

AGRI-FOOD TRADE STATISTICAL FACTSHEET

European Union - Tunisia

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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 33, 35, 38, 41, 43 and 51-53. 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: https://ec.europa.eu/info/sites/info/files/food-farming-fisheries/farming/documents/agrifood-product-classes-details_en.pdf

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: Tunisia

1. Selection of indicators

Agricultural indicators

	Unit	Period	World	Partner
1 Agriculture, value added	(% of GDP)	2019	4.0	9.6
2 Employment in agriculture	(% of total employment)	2019	26.7	13.8
3 Arable land	(ha)	2018	n.a.	2 607 000
4 Crop production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	86.8
5 Livestock production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	96.6
6 Food production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	89.5
7 Rural population	(% of total population)	2019	44.3	30.7

Source: World Bank

Trade indicators

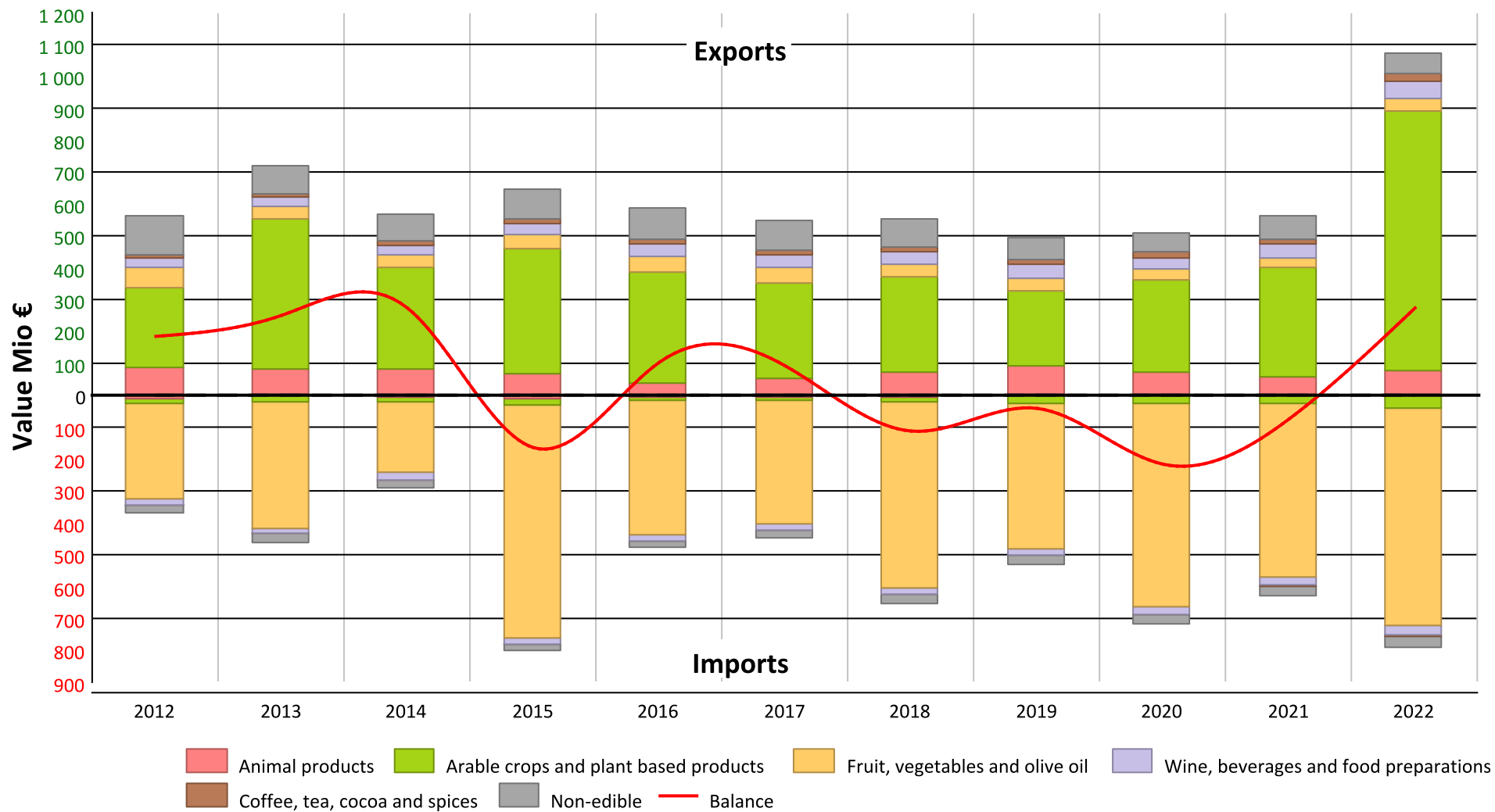
	Unit	Exports	Imports	Balance
EU27 Agri-food trade with Tunisia				
Agri-food trade value	Mio €	1 071	796	275
- as share of EU27 total Agri-food trade	(%)	0.5	0.5	
- as share of EU27 total trade with Tunisia	(%)	7.9	6.4	
% change 2021 - 2022		91.6	26.0	
Annual rate of change from 2012 - 2022	(%)	6.7	7.9	
EU27 total trade with Tunisia				
Total trade value	Mio €	13 589	12 518	1 071
- as share of EU27 total trade	(%)	0.5	0.4	
EU27 world trade				
Total trade value	Mio €	2 572 884	3 003 132	-430 248
Total Agri-food trade	Mio €	229 559	172 002	57 557
- as share of EU27 total trade	(%)	8.9	5.7	-13.4

