

# AGRI-FOOD TRADE STATISTICAL FACTSHEET

## European Union - Canada

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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](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: Canada

### 1. Selection of indicators

#### Agricultural indicators

	Unit	Period	World	Partner
1 Agriculture, value added	(% of GDP)	2018	3.9	1.7
2 Employment in agriculture	(% of total employment)	2019	26.7	1.5
3 Arable land	(ha)	2018	n.a.	38 687 000
4 Crop production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	93.5
5 Livestock production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	97.4
6 Food production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	94.7
7 Rural population	(% of total population)	2021	43.4	18.3

Source: World Bank

#### Trade indicators

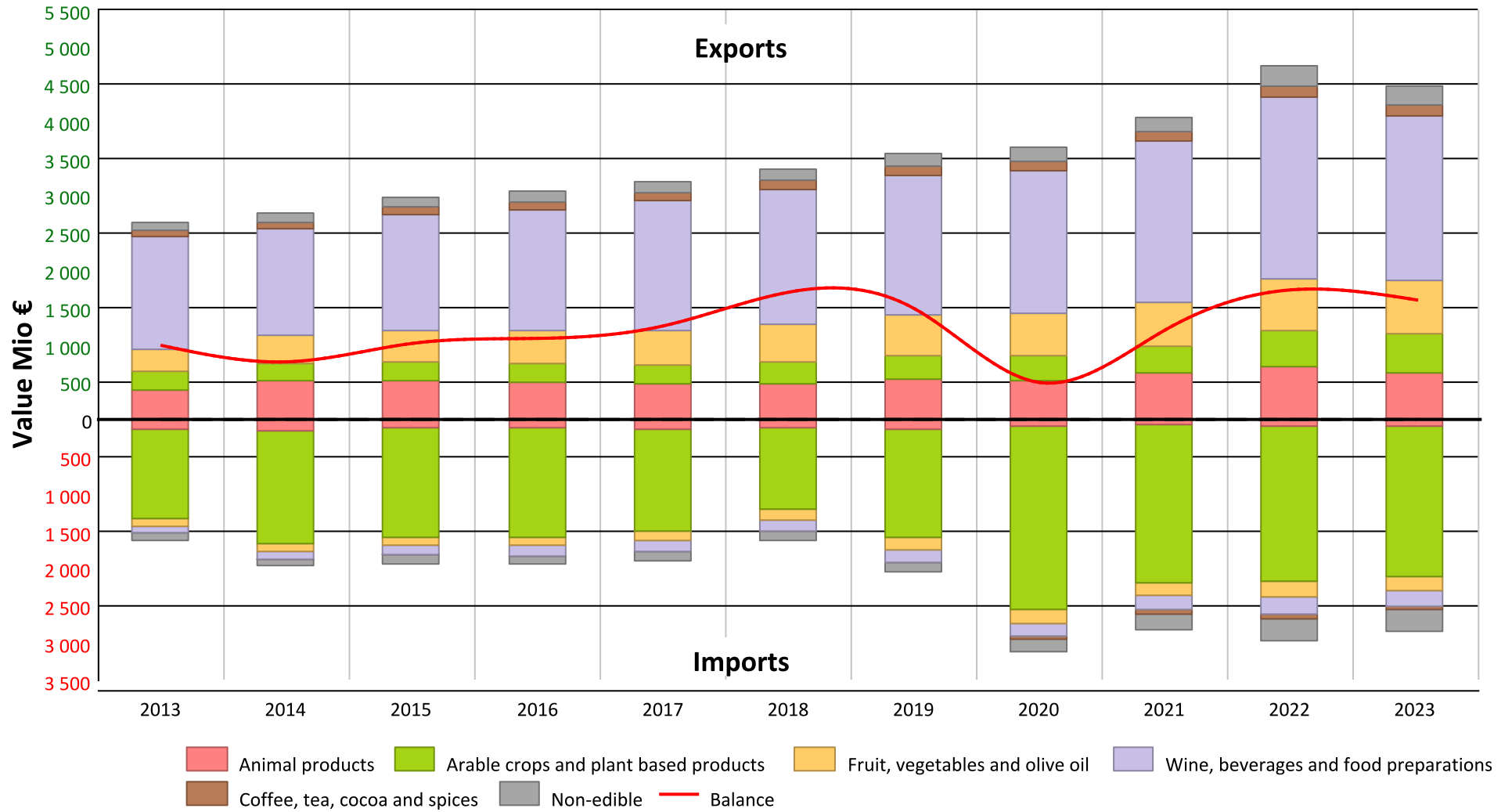
	Unit	Exports	Imports	Balance
<b>EU27 Agri-food trade with Canada</b>				
Agri-food trade value	Mio €	4 466	2 852	1 614
- as share of EU27 total Agri-food trade	(%)	2.0	1.8	
- as share of EU27 total trade with Canada	(%)	9.2	10.3	
% change 2022 - 2023		-5.5	-4.1	
Annual rate of change from 2013 - 2023	(%)	5.4	5.7	
<b>EU27 total trade with Canada</b>				
Total trade value	Mio €	48 663	27 719	20 943
- as share of EU27 total trade	(%)	1.9	1.1	
<b>EU27 world trade</b>				
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 Canada

