

AGRI-FOOD TRADE STATISTICAL FACTSHEET

European Union - Ghana

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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: Ghana

1. Selection of indicators

Agricultural indicators

	Unit	Period	World	Partner
1 Agriculture, value added	(% of GDP)	2021	4.3	19.7
2 Employment in agriculture	(% of total employment)	2019	26.7	29.8
3 Arable land	(ha)	2018	n.a.	4 700 000
4 Crop production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	99.3
5 Livestock production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	96.4
6 Food production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	99.1
7 Rural population	(% of total population)	2021	43.4	42.0

Source: World Bank

Trade indicators

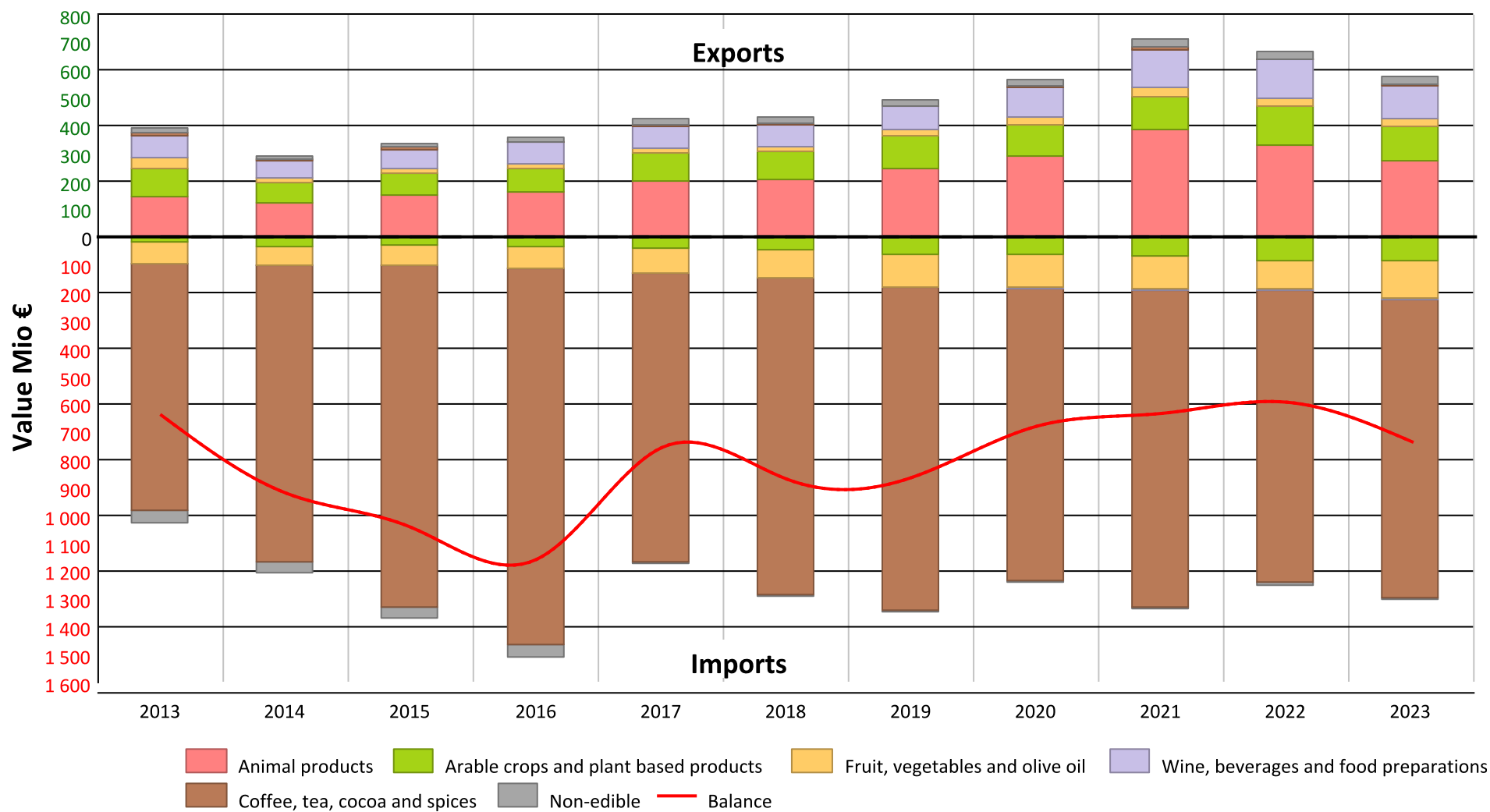
	Unit	Exports	Imports	Balance
EU27 Agri-food trade with Ghana				
Agri-food trade value	Mio €	572	1 305	-733
- as share of EU27 total Agri-food trade	(%)	0.3	0.8	
- as share of EU27 total trade with Ghana	(%)	17.2	49.8	
% change 2022 - 2023		-13.5	4.2	
Annual rate of change from 2013 - 2023	(%)	3.9	2.4	
EU27 total trade with Ghana				
Total trade value	Mio €	3 336	2 622	714
- as share of EU27 total trade	(%)	0.1	0.1	
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 Ghana

