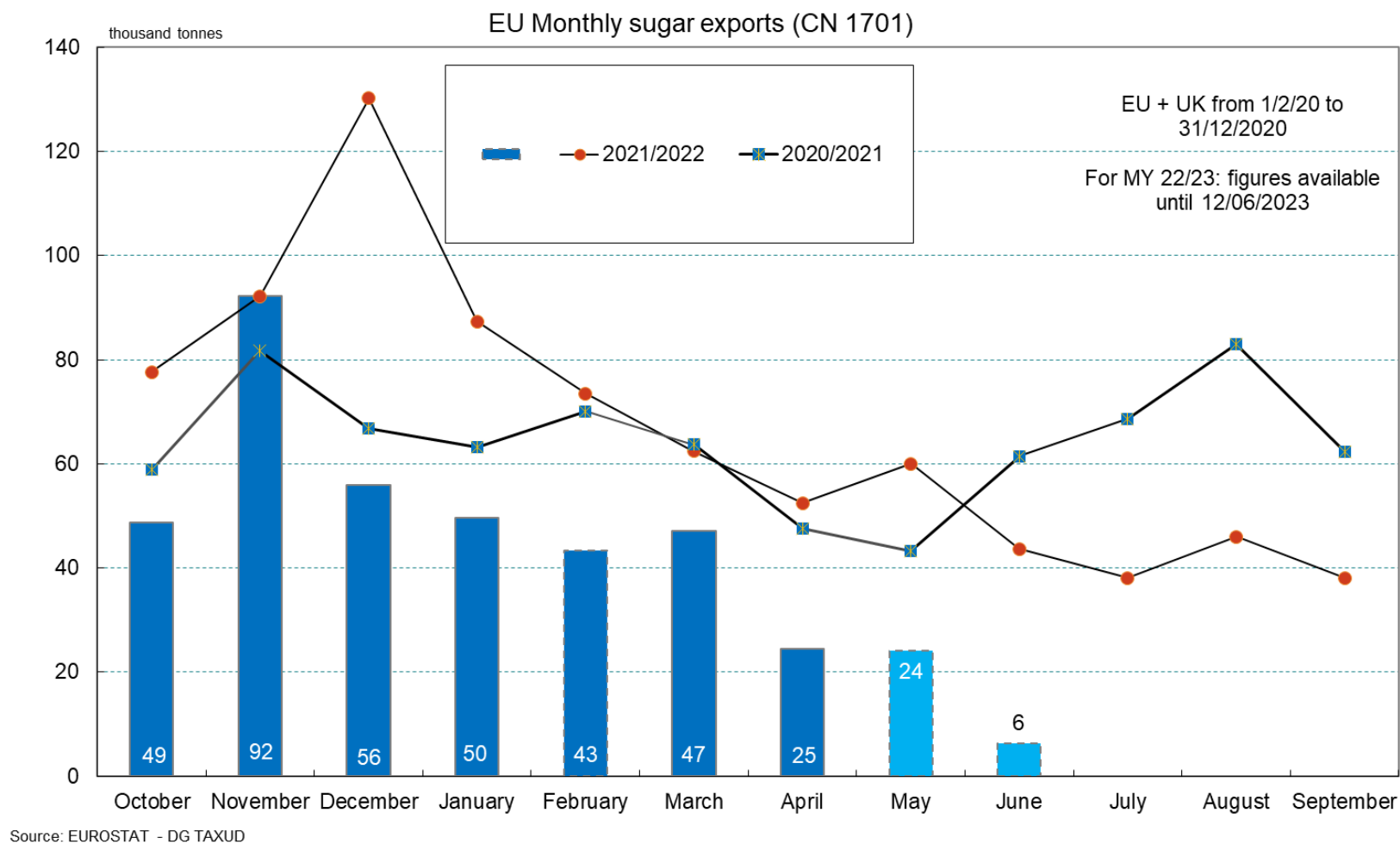
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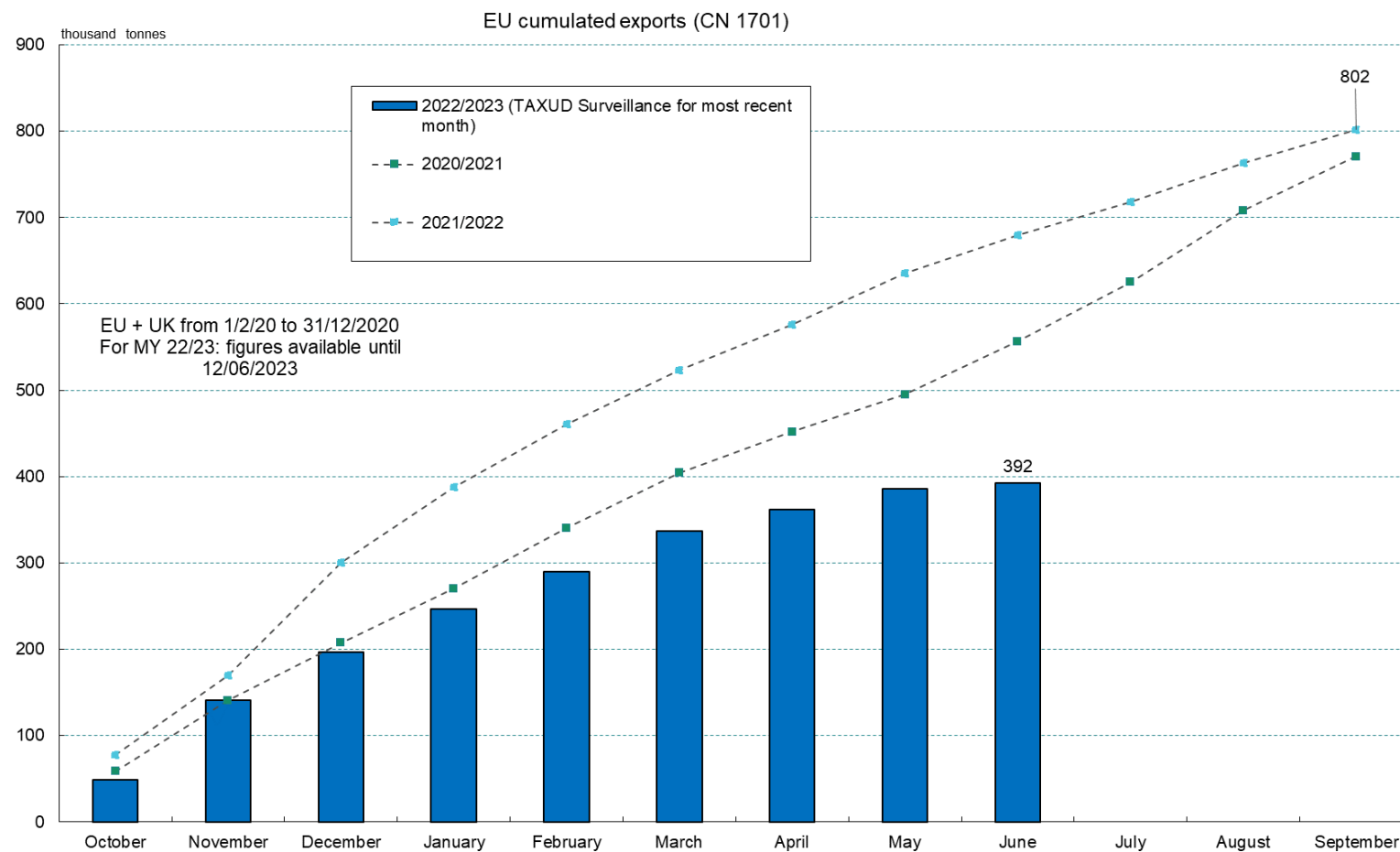
# EU Sugar Exports