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	<b>Canada</b>	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	<b>Canada</b>	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

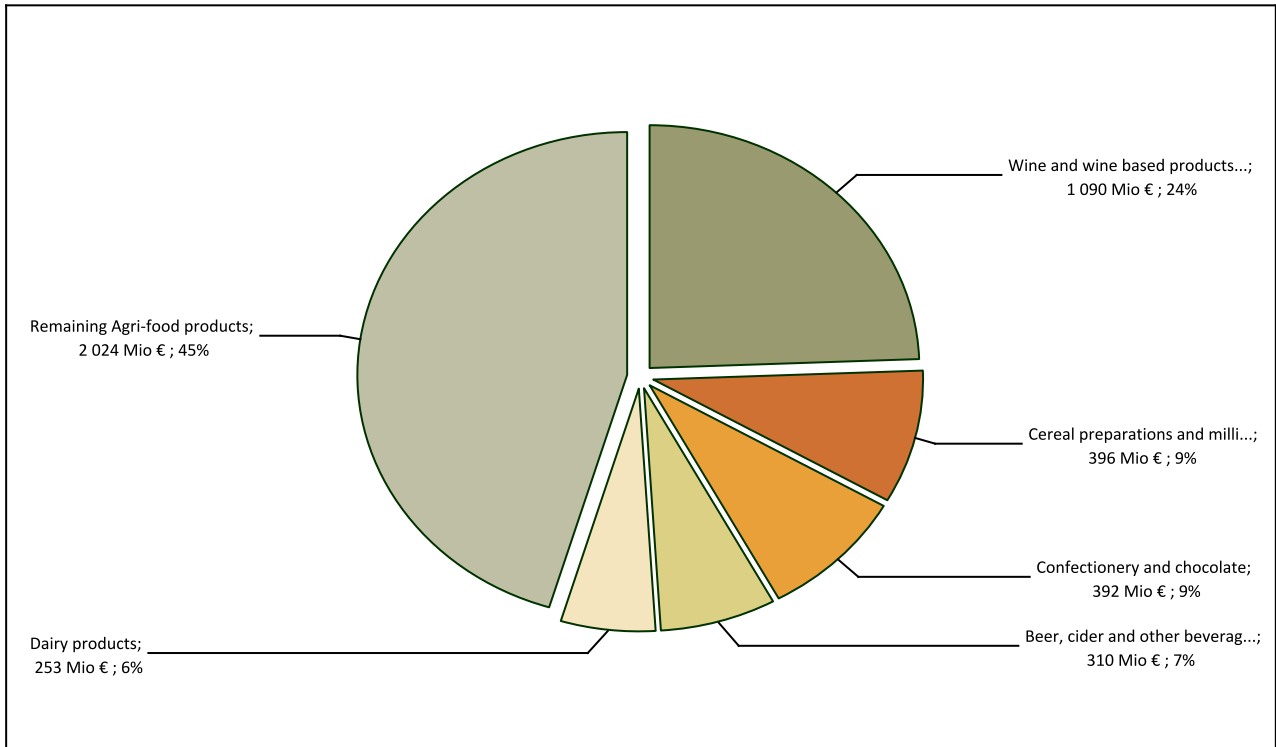
## EU Agri-Food trade with: Canada

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



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

Top EU Agri-food exports to Canada in 2023



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

		Exports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
	Agri-food	3 547	3 637	4 049	4 723	4 466	100.0	-5.4
1	Wine and wine based products	946	964	1 094	1 197	1 090	24.4	-8.9
2	Cereal preparations and milling products	266	277	293	363	396	8.9	9.1
3	Confectionery and chocolate	255	268	318	388	392	8.8	1.0
4	Beer, cider and other beverages	308	300	315	341	310	6.9	-9.1
5	Dairy products	190	207	218	251	253	5.7	0.8
6	Spirits and liqueurs	220	223	250	298	233	5.2	-21.8
7	Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	138	161	176	205	212	4.7	3.4
8	Olives and olive oil	155	173	169	214	208	4.7	-2.8
9	Mixed food preparations and ingredients	138	155	180	209	191	4.3	-8.6
10	Pigmeat	103	132	197	228	166	3.7	-27.2
11	Vegetables	123	123	134	151	161	3.6	6.6
12	Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	134	136	131	160	141	3.2	-11.9
13	Fruit and nuts	123	110	115	130	125	2.8	-3.8
14	Other animal products	182	74	91	90	95	2.1	5.6
15	Horticulture	49	51	67	92	88	2.0	-4.3
	Remaining Agri-food products	218	283	301	406	405	9.1	-0.2