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
54	Ghana	572	0.3	30	Ghana	1 305	0.8
	Rest of the World	55 391	23.9		Rest of the World	39 856	24.6

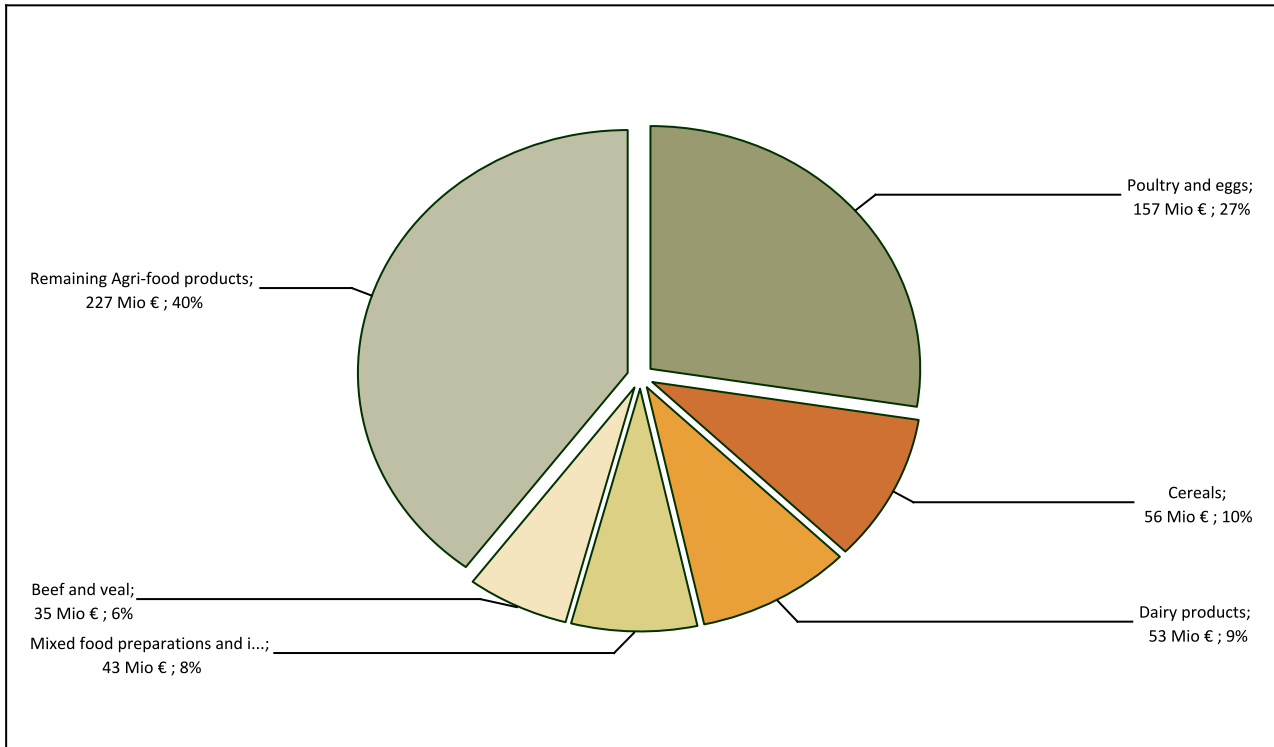
EU Agri-Food trade with: Ghana

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



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

Top EU Agri-food exports to Ghana in 2023



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

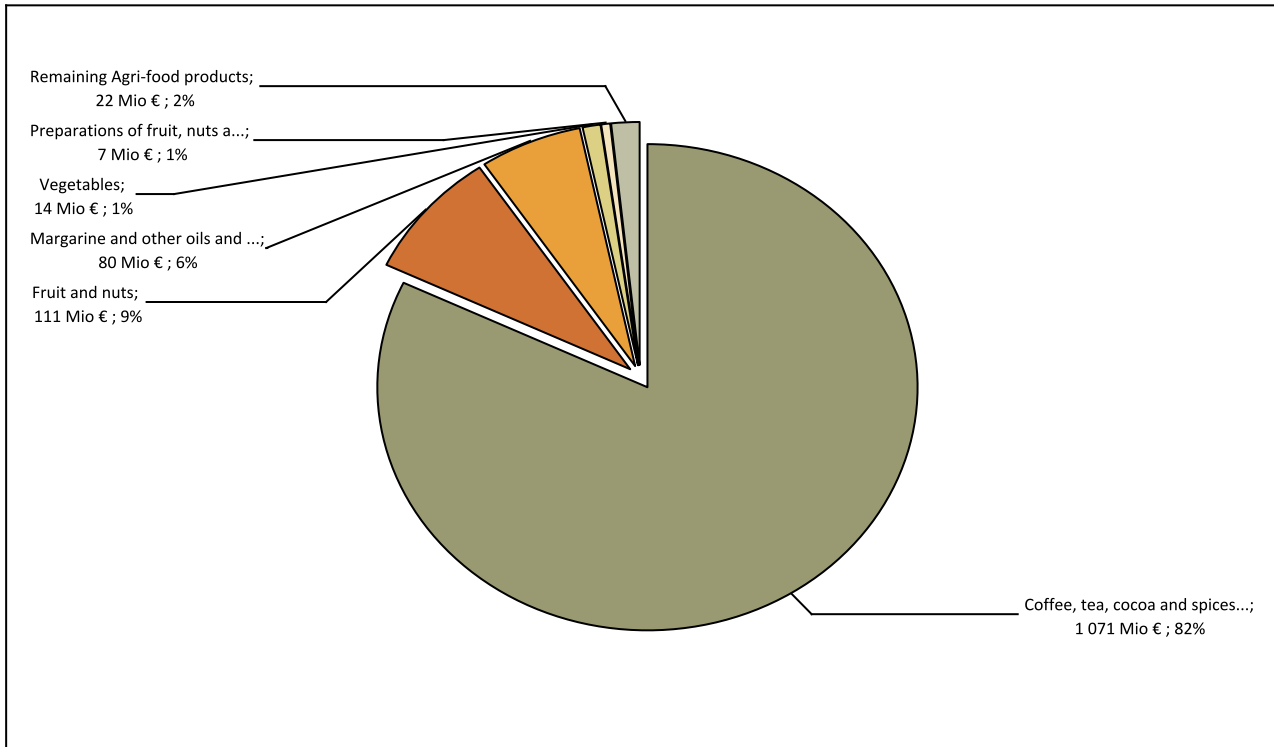
		Exports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
	Agri-food	487	563	706	661	572	100.0	-13.5
1	Poultry and eggs	152	173	224	168	157	27.4	-6.5
2	Cereals	26	38	36	63	56	9.8	-11.1
3	Dairy products	41	56	84	98	53	9.3	-45.9
4	Mixed food preparations and ingredients	27	28	41	48	43	7.5	-10.4
5	Beef and veal	35	44	48	36	35	6.1	-2.8
6	Beer, cider and other beverages	28	35	50	42	35	6.1	-16.7
7	Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	26	27	34	31	29	5.1	-6.5
8	Cereal preparations and milling products	42	29	30	34	28	4.9	-17.6
9	Spirits and liqueurs	15	22	25	25	24	4.2	-4.0
10	Pet food and forage crops	17	22	24	23	22	3.8	-4.3
11	Wine and wine based products	12	15	21	20	16	2.8	-20.0
12	Pigmeat	6	9	16	15	15	2.6	0.0
13	Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	10	18	19	15	14	2.4	-6.7
14	Other animal products	7	4	7	9	9	1.6	0.0
15	Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	5	6	9	5	7	1.2	40.0
	Remaining Agri-food products	38	36	38	31	27	4.7	-12.9