Ranking of EU main Agri-food trade partners and Tunisia

Top Destinations: 2022				Top Origins: 2022			
		Value Mio €	% Share Extra-EU			Value Mio €	% Share Extra-EU
1	United Kingdom	47 879	21.0	1	Brazil	20 190	11.8
2	USA	29 011	12.8	2	United Kingdom	15 249	8.9
3	China	15 819	7.0	3	Ukraine	13 213	7.7
4	Switzerland	11 196	4.9	4	USA	12 279	7.2
5	Japan	8 330	3.7	5	China	9 811	5.7
6	Russia	7 134	3.1	6	Argentina	6 956	4.1
7	Norway	5 890	2.6	7	Indonesia	6 708	3.9
8	Saudi Arabia	4 817	2.1	8	Türkiye	5 624	3.3
9	Canada	4 731	2.1	9	Switzerland	4 846	2.8
10	South Korea	4 609	2.0	10	Australia	3 856	2.2
11	Türkiye	4 162	1.8	11	India	3 669	2.1
12	Morocco	4 010	1.8	12	Ivory Coast	3 509	2.0
13	Australia	3 838	1.7	13	Vietnam	3 460	2.0
14	Algeria	3 605	1.6	14	Malaysia	3 404	2.0
15	United Arab Emirates	3 256	1.4	15	Peru	3 379	2.0
16	Israel	3 176	1.4	16	Morocco	3 256	1.9
17	Ukraine	2 928	1.3	17	Canada	2 974	1.7
18	Egypt	2 844	1.3	18	Colombia	2 650	1.5
19	Brazil	2 352	1.0	19	South Africa	2 620	1.5
20	Mexico	2 311	1.0	20	Thailand	2 361	1.4
36	Tunisia	1 071	0.5	37	Tunisia	795	0.5
	Rest of the World	55 593	23.1		Rest of the World	41 407	23.4