# EU Total exports



EU exports by destination  
for eight months of the  
current Marketing Year  
2022/23  
(Comext and Taxud)

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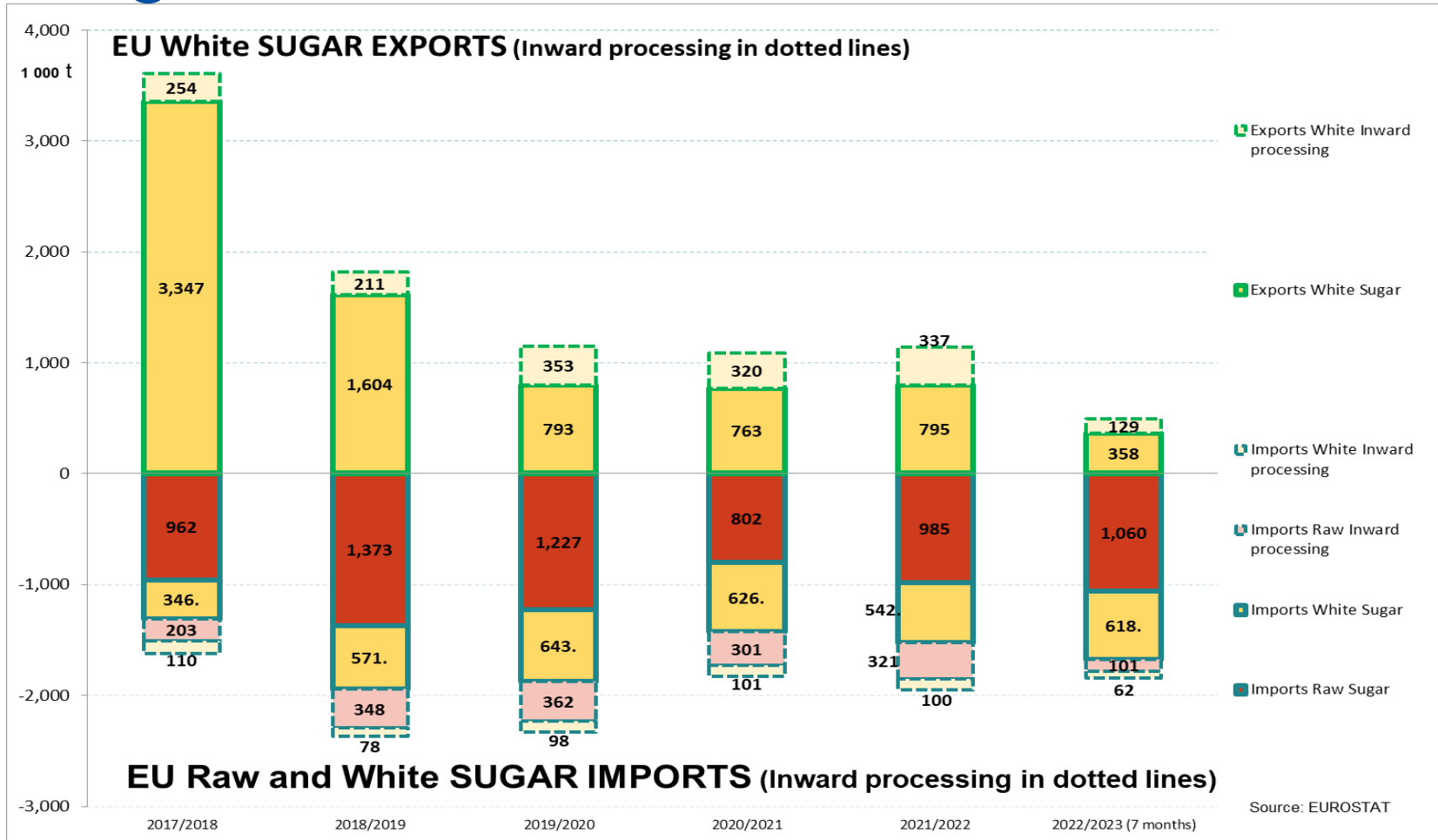


