

AGRI-FOOD TRADE STATISTICAL FACTSHEET

European Union - Israel

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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: [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: Israel

1. Selection of indicators

Agricultural indicators

	Unit	Period	World	Partner
1 Agriculture, value added	(% of GDP)	2020	4.4	1.2
2 Employment in agriculture	(% of total employment)	2019	26.7	0.9
3 Arable land	(ha)	2018	n.a.	383 500
4 Crop production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	103.2
5 Livestock production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	97.8
6 Food production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	100.0
7 Rural population	(% of total population)	2021	43.4	7.3

Source: World Bank

Trade indicators

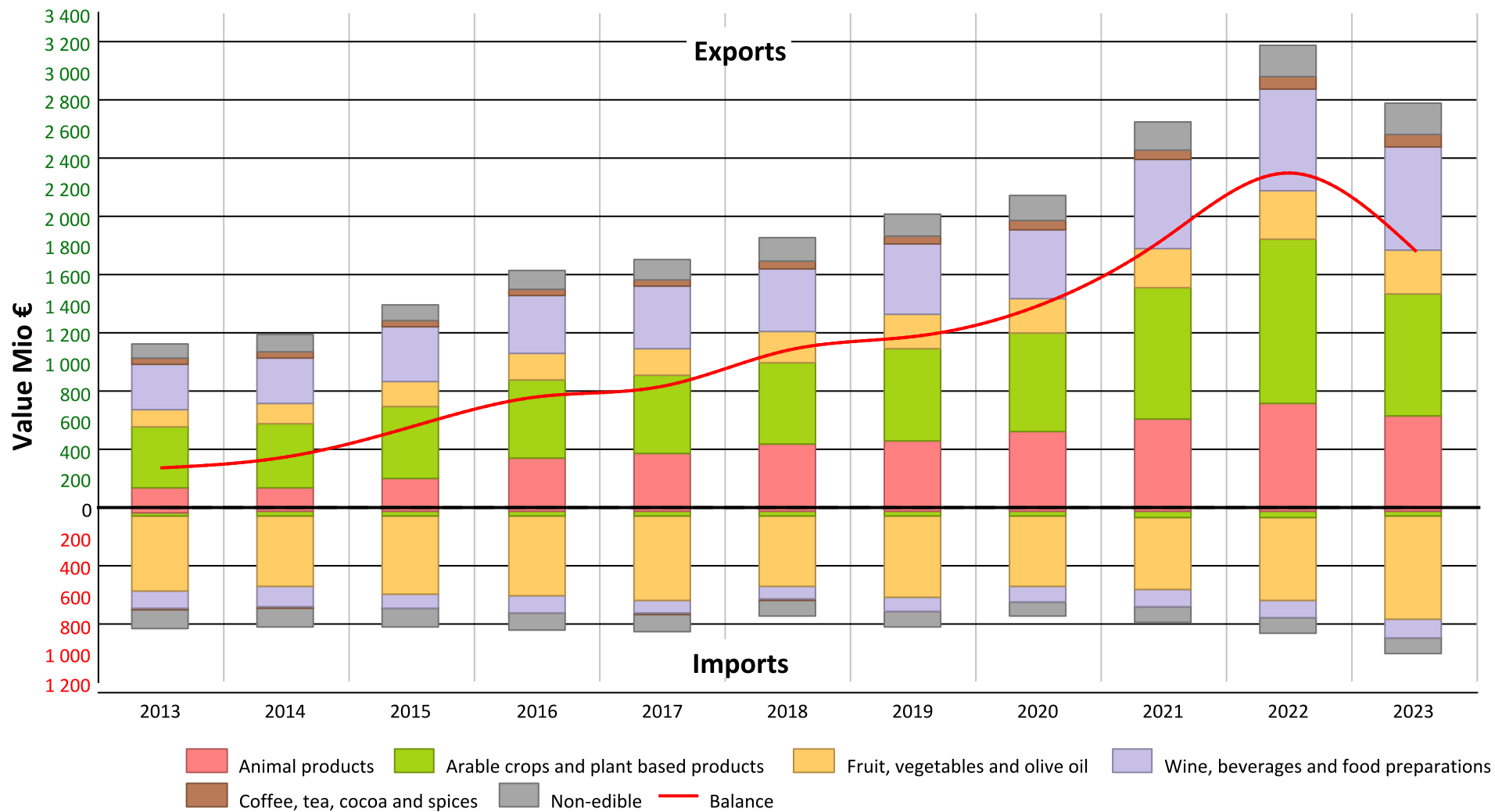
	Unit	Exports	Imports	Balance
EU27 Agri-food trade with Israel				
Agri-food trade value	Mio €	2 775	1 006	1 770
- as share of EU27 total Agri-food trade	(%)	1.2	0.6	
- as share of EU27 total trade with Israel	(%)	10.9	6.3	
% change 2022 - 2023		-12.4	16.2	
Annual rate of change from 2013 - 2023	(%)	9.5	1.8	
EU27 total trade with Israel				
Total trade value	Mio €	25 582	15 979	9 603
- as share of EU27 total trade	(%)	1.0	0.6	
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 Israel