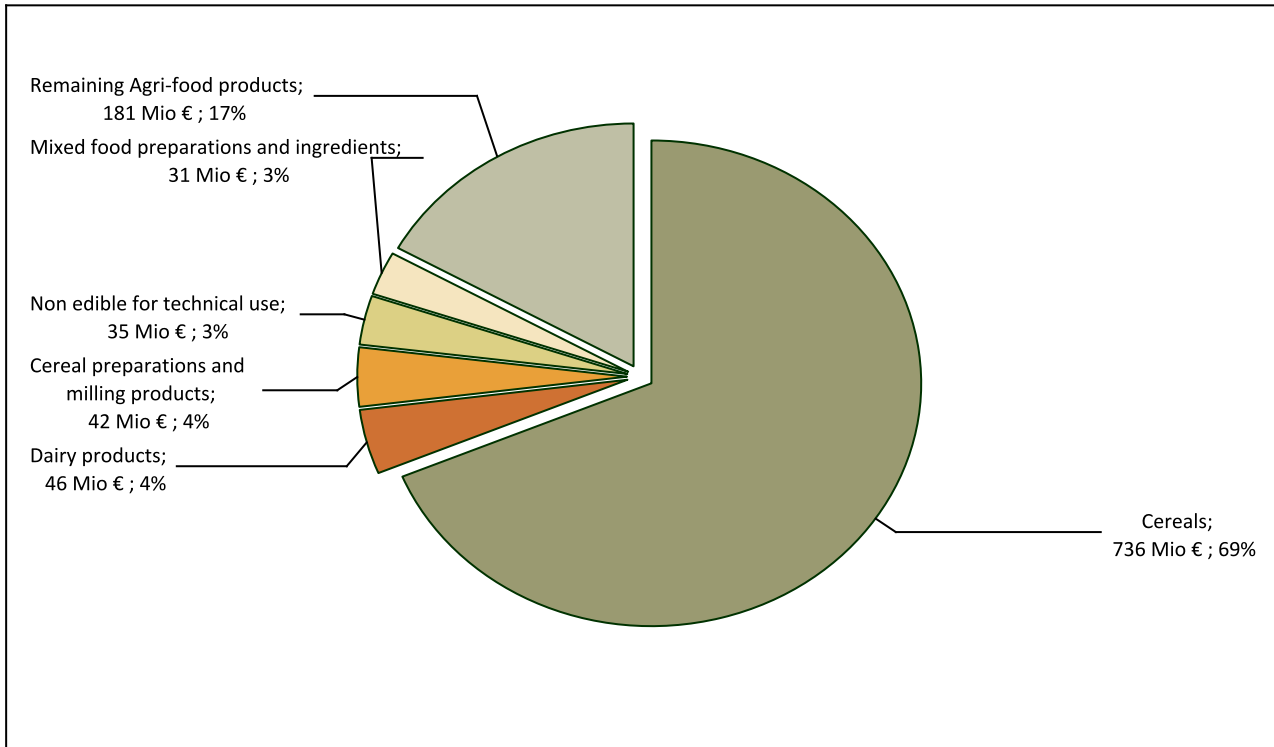
EU Agri-Food trade with: Tunisia

2. Structure of EU Agri-food trade with Tunisia, 2012 - 2022



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

Top EU Agri-food exports to Tunisia in 2022



Evolution of 15 top EU Agri-food exports to Tunisia, 2018 - 2022

		Exports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Share in all Agri 2022	Change 2021-2022
	Agri-food	547	494	504	558	1 071	100.0	91.9
1	Cereals	224	182	198	285	736	68.7	158.2
2	Dairy products	41	50	44	38	46	4.3	21.1
3	Cereal preparations and milling products	31	33	34	32	42	3.9	31.3
4	Non edible for technical use	26	27	19	35	35	3.3	0.0
5	Mixed food preparations and ingredients	20	20	21	25	31	2.9	24.0
6	Vegetables	24	25	27	22	28	2.6	27.3
7	Vegetable oils (Oilseeds and Palm)	27	14	46	16	25	2.3	56.3
8	Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	16	16	16	17	21	2.0	23.5
9	Pet food and forage crops	40	26	22	20	19	1.8	-5.0
10	Beef and veal	18	24	16	5	13	1.2	160.0
11	Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	9	7	7	8	12	1.1	50.0
12	Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	11	14	10	10	10	0.9	0.0
13	Spirits and liqueurs	7	10	4	6	10	0.9	66.7
14	Confectionery and chocolate	9	10	7	8	9	0.8	12.5
15	Other animal products	6	8	7	7	9	0.8	28.6
	Remaining Agri-food products	38	30	26	26	26	2.4	0.0