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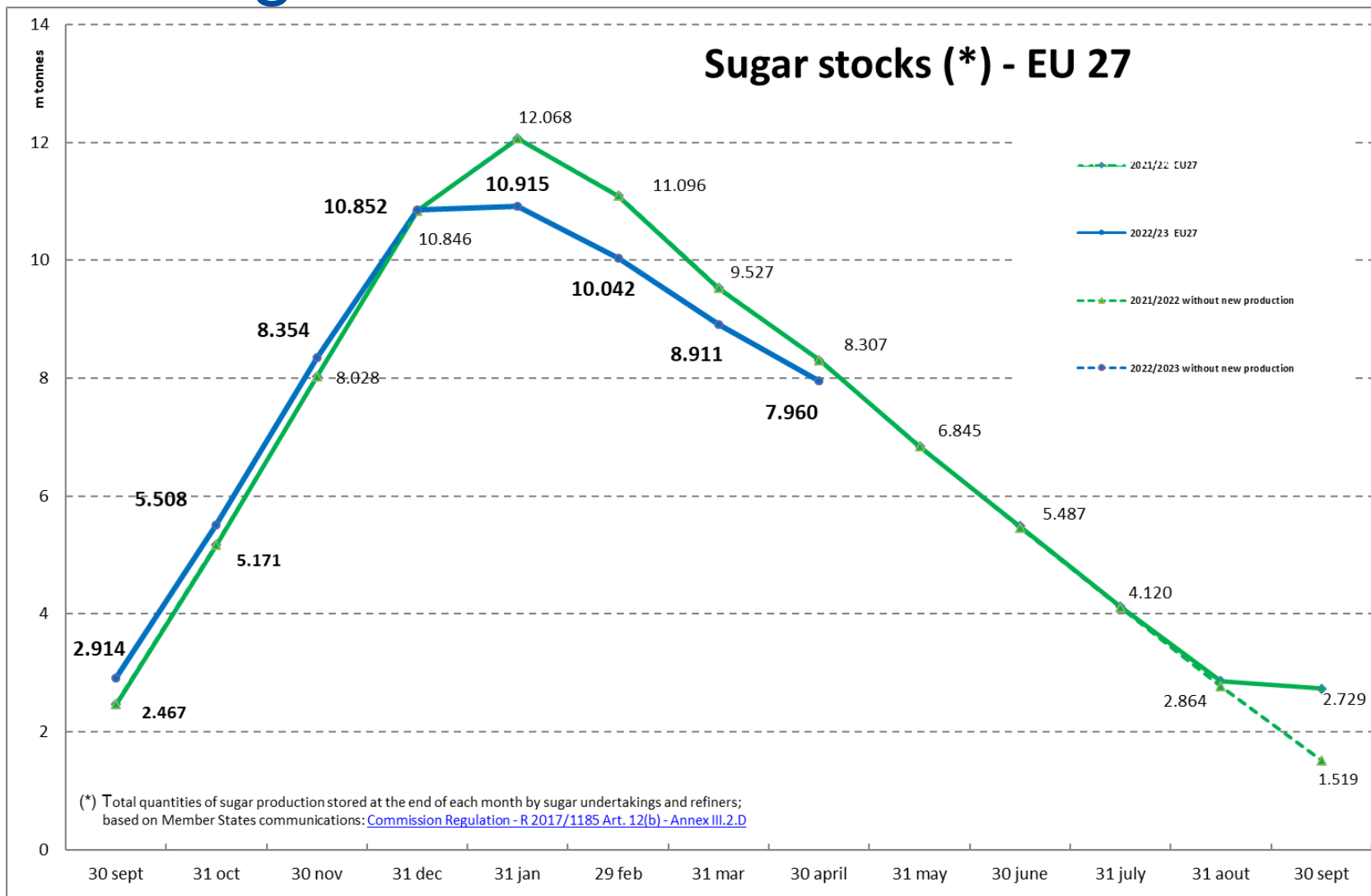
# EU Sugar Trade - Inward processing regimes