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
				33	Israel	1 006	0.6
	Rest of the World	55 391	23.9		Rest of the World	39 856	24.6

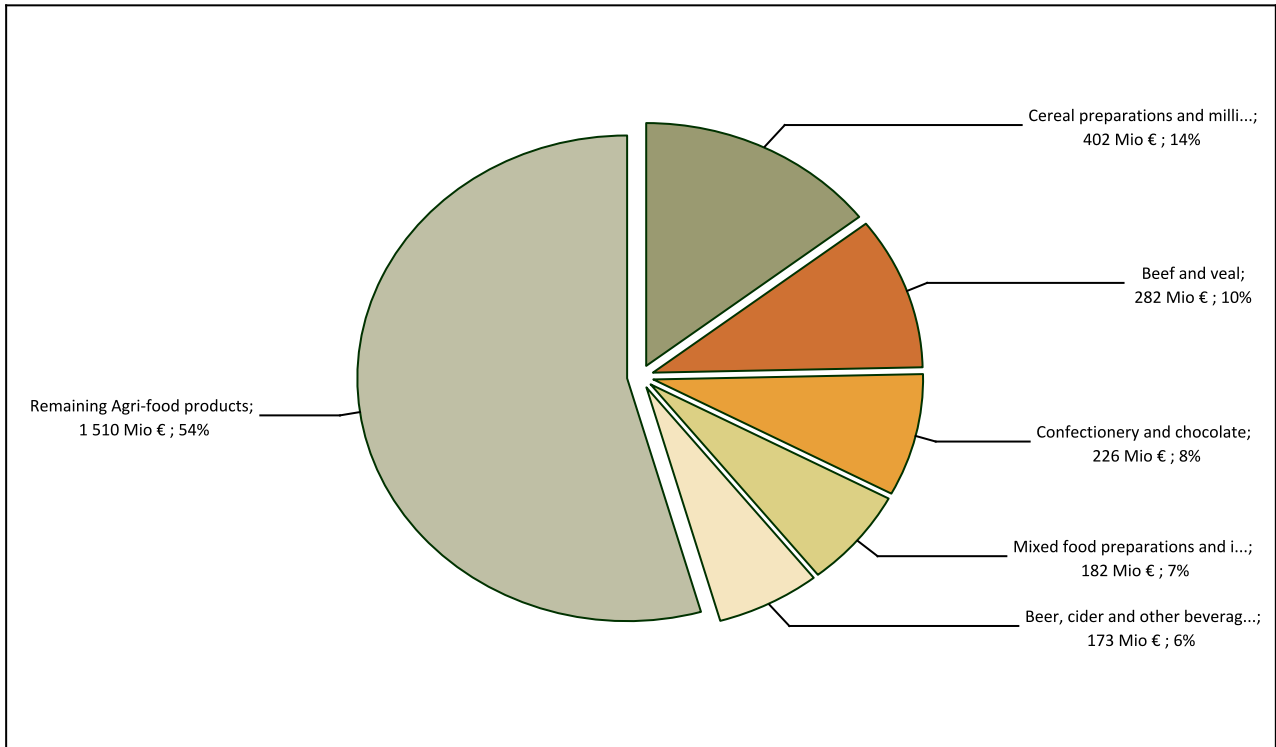
EU Agri-Food trade with: Israel

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



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

Top EU Agri-food exports to Israel in 2023



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

		Exports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
	Agri-food	2 011	2 141	2 648	3 168	2 775	100.0	-12.4
1	Cereal preparations and milling products	246	256	288	378	402	14.5	6.3
2	Beef and veal	232	267	329	380	282	10.2	-25.8
3	Confectionery and chocolate	165	165	184	232	226	8.1	-2.6
4	Mixed food preparations and ingredients	106	105	145	171	182	6.6	6.4
5	Beer, cider and other beverages	103	103	137	155	173	6.2	11.6
6	Dairy products	99	127	131	141	173	6.2	22.7
7	Pet food and forage crops	81	93	111	134	144	5.2	7.5
8	Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	89	91	102	127	130	4.7	2.4
9	Vegetable oils (Oilseeds and Palm)	41	54	104	151	130	4.7	-13.9
10	Sugar and isoglucose	113	110	129	118	104	3.7	-11.9
11	Cereals	176	189	293	330	96	3.5	-70.9
12	Vegetables	75	83	85	104	90	3.2	-13.5
13	Sheep and goat	54	53	74	109	83	3.0	-23.9
14	Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	52	61	66	80	83	3.0	3.8
15	Spirits and liqueurs	73	57	80	80	73	2.6	-8.8
	Remaining Agri-food products	306	326	391	479	406	14.6	-15.2