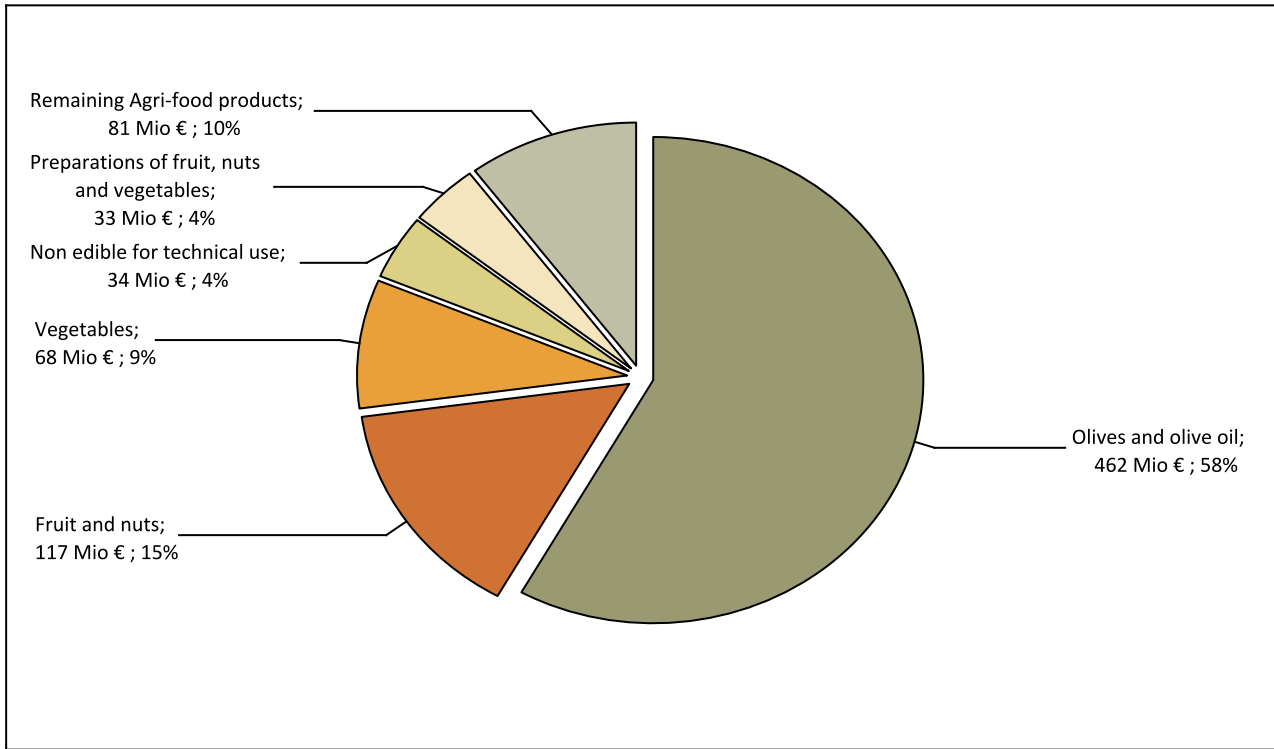
EU Agri-Food trade with: Tunisia

Evolution of EU Agri-food exports to Tunisia, 2018 - 2022

	Exports						
	Value Mio €					%	
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Share in all Agri 2022	Change 2021-2022
Agri-food	547	494	504	558	1 071	100.0	91.9
Animal products	71	89	72	55	74	6.9	34.5
- Beef and veal	18	24	16	5	13	1.2	160.0
- Pigmeat	0	1	0	0	0	0.0	
- Poultry and eggs	6	6	5	6	6	0.6	0.0
- Sheep and goat	1	1	0	0	0	0.0	
- Dairy products	41	50	44	38	46	4.3	21.1
- Other animal products	6	8	7	7	9	0.8	28.6
Arable crops and plant based products	299	238	286	342	817	76.3	138.9
- Cereals	224	182	198	285	736	68.7	158.2
- Cereal preparations and milling products	31	33	34	32	42	3.9	31.3
- Oilseeds and protein crops	3	2	1	1	2	0.2	100.0
- Vegetable oils (Oilseeds and Palm)	27	14	46	16	25	2.3	56.3
- Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	9	7	7	8	12	1.1	50.0
- Sugar and isoglucose	4	0	1	0	1	0.1	
Fruit, vegetables and olive oil	38	35	35	32	38	3.5	18.8
- Vegetables	24	25	27	22	28	2.6	27.3
- Fruit and nuts	4	2	2	2	3	0.3	50.0
- Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	7	6	4	5	5	0.5	0.0
- Olives and olive oil	4	2	2	2	2	0.2	0.0
Wine, beverages and food preparations	39	44	36	43	55	5.1	27.9
- Wine and wine based products	1	2	1	2	2	0.2	0.0
- Spirits and liqueurs	7	10	4	6	10	0.9	66.7
- Beer, cider and other beverages	2	2	3	2	3	0.3	50.0
- Confectionery and chocolate	9	10	7	8	9	0.8	12.5
- Mixed food preparations and ingredients	20	20	21	25	31	2.9	24.0
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	16	16	16	17	21	2.0	23.5
- Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	16	16	16	17	21	2.0	23.5
Non-edible	85	72	59	70	66	6.2	-5.7
- Pet food and forage crops	40	26	22	20	19	1.8	-5.0
- Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	11	14	10	10	10	0.9	0.0
- Horticulture	3	2	3	2	2	0.2	0.0
- Non edible for technical use	26	27	19	35	35	3.3	0.0
- Unspecified	4	4	4	3	1	0.1	-66.7