# Sugar trade



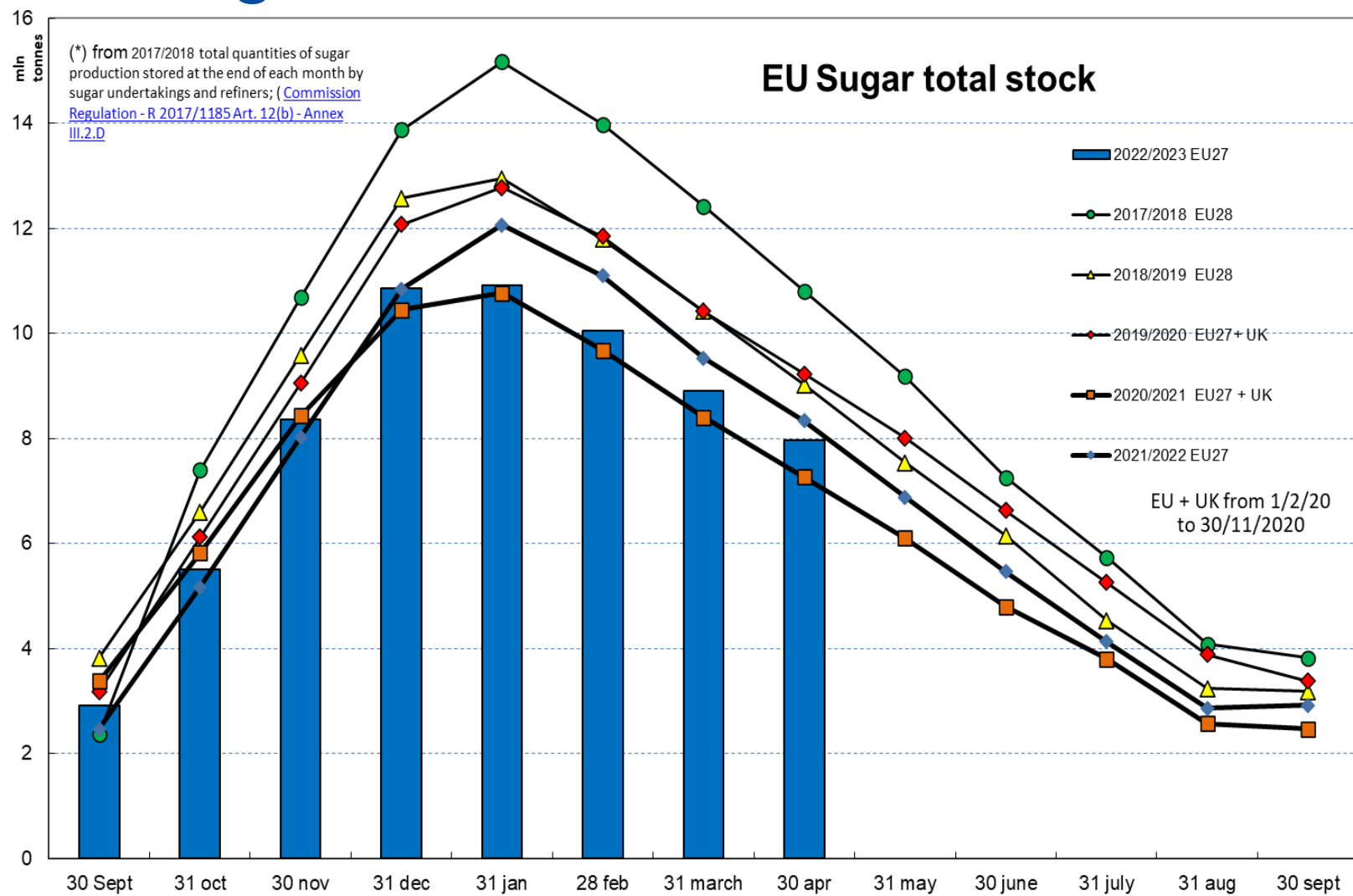
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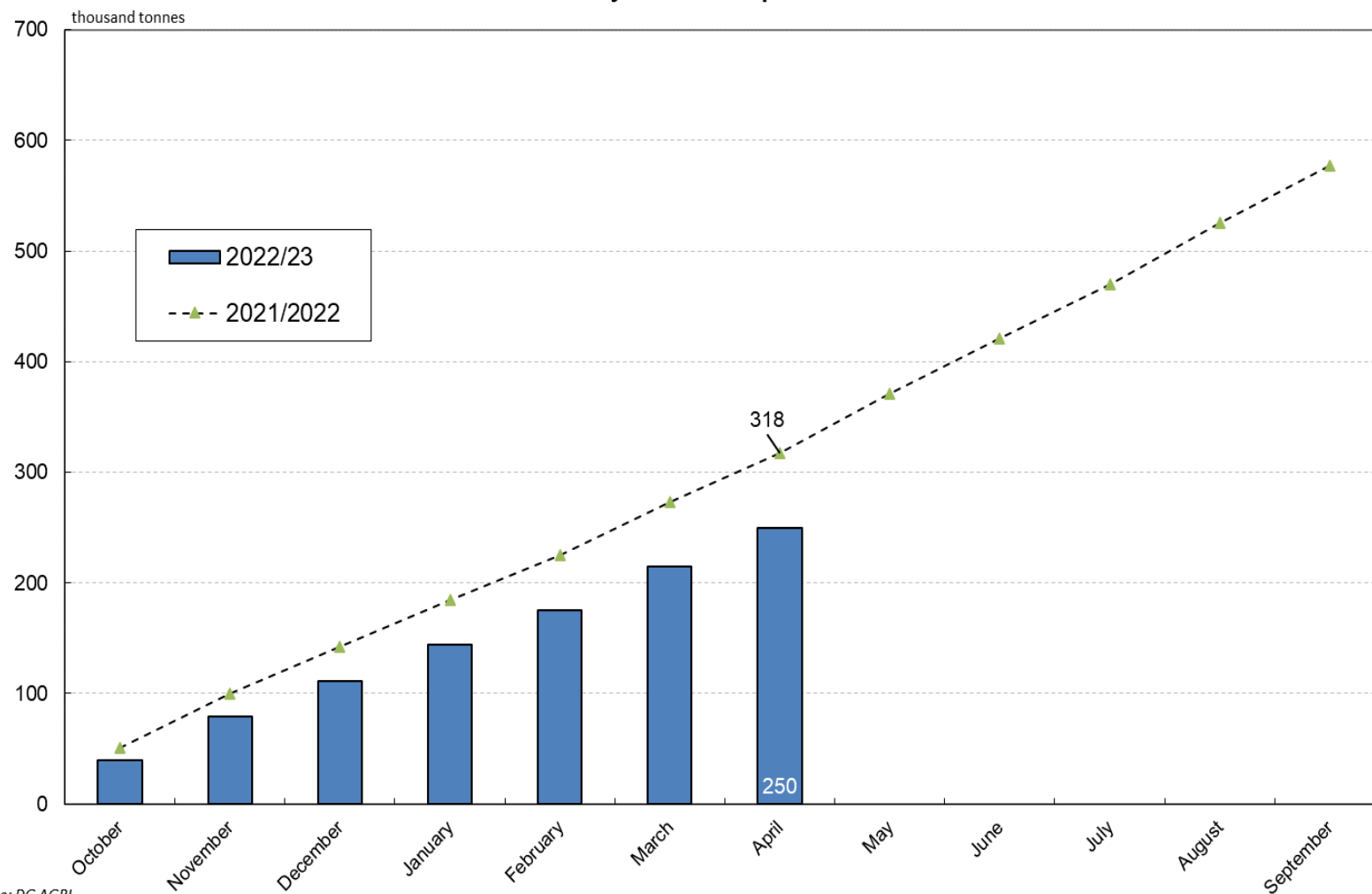
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# EU Isoglucose