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

	Exports						
	Value Mio €					%	
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
Agri-food	487	563	706	661	572	100.0	-13.5
Animal products	243	287	382	327	271	47.3	-17.1
Beef and veal	35	44	48	36	35	6.2	-0.8
Pigmeat	6	9	16	15	15	2.6	0.7
Poultry and eggs	152	173	224	168	157	27.5	-6.4
Sheep and goat	2	1	2	2	2	0.3	-8.6
Dairy products	41	56	84	98	53	9.3	-45.4
Other animal products	7	4	7	9	9	1.5	-3.3
Arable crops and plant based products	119	115	119	141	124	21.6	-12.3
Cereals	26	38	36	63	56	9.9	-10.3
Cereal preparations and milling products	42	29	30	34	28	4.9	-17.4
Oilseeds and protein crops	0	1	0	0	0	0.0	41.8
Vegetable oils (Oilseeds and Palm)	4	7	8	9	3	0.6	-60.7
Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	26	27	34	31	29	5.0	-7.3
Sugar and isoglucose	19	12	11	5	7	1.3	51.6
Fruit, vegetables and olive oil	18	28	31	27	24	4.2	-10.7
Vegetables	5	7	8	7	6	1.1	-11.9
Fruit and nuts	2	2	2	2	2	0.3	-15.4
Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	10	18	19	15	14	2.5	-7.3
Olives and olive oil	1	2	2	2	2	0.3	-27.1
Wine, beverages and food preparations	84	103	139	137	120	21.0	-12.3
Wine and wine based products	12	15	21	20	16	2.9	-16.9
Spirits and liqueurs	15	22	25	25	24	4.2	-4.5
Beer, cider and other beverages	28	35	50	42	35	6.2	-16.5
Confectionery and chocolate	2	2	2	2	1	0.3	-23.0
Mixed food preparations and ingredients	27	28	41	48	43	7.5	-10.5
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	5	6	9	5	7	1.3	61.6
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	5	6	9	5	7	1.3	61.6
Non-edible	18	24	27	25	26	4.6	4.8
Pet food and forage crops	17	22	24	23	22	3.9	-1.3
Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	0	0	0	0	2	0.3	2248.1
Horticulture	1	1	1	1	1	0.1	-21.2
Non edible for technical use	0	1	1	2	1	0.2	-12.4
Unspecified	0	1	0	0	0		

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

Top EU Agri-food imports from Ghana in 2023



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

		Imports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
	Agri-food	1 348	1 240	1 337	1 252	1 305	100.0	4.2
1	Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	1 161	1 049	1 137	1 052	1 071	82.1	1.8
2	Fruit and nuts	106	108	101	82	111	8.5	35.4
3	Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	59	60	58	68	80	6.1	17.6
4	Vegetables	8	5	11	15	14	1.1	-6.7
5	Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	5	5	7	5	7	0.5	40.0
6	Horticulture	3	2	2	5	6	0.5	20.0
7	Cereal preparations and milling products	2	4	6	4	5	0.4	25.0
8	Vegetable oils (Oilseeds and Palm)	2	4	5	13	5	0.4	-61.5
9	Non edible for technical use	2	2	5	3	2	0.2	-33.3
10	Confectionery and chocolate	0	0	2	1	2	0.2	100.0
11	Beer, cider and other beverages	0	0	1	1	1	0.1	0.0
12	Mixed food preparations and ingredients	0	0	1	1	1	0.1	0.0
13	Cereals	0	0	1	0	0	0.0	
14	Oilseeds and protein crops	1	0	0	1	0	0.0	-100.0
15	Spirits and liqueurs	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
	Remaining Agri-food products	0	0	1	0	0	0.0	

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

	Imports						
	Value Mio €					%	
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
Agri-food	1 348	1 240	1 337	1 252	1 305	100.0	4.2
Animal products	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-62.6
Beef and veal		0	0	0	0	0.0	377.9
Pigmeat							
Poultry and eggs			0	0	0	0.0	302.6
Sheep and goat							
Dairy products	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-99.0
Other animal products	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	67.7
Arable crops and plant based products	63	67	71	87	90	6.9	3.6
Cereals	0	0	1	0	0	0.0	56.3
Cereal preparations and milling products	2	4	6	4	5	0.4	19.3
Oilseeds and protein crops	1	0	0	1	0	0.0	-79.7
Vegetable oils (Oilseeds and Palm)	2	4	5	13	5	0.4	-64.9
Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	59	60	58	68	80	6.1	16.8
Sugar and isoglucose			0	0	0	0.0	255.8
Fruit, vegetables and olive oil	118	119	118	103	132	10.1	28.9
Vegetables	8	5	11	15	14	1.1	-8.8
Fruit and nuts	106	108	101	82	111	8.5	35.2
Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	5	5	7	5	7	0.6	41.9
Olives and olive oil	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-90.8
Wine, beverages and food preparations	1	1	4	3	4	0.3	11.1
Wine and wine based products	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-89.0
Spirits and liqueurs	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-87.1
Beer, cider and other beverages	0	0	1	1	1	0.1	-13.6
Confectionery and chocolate	0	0	2	1	2	0.1	95.3
Mixed food preparations and ingredients	0	0	1	1	1	0.1	-2.1
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	1 161	1 049	1 137	1 052	1 071	82.1	1.8
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Non-edible	5	4	8	7	8	0.6	7.8
Pet food and forage crops	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-4.2
Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes		0	0				
Horticulture	3	2	2	5	6	0.5	23.6
Non edible for technical use	2	2	5	3	2	0.2	-20.3
Unspecified							