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

Top EU Agri-food imports from Tunisia in 2022



Evolution of 15 top EU Agri-food imports from Tunisia, 2018 - 2022

		Imports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Share in all Agri 2022	Change 2021-2022
	Agri-food	657	533	718	631	795	100.0	26.0
1	Olives and olive oil	411	277	443	345	462	58.1	33.9
2	Fruit and nuts	119	117	126	116	117	14.7	0.9
3	Vegetables	46	55	62	68	68	8.6	0.0
4	Non edible for technical use	25	22	22	26	34	4.3	30.8
5	Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	4	5	9	14	33	4.2	135.7
6	Mixed food preparations and ingredients	15	17	19	22	25	3.1	13.6
7	Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	10	14	15	12	23	2.9	91.7
8	Cereal preparations and milling products	7	7	7	11	11	1.4	0.0
9	Other animal products	8	6	4	4	4	0.5	0.0
10	Horticulture	5	3	4	4	4	0.5	0.0
11	Confectionery and chocolate	2	2	2	2	3	0.4	50.0
12	Beer, cider and other beverages	2	3	4	3	3	0.4	0.0
13	Oilseeds and protein crops		0	0	0	3	0.4	
14	Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	3	2	2	2	2	0.3	0.0
15	Poultry and eggs			1	1	2	0.3	100.0
	Remaining Agri-food products	1	4	1	0	1	0.1	

EU Agri-Food trade with: Tunisia

Evolution of EU Agri-food imports from Tunisia, 2018 - 2022

	Imports						
	Value Mio €					%	
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Share in all Agri 2022	Change 2021-2022
Agri-food	657	533	718	631	795	100.0	26.0
Animal products	8	6	4	5	6	0.8	20.0
- Beef and veal				0			
- Pigmeat				0	0	0.0	
- Poultry and eggs			1	1	2	0.3	100.0
- Sheep and goat			0				
- Dairy products	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
- Other animal products	8	6	4	4	4	0.5	0.0
Arable crops and plant based products	17	23	22	23	37	4.7	60.9
- Cereals	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
- Cereal preparations and milling products	7	7	7	11	11	1.4	0.0
- Oilseeds and protein crops		0	0	0	3	0.4	
- Vegetable oils (Oilseeds and Palm)	0	3	0	0	0	0.0	
- Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	10	14	15	12	23	2.9	91.7
- Sugar and isoglucose	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
Fruit, vegetables and olive oil	580	454	639	543	680	85.5	25.2
- Vegetables	46	55	62	68	68	8.6	0.0
- Fruit and nuts	119	117	126	116	117	14.7	0.9
- Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	4	5	9	14	33	4.2	135.7
- Olives and olive oil	411	277	443	345	462	58.1	33.9
Wine, beverages and food preparations	19	21	24	27	32	4.0	18.5
- Wine and wine based products	1	0	0	0	0	0.0	
- Spirits and liqueurs	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
- Beer, cider and other beverages	2	3	4	3	3	0.4	0.0
- Confectionery and chocolate	2	2	2	2	3	0.4	50.0
- Mixed food preparations and ingredients	15	17	19	22	25	3.1	13.6
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	3	2	2	2	2	0.3	0.0
- Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	3	2	2	2	2	0.3	0.0
Non-edible	29	26	26	31	38	4.8	22.6
- Pet food and forage crops	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
- Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
- Horticulture	5	3	4	4	4	0.5	0.0
- Non edible for technical use	25	22	22	26	34	4.3	30.8
- Unspecified							