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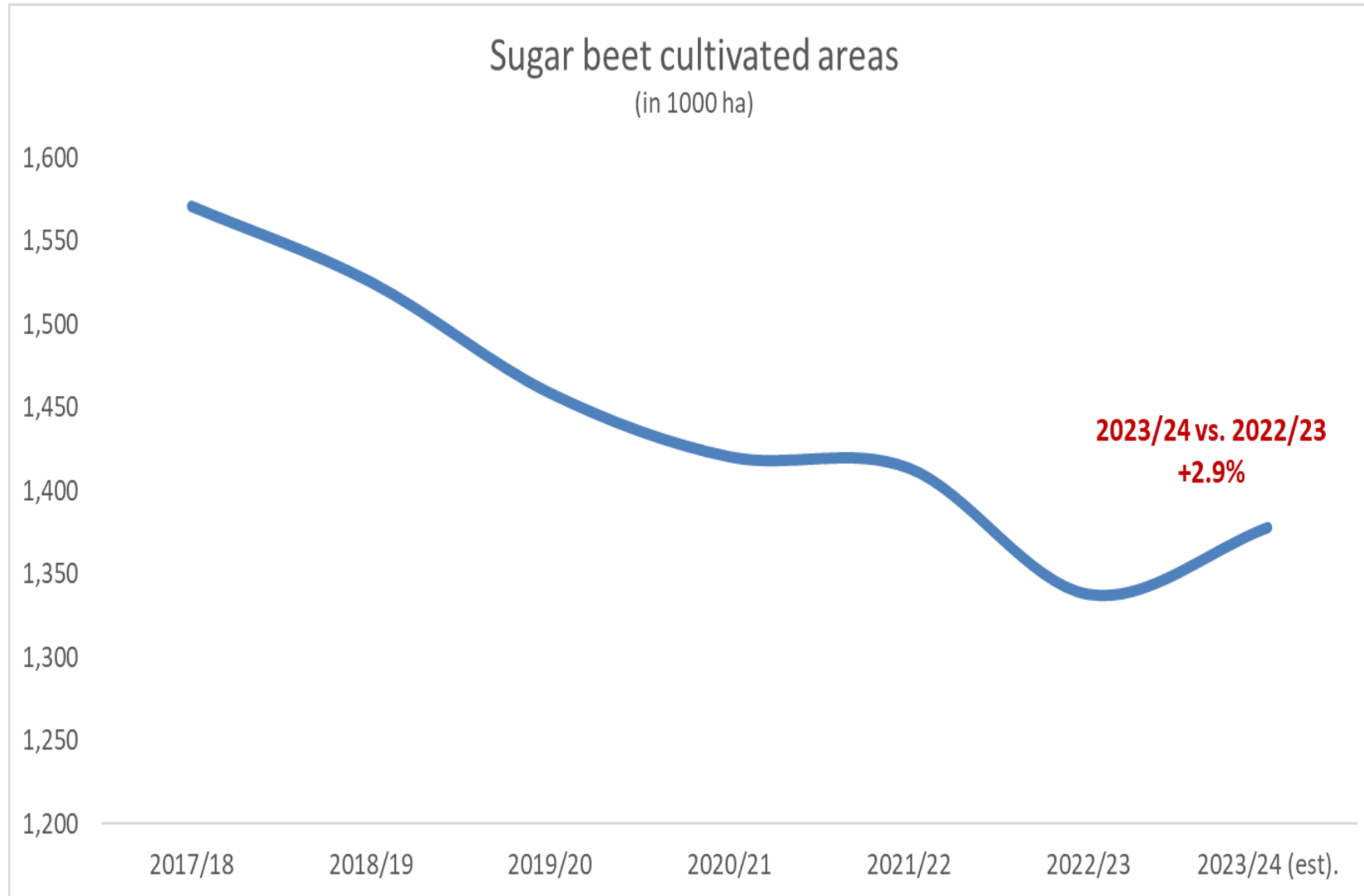
ISOGLUCOSE - EU monthly cumulated production for 2022/2023



Source: DG AGRI.