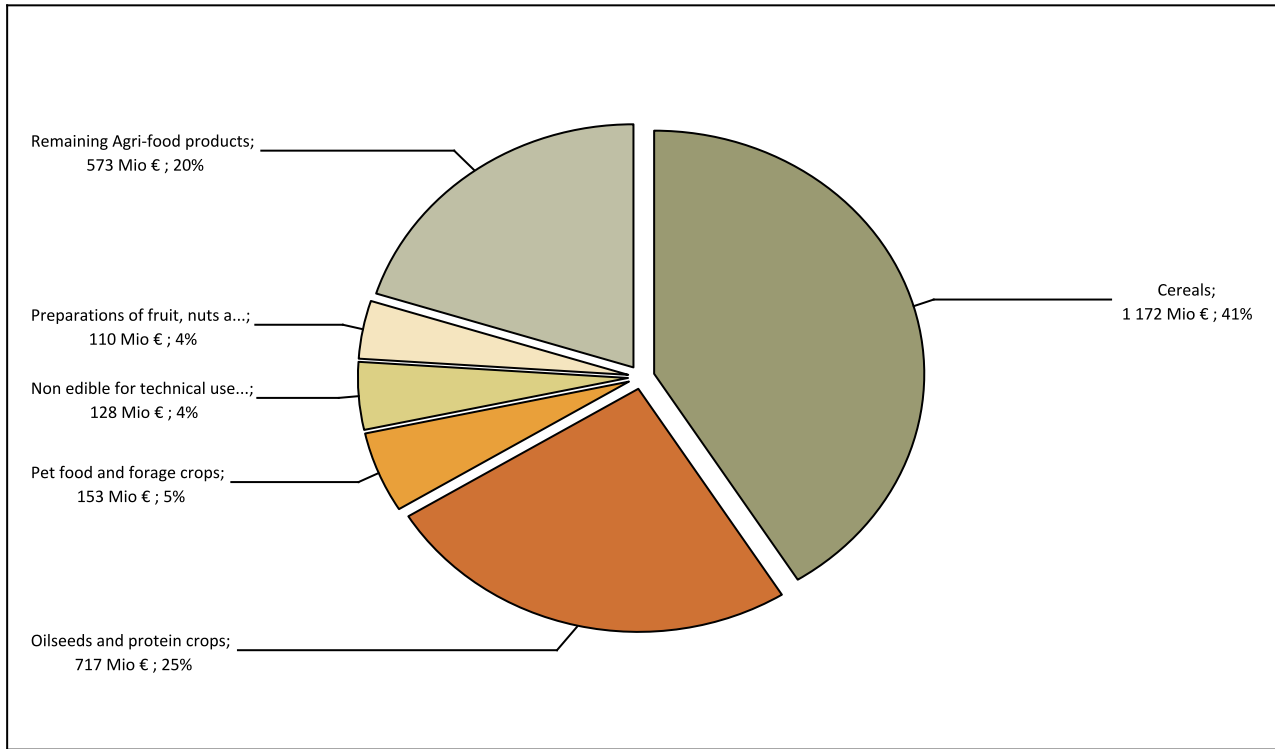
## EU Agri-Food trade with: Canada

### Evolution of EU Agri-food exports to Canada, 2019 - 2023

	Exports						
	Value Mio €					%	
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
<b>Agri-food</b>	<b>3 547</b>	<b>3 637</b>	<b>4 049</b>	<b>4 723</b>	<b>4 466</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>-5.5</b>
<b>Animal products</b>	<b>537</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>615</b>	<b>692</b>	<b>610</b>	<b>13.7</b>	<b>-11.8</b>
Beef and veal	25	65	73	85	66	1.5	-22.1
Pigmeat	103	132	197	228	166	3.7	-27.3
Poultry and eggs	30	28	31	27	24	0.5	-9.4
Sheep and goat	7	7	5	11	5	0.1	-50.8
Dairy products	190	207	218	251	253	5.7	1.2
Other animal products	182	74	91	90	95	2.1	5.2
<b>Arable crops and plant based products</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>529</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>9.9</b>
Cereals	22	17	20	37	18	0.4	-51.0
Cereal preparations and milling products	266	277	293	363	396	8.9	8.9
Oilseeds and protein crops	6	8	13	26	61	1.4	138.4
Vegetable oils (Oilseeds and Palm)	5	8	8	18	19	0.4	1.8
Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	18	22	25	36	34	0.8	-5.6
Sugar and isoglucose	1	1	1	1	1	0.0	18.5