EU Agri-Food trade with: Tunisia

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

Evolution of EU Agri-food exports to Tunisia, 2018 - 2022

		Exports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Share in all Agri 2022	Change 2021-2022
	Agri-food	547	494	504	558	1 071	100.0	91.9
01	Live Animals	14	21	17	10	17	1.6	70.0
02	Meat and edible meat offal	10	10	3	1	1	0.1	0.0
04	Dairy produce	32	41	34	24	33	3.1	37.5
05	Products of animal origin	1	2	2	2	3	0.3	50.0
06	Live trees and other plants	3	1	2	2	2	0.2	0.0
07	Edible vegetables, roots & tubers	12	15	14	11	17	1.6	54.5
08	Edible fruits & nuts	4	2	2	2	3	0.3	50.0
09	Coffee, tea, mate & spices	3	3	3	3	3	0.3	0.0
10	Cereals	216	174	189	278	725	67.7	160.8
11	Products of the milling industry	9	10	10	9	14	1.3	55.6
12	Oil seeds & oleaginous fruits	19	16	19	18	21	2.0	16.7
13	Lacs, gums, resins & other veg. saps	4	4	5	5	6	0.6	20.0
14	Vegetable products n.e.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
15	Animal or vegetable fats & oils	39	22	54	24	36	3.4	50.0
16	Preparations of meat	0	1	0	0	0	0.0	
17	Sugars & sugar confectionery	9	6	5	5	6	0.6	20.0
18	Cocoa & cocoa preparations	10	11	9	10	14	1.3	40.0
19	Preps. of cereals, flour, starch, etc.	13	15	17	14	15	1.4	7.1
20	Preps. of vegetables, fruits, nuts & plants	7	6	4	5	5	0.5	0.0
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	24	24	26	30	30	2.8	0.0
22	Beverages, spirits & vinegar	10	15	9	13	15	1.4	15.4
23	Residues and waste from food industry	48	34	30	27	30	2.8	11.1
24	Tobacco & tobacco products	11	14	10	10	10	0.9	0.0
	Other WTO products outside chapters 1-24	48	49	38	57	65	6.1	14.0

Evolution of Agri-food imports from Tunisia, 2018 - 2022

		Imports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Share in all Agri 2022	Change 2021-2022
	Agri-food	657	533	718	631	795	100.0	26.0
01	Live Animals	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
02	Meat and edible meat offal				0			
04	Dairy produce	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
05	Products of animal origin	4	3	2	2	2	0.3	0.0
06	Live trees and other plants	5	3	4	4	4	0.5	0.0
07	Edible vegetables, roots & tubers	45	55	62	68	68	8.6	0.0
08	Edible fruits & nuts	119	117	126	116	117	14.7	0.9
09	Coffee, tea, mate & spices	3	2	2	2	2	0.3	0.0
10	Cereals	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
11	Products of the milling industry	0	1	1	2	1	0.1	-50.0
12	Oil seeds & oleaginous fruits	4	5	8	11	16	2.0	45.5
13	Lacs, gums, resins & other veg. saps	1	1	0	1	1	0.1	0.0
14	Vegetable products n.e.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
15	Animal or vegetable fats & oils	413	283	446	352	473	59.5	34.4
16	Preparations of meat			0	0	0	0.0	
17	Sugars & sugar confectionery	2	1	2	2	3	0.4	50.0
18	Cocoa & cocoa preparations	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
19	Preps. of cereals, flour, starch, etc.	7	6	6	9	10	1.3	11.1
20	Preps. of vegetables, fruits, nuts & plants	5	5	10	15	34	4.3	126.7
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	13	14	14	15	17	2.1	13.3
22	Beverages, spirits & vinegar	3	3	4	3	3	0.4	0.0
23	Residues and waste from food industry	9	13	14	11	21	2.6	90.9
24	Tobacco & tobacco products	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
	Other WTO products outside chapters 1-24	24	19	18	17	22	2.8	29.4