# Season 2023/24

# Sugar beet cultivated area- preliminary data



# Thank you

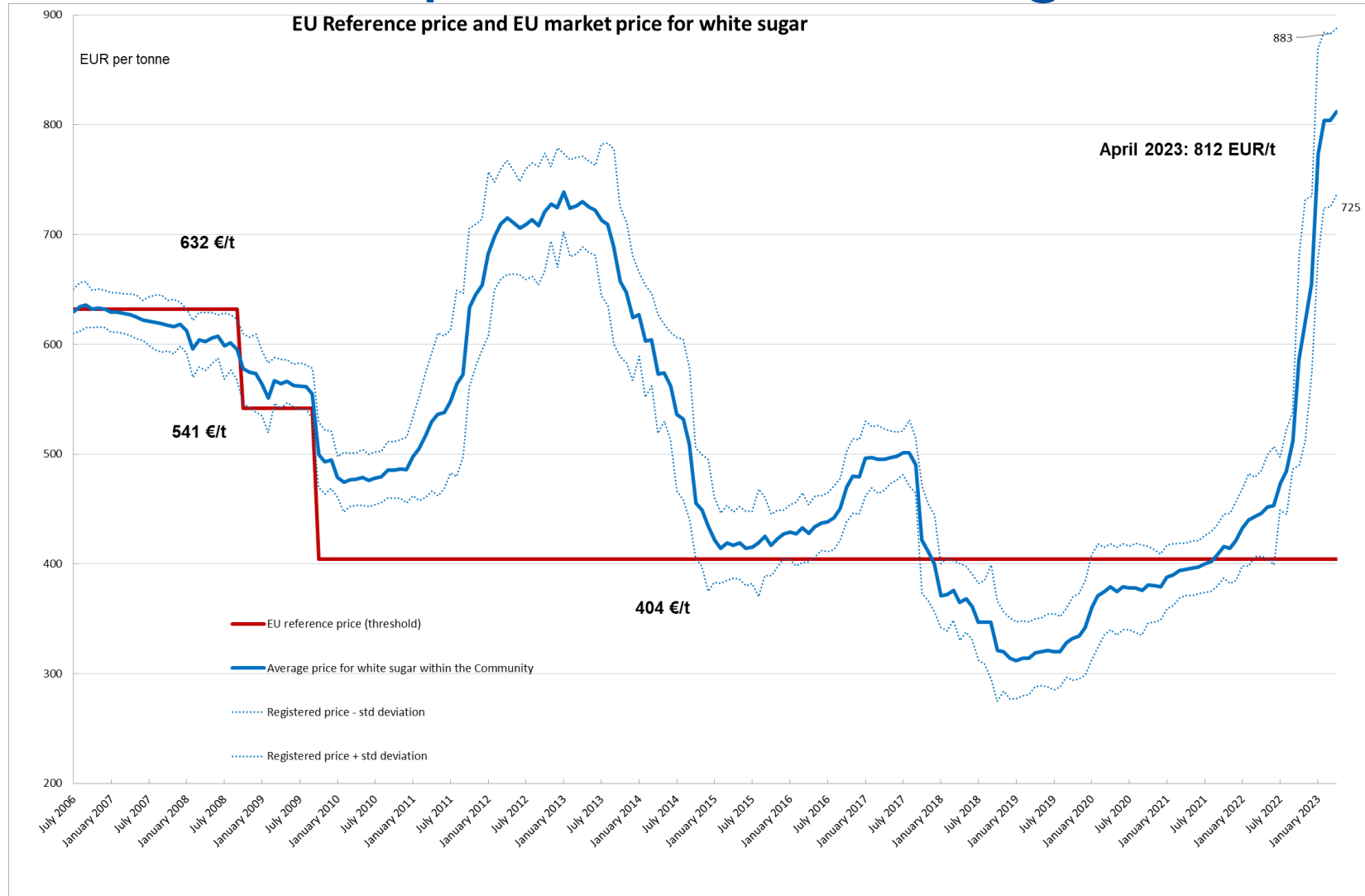


# Sugar Price reporting

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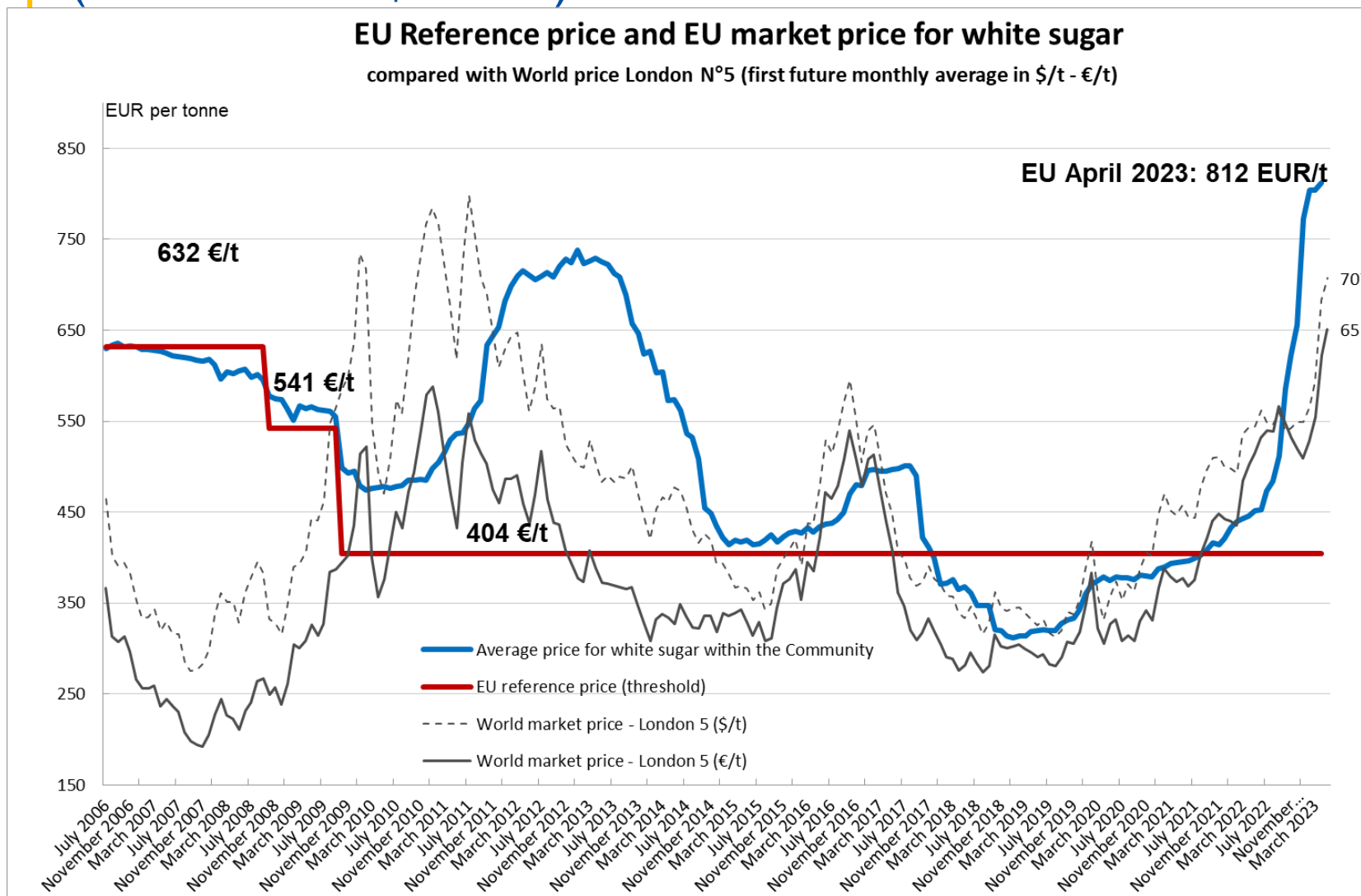
# EU market price for white sugar



- Increase by EUR 366 per tonne compared to April 2022.