<b>Fruit, vegetables and olive oil</b>	<b>538</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>593</b>	<b>700</b>	<b>706</b>	<b>15.8</b>	<b>0.8</b>
Vegetables	123	123	134	151	161	3.6	6.6
Fruit and nuts	123	110	115	130	125	2.8	-3.9
Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	138	161	176	205	212	4.8	3.3
Olives and olive oil	155	173	169	214	208	4.7	-2.9
<b>Wine, beverages and food preparations</b>	<b>1 867</b>	<b>1 910</b>	<b>2 157</b>	<b>2 433</b>	<b>2 217</b>	<b>49.6</b>	<b>-8.9</b>
Wine and wine based products	946	964	1 094	1 197	1 090	24.4	-9.0
Spirits and liqueurs	220	223	250	298	233	5.2	-21.9
Beer, cider and other beverages	308	300	315	341	310	6.9	-9.1
Confectionery and chocolate	255	268	318	388	392	8.8	1.1
Mixed food preparations and ingredients	138	155	180	209	191	4.3	-8.2
<b>Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>-11.9</b>
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	134	136	131	160	141	3.2	-11.9
<b>Non-edible</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>2.3</b>
Pet food and forage crops	53	64	71	104	86	1.9	-16.8
Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	20	26	17	29	62	1.4	111.7
Horticulture	49	51	67	92	88	2.0	-5.0
Non edible for technical use	19	23	23	23	22	0.5	-2.7
Unspecified	14	15	13	9	5	0.1	-44.7