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

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

		Exports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
	Agri-food	487	563	706	661	572	100.0	-13.5
01	Live Animals	9	10	10	9	8	1.4	-9.6
02	Meat and edible meat offal	182	213	273	206	194	33.9	-5.6
04	Dairy produce	41	36	65	72	43	7.4	-40.6
05	Products of animal origin	1	1	2	2	1	0.2	-42.9
06	Live trees and other plants	1	1	1	1	1	0.1	-25.5
07	Edible vegetables, roots & tubers	3	3	4	4	2	0.4	-35.1
08	Edible fruits & nuts	2	2	2	2	2	0.3	-14.8
09	Coffee, tea, mate & spices	0	0	0	0	0	0.1	-19.2
10	Cereals	18	30	26	50	41	7.1	-19.1
11	Products of the milling industry	11	14	15	18	22	3.9	24.1
12	Oil seeds & oleaginous fruits	2	4	4	4	4	0.8	16.2
13	Lacs, gums, resins & other veg. saps	0	0	1	1	1	0.2	18.0
14	Vegetable products n.e.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-82.9
15	Animal or vegetable fats & oils	32	36	43	42	33	5.8	-19.6
16	Preparations of meat	4	4	8	6	7	1.2	21.7
17	Sugars & sugar confectionery	20	13	13	7	8	1.5	27.1
18	Cocoa & cocoa preparations	1	1	2	1	1	0.2	-20.2
19	Preps. of cereals, flour, starch, etc.	36	41	41	48	30	5.3	-37.1
20	Preps. of vegetables, fruits, nuts & plants	10	18	19	16	14	2.5	-7.3
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	27	29	41	47	42	7.4	-11.0
22	Beverages, spirits & vinegar	55	73	96	88	77	13.4	-12.9
23	Residues and waste from food industry	20	26	29	28	25	4.3	-10.9
24	Tobacco & tobacco products	0	0	0	0	2	0.3	1802.1
	Other WTO products outside chapters 1-24	9	8	11	10	12	2.1	20.1

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

		Imports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
	Agri-food	1 348	1 240	1 337	1 252	1 305	100.0	4.2
01	Live Animals	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	65.8
02	Meat and edible meat offal		0	0	0	0	0.0	481.0
04	Dairy produce	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	15.8
05	Products of animal origin	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	33.4
06	Live trees and other plants	3	2	2	5	6	0.5	23.7
07	Edible vegetables, roots & tubers	8	5	11	16	14	1.1	-9.3
08	Edible fruits & nuts	106	108	101	82	111	8.5	35.2
09	Coffee, tea, mate & spices	1	0	0	0	0	0.0	96.4
10	Cereals	0	0	1	0	0	0.0	3.4
11	Products of the milling industry	1	1	2	2	2	0.1	1.5
12	Oil seeds & oleaginous fruits	1	1	1	1	1	0.0	-55.5
13	Lacs, gums, resins & other veg. saps	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-52.2
14	Vegetable products n.e.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-46.4
15	Animal or vegetable fats & oils	62	62	67	82	83	6.4	2.0
16	Preparations of meat							
17	Sugars & sugar confectionery	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-45.2
18	Cocoa & cocoa preparations	1 160	1 049	1 138	1 053	1 073	82.2	1.9
19	Preps. of cereals, flour, starch, etc.	1	1	2	1	1	0.1	1.2
20	Preps. of vegetables, fruits, nuts & plants	5	5	7	5	7	0.6	41.9
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	0	0	1	1	1	0.0	-0.4
22	Beverages, spirits & vinegar	1	0	1	2	1	0.1	-29.5
23	Residues and waste from food industry	1	3	3	3	3	0.3	26.5
24	Tobacco & tobacco products		0	0				
	Other WTO products outside chapters 1-24	0	1	0	0	1	0.1	377.4