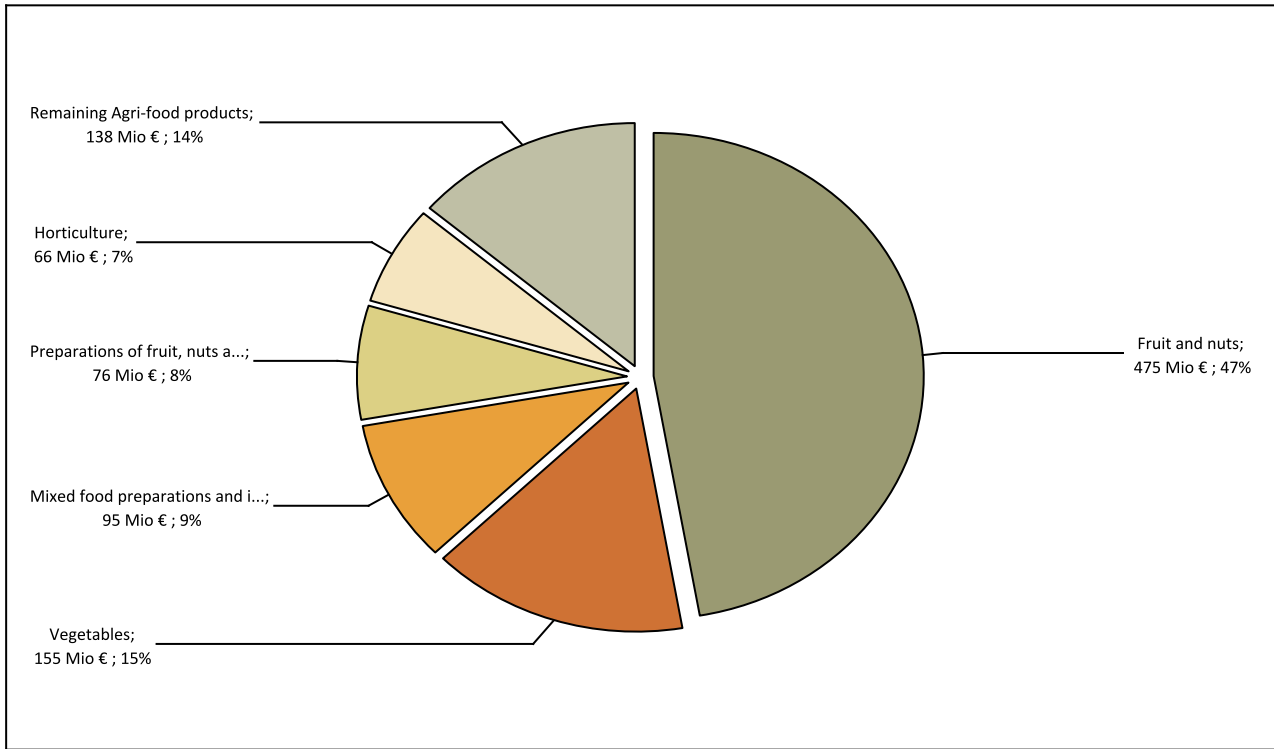
EU Agri-Food trade with: Israel

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

	Exports						
	Value Mio €					%	
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
Agri-food	2 011	2 141	2 648	3 168	2 775	100.0	-12.4
Animal products	450	515	606	711	628	22.6	-11.6
Beef and veal	232	267	329	380	282	10.2	-25.6
Pigmeat	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	16.6
Poultry and eggs	38	41	39	43	47	1.7	9.4
Sheep and goat	54	53	74	109	83	3.0	-23.8
Dairy products	99	127	131	141	173	6.2	22.3
Other animal products	27	26	33	37	42	1.5	13.4
Arable crops and plant based products	641	679	900	1 125	832	30.0	-26.0
Cereals	176	189	293	330	96	3.4	-71.1
Cereal preparations and milling products	246	256	288	378	402	14.5	6.6
Oilseeds and protein crops	42	46	61	106	62	2.2	-41.4
Vegetable oils (Oilseeds and Palm)	41	54	104	151	130	4.7	-14.2
Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	22	24	25	42	39	1.4	-7.6
Sugar and isoglucose	113	110	129	118	104	3.7	-11.9
Fruit, vegetables and olive oil	235	239	270	331	297	10.7	-10.4
Vegetables	75	83	85	104	90	3.2	-13.5
Fruit and nuts	32	34	40	46	51	1.8	10.2
Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	89	91	102	127	130	4.7	2.8
Olives and olive oil	39	31	43	54	26	0.9	-52.5
Wine, beverages and food preparations	483	474	607	702	716	25.8	2.0
Wine and wine based products	36	44	61	64	62	2.2	-2.4
Spirits and liqueurs	73	57	80	80	73	2.6	-8.4
Beer, cider and other beverages	103	103	137	155	173	6.2	11.5
Confectionery and chocolate	165	165	184	232	226	8.1	-2.8
Mixed food preparations and ingredients	106	105	145	171	182	6.6	6.4
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	52	61	66	80	83	3.0	3.5
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Non-edible	150	174	199	220	219	7.9	-0.2
Pet food and forage crops	81	93	111	134	144	5.2	7.0
Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	35	41	42	41	36	1.3	-12.1
Horticulture	16	17	21	20	20	0.7	-1.0
Non edible for technical use	14	18	22	22	18	0.7	-19.4
Unspecified	4	4	3	2	2	0.1	-22.2