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

Top EU Agri-food imports from Canada in 2023



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

		Imports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
	Agri-food	2 053	3 131	2 834	2 974	2 852	100.0	-4.1
1	Cereals	449	642	704	973	1 172	41.1	20.5
2	Oilseeds and protein crops	932	1 662	1 277	1 033	717	25.1	-30.6
3	Pet food and forage crops	96	105	129	179	153	5.4	-14.5
4	Non edible for technical use	26	63	88	115	128	4.5	11.3
5	Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	79	87	97	106	110	3.9	3.8
6	Confectionery and chocolate	62	76	90	101	102	3.6	1.0
7	Fruit and nuts	93	96	74	98	81	2.8	-17.3
8	Mixed food preparations and ingredients	76	76	84	96	78	2.7	-18.8
9	Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	41	92	101	48	78	2.7	62.5
10	Other animal products	95	72	52	73	74	2.6	1.4
11	Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	4	42	49	48	51	1.8	6.3
12	Cereal preparations and milling products	28	26	31	27	33	1.2	22.2
13	Beef and veal	22	14	19	22	20	0.7	-9.1
14	Spirits and liqueurs	16	16	19	21	17	0.6	-19.0
15	Beer, cider and other beverages	6	6	5	6	13	0.5	116.7
	Remaining Agri-food products	28	57	16	27	24	0.8	-11.1

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

	Imports						
	Value Mio €					%	
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
<b>Agri-food</b>	<b>2 053</b>	<b>3 131</b>	<b>2 834</b>	<b>2 974</b>	<b>2 852</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>-4.1</b>
<b>Animal products</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>-0.8</b>
Beef and veal	22	14	19	22	20	0.7	-7.9
Pigmeat	1	1	1	1	2	0.1	115.0
Poultry and eggs	9	3	3	3	3	0.1	18.3
Sheep and goat			0	0	0	0.0	3984.3
Dairy products	7	2	5	10	8	0.3	-20.7
Other animal products	95	72	52	73	74	2.6	1.6
<b>Arable crops and plant based products</b>	<b>1 451</b>	<b>2 464</b>	<b>2 113</b>	<b>2 082</b>	<b>2 000</b>	<b>70.1</b>	<b>-3.9</b>
Cereals	449	642	704	973	1 172	41.1	20.4
Cereal preparations and milling products	28	26	31	27	33	1.2	22.4
Oilseeds and protein crops	932	1 662	1 277	1 033	717	25.1	-30.6
Vegetable oils (Oilseeds and Palm)	0	42	0	0	0	0.0	18.2
Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	41	92	101	48	78	2.7	62.3
Sugar and isoglucose	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	333.9
<b>Fruit, vegetables and olive oil</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>-8.1</b>
Vegetables	3	2	2	5	1	0.0	-73.9
Fruit and nuts	93	96	74	98	81	2.9	-17.3
Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	79	87	97	106	110	3.9	3.7
Olives and olive oil	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-56.3
<b>Wine, beverages and food preparations</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>-5.8</b>
Wine and wine based products	3	3	2	2	3	0.1	13.2
Spirits and liqueurs	16	16	19	21	17	0.6	-17.3
Beer, cider and other beverages	6	6	5	6	13	0.5	109.3
Confectionery and chocolate	62	76	90	101	102	3.6	0.9
Mixed food preparations and ingredients	76	76	84	96	78	2.8	-18.1
<b>Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>6.2</b>
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	4	42	49	48	51	1.8	6.2
<b>Non-edible</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>-4.2</b>
Pet food and forage crops	96	105	129	179	153	5.4	-14.4
Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	5	4	2	6	6	0.2	2.8
Horticulture	1	1	0	0	1	0.0	90.6
Non edible for technical use	26	63	88	115	128	4.5	11.0
Unspecified							