# EU market price for white sugar compared with World price London N°5 (first future - \$/t - €/t)



London N°5 (May.2023):

- + EUR 28 per tonne compared to previous month (+4.5%)
- + EUR 137 per tonne compared to May. 2022(+27%)

# EU and Regional market prices for white sugar

Commission Regulation - R 2017/1185 Art. 12 (a) - Annex II 1.

## Average price for white sugar within the Community

Ex-work prices for homogeneous granulated crystal, standard quality, in bulk or big bags

Region 1: AT – CZ – DK – FI – HU – LT – PL – SE – SK  
 Region 2: BE – DE – FR – NL  
 Region 3: BG – ES – GR – HR – IT – PT – RO

in €/t	EU		Region 1	Region 2	Region 3
	average (1)	std dev (2)	average (1)	average (1)	average (1)
April 2022	446	39	440	436	526
May 2022	452	47	441	438	548
June 2022	453	54	446	438	561
July 2022	473	24	445	457	584
August 2022	484	39	467	462	623
September 2022	512	26	474	494	669
October 2022	586	96	595	560	711
November 2022	622	110	623	588	815
December 2022	655	80	665	624	845
January 2023	773	96	774	757	873
February 2023	804	80	802	788	894
March 2023	804	79	802	793	877
April 2023	812	76	806	800	892

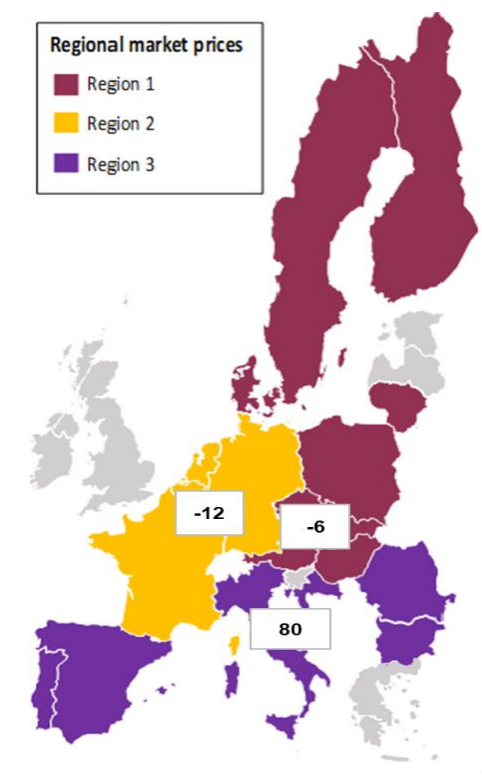
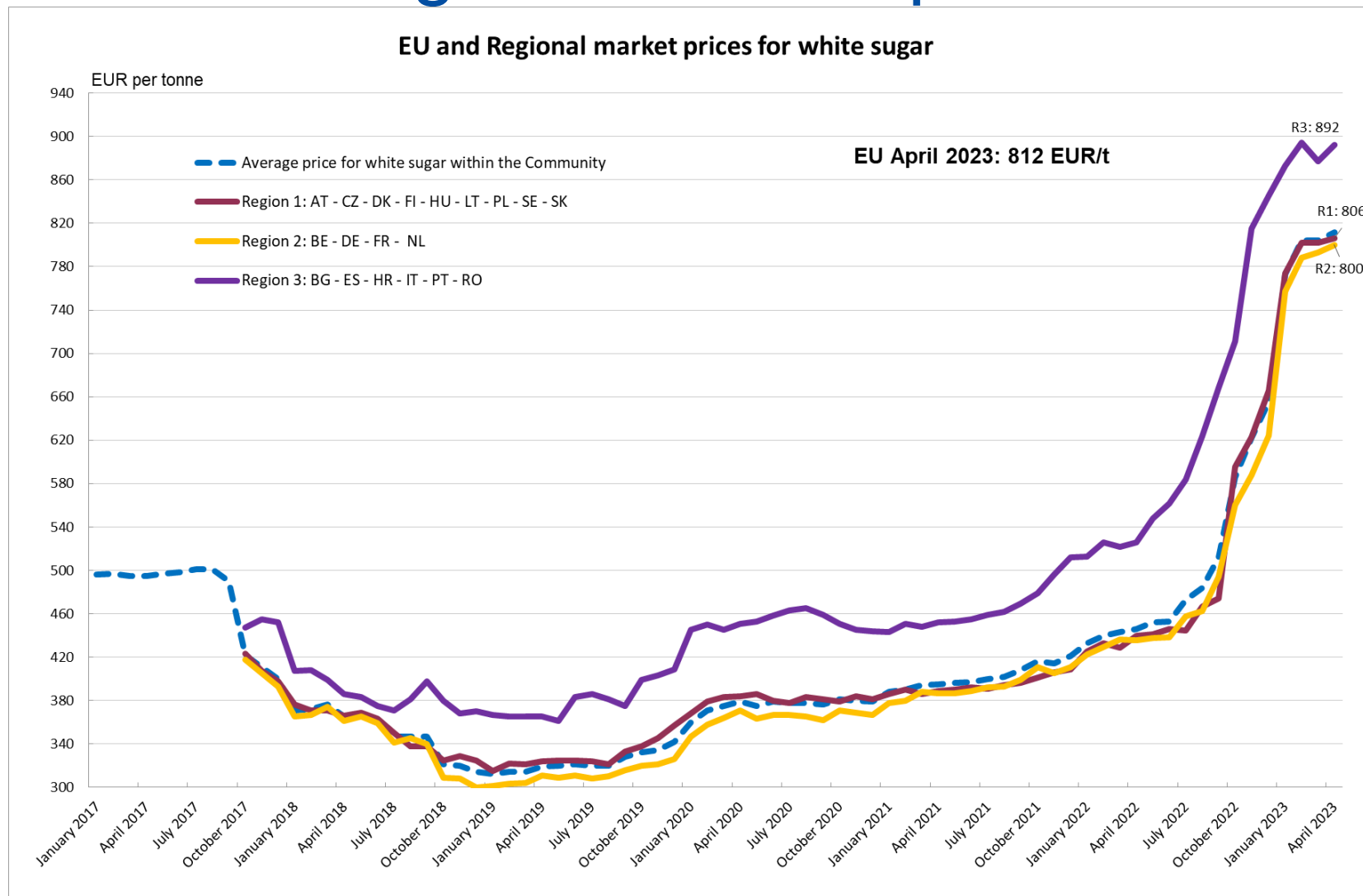
(1) Average weighted by quantities