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

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

		Exports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
	Agri-food	3 547	3 637	4 049	4 723	4 466	100.0	-5.5
01	Live Animals	47	33	39	35	41	0.9	16.4
02	Meat and edible meat offal	133	192	252	289	189	4.2	-34.5
04	Dairy produce	189	205	215	249	251	5.6	0.9
05	Products of animal origin	6	9	13	16	13	0.3	-17.5
06	Live trees and other plants	48	50	66	91	83	1.9	-8.7
07	Edible vegetables, roots & tubers	79	76	65	74	84	1.9	13.4
08	Edible fruits & nuts	123	110	115	130	125	2.8	-3.9
09	Coffee, tea, mate & spices	66	70	71	91	80	1.8	-12.9
10	Cereals	11	7	13	29	10	0.2	-65.9
11	Products of the milling industry	31	32	37	47	35	0.8	-26.3
12	Oil seeds & oleaginous fruits	67	74	106	136	170	3.8	24.6
13	Lacs, gums, resins & other veg. saps	18	20	21	26	18	0.4	-29.4
14	Vegetable products n.e.s.	1	1	0	0	0	0.0	23.9
15	Animal or vegetable fats & oils	130	148	159	202	199	4.5	-1.5
16	Preparations of meat	39	43	57	65	73	1.6	12.5
17	Sugars & sugar confectionery	71	73	90	109	117	2.6	6.9
18	Cocoa & cocoa preparations	233	239	268	325	310	7.0	-4.4
19	Preps. of cereals, flour, starch, etc.	239	248	257	316	360	8.1	13.9
20	Preps. of vegetables, fruits, nuts & plants	184	214	226	265	271	6.1	2.1
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	148	166	191	214	207	4.6	-3.4
22	Beverages, spirits & vinegar	1 474	1 488	1 660	1 837	1 634	36.6	-11.1
23	Residues and waste from food industry	54	68	67	94	80	1.8	-14.2
24	Tobacco & tobacco products	20	26	17	29	62	1.4	113.1
	Other WTO products outside chapters 1-24	135	43	45	53	53	1.2	0.1

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

		Imports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
	Agri-food	2 053	3 131	2 834	2 974	2 852	100.0	-4.1
01	Live Animals	8	8	6	6	7	0.3	31.0
02	Meat and edible meat offal	29	21	22	23	22	0.8	-4.1
04	Dairy produce	15	5	8	12	9	0.3	-27.2
05	Products of animal origin	23	21	22	26	30	1.0	13.9
06	Live trees and other plants	1	1	0	0	1	0.0	67.6
07	Edible vegetables, roots & tubers	133	160	188	216	275	9.7	27.5
08	Edible fruits & nuts	93	96	74	98	81	2.9	-17.3
09	Coffee, tea, mate & spices	3	3	6	8	6	0.2	-27.1
10	Cereals	449	641	703	973	1 171	41.1	20.4
11	Products of the milling industry	1	1	2	2	1	0.0	-26.9
12	Oil seeds & oleaginous fruits	847	1 584	1 210	888	578	20.3	-34.9
13	Lacs, gums, resins & other veg. saps	11	11	11	15	13	0.5	-13.7
14	Vegetable products n.e.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.8
15	Animal or vegetable fats & oils	4	46	6	12	9	0.3	-27.5
16	Preparations of meat	0	0	0	1	0	0.0	-54.6
17	Sugars & sugar confectionery	57	72	85	95	96	3.4	1.0
18	Cocoa & cocoa preparations	5	42	47	45	50	1.8	12.6
19	Preps. of cereals, flour, starch, etc.	8	7	12	12	18	0.6	49.8
20	Preps. of vegetables, fruits, nuts & plants	79	87	97	106	110	3.9	3.8
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	65	65	74	81	66	2.3	-18.9
22	Beverages, spirits & vinegar	31	69	85	114	112	3.9	-2.0
23	Residues and waste from food industry	122	145	142	191	148	5.2	-22.4
24	Tobacco & tobacco products	5	4	2	6	6	0.2	2.8
	Other WTO products outside chapters 1-24	64	43	33	43	41	1.4	-5.0