(2) Standard deviation weighted by quantities

**EU (EU27 + UK from Feb. 20 to Nov. 20)**

- + 366 EUR/ tonne compared to previous year

# EU and Regional market prices for white sugar

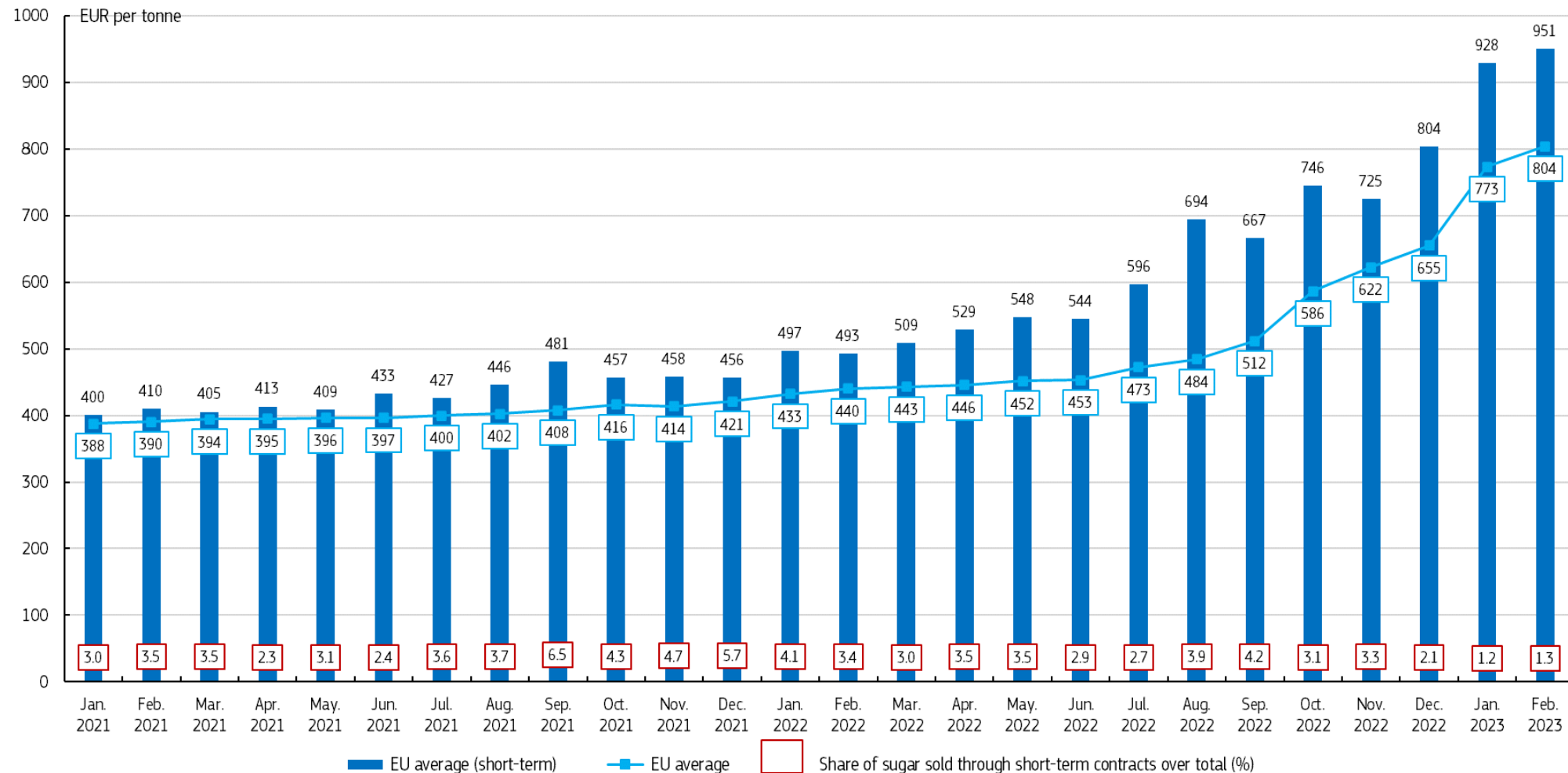


Differences between EU average price and regional average prices

# EU short-term prices

**!Revisions!**

EU average prices, short-term and total



The world and EU sugar prices started rising together with other commodities (agricultural but also energy). However, since other commodity prices came down, sugar prices continued to increase. What could be the reason behind?

The premium on the EU market vs the world market has increased significantly despite strongly increased imports. What drives this premium?

**Price evolution in the  
sugar sector: sharing  
views**

What is your view on the current level of stocks/ availability of supply at country/EU level?

How are EU sugar prices affecting the different stages of the supply chain?

# Thank you