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

Top EU Agri-food imports from Israel in 2023



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

		Imports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
	Agri-food	831	746	794	866	1 006	100.0	16.2
1	Fruit and nuts	342	332	351	393	475	47.2	20.9
2	Vegetables	139	95	101	108	155	15.4	43.5
3	Mixed food preparations and ingredients	71	88	98	91	95	9.4	4.4
4	Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	71	60	47	61	76	7.6	24.6
5	Horticulture	84	71	78	70	66	6.6	-5.7
6	Non edible for technical use	28	13	22	29	31	3.1	6.9
7	Cereal preparations and milling products	23	21	26	34	30	3.0	-11.8
8	Confectionery and chocolate	12	7	8	13	16	1.6	23.1
9	Other animal products	15	14	18	22	14	1.4	-36.4
10	Wine and wine based products	9	9	10	11	10	1.0	-9.1
11	Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	10	8	8	10	9	0.9	-10.0
12	Pet food and forage crops	1	3	4	4	8	0.8	100.0
13	Poultry and eggs	11	11	7	6	8	0.8	33.3
14	Dairy products	5	3	5	4	3	0.3	-25.0
15	Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	4	4	3	4	3	0.3	-25.0
	Remaining Agri-food products	7	6	9	9	7	0.7	-22.2

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

	Imports						
	Value Mio €					%	
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
Agri-food	831	746	794	866	1 006	100.0	16.2
Animal products	33	30	33	33	26	2.6	-19.6
Beef and veal	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-100.0
Pigmeat	2	2	2	1	2	0.2	58.0
Poultry and eggs	11	11	7	6	8	0.8	33.9
Sheep and goat							
Dairy products	5	3	5	4	3	0.3	-27.4
Other animal products	15	14	18	22	14	1.4	-34.9
Arable crops and plant based products	34	30	36	45	39	3.9	-13.1
Cereals	0	0	1	0	0	0.0	-27.7
Cereal preparations and milling products	23	21	26	34	30	2.9	-12.9
Oilseeds and protein crops	1	1	1	0	0	0.0	-15.9
Vegetable oils (Oilseeds and Palm)	0	0	0	1	0	0.0	-96.7
Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	10	8	8	10	9	0.9	-8.1
Sugar and isoglucose	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	202.4
Fruit, vegetables and olive oil	553	488	500	562	707	70.3	25.7
Vegetables	139	95	101	108	155	15.4	43.7
Fruit and nuts	342	332	351	393	475	47.2	20.9
Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	71	60	47	61	76	7.6	26.0
Olives and olive oil	1	0	2	1	1	0.1	-39.8
Wine, beverages and food preparations	94	107	119	119	126	12.5	5.4
Wine and wine based products	9	9	10	11	10	1.0	-10.0
Spirits and liqueurs	1	1	1	2	2	0.2	-17.9
Beer, cider and other beverages	2	1	2	2	3	0.3	10.8
Confectionery and chocolate	12	7	8	13	16	1.6	28.5
Mixed food preparations and ingredients	71	88	98	91	95	9.4	4.5
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	4	4	3	4	3	0.3	-24.6
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	4	4	3	4	3	0.3	-24.6
Non-edible	113	87	104	103	105	10.4	2.5
Pet food and forage crops	1	3	4	4	8	0.8	105.2
Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-91.7
Horticulture	84	71	78	70	66	6.6	-4.5
Non edible for technical use	28	13	22	29	31	3.1	6.7
Unspecified							

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

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

		Exports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
	Agri-food	2 011	2 141	2 648	3 168	2 775	100.0	-12.4
01	Live Animals	175	213	288	339	242	8.7	-28.7
02	Meat and edible meat offal	134	129	145	171	147	5.3	-14.2
04	Dairy produce	110	141	137	159	187	6.7	17.8
05	Products of animal origin	2	2	1	1	1	0.0	-1.8
06	Live trees and other plants	15	15	20	19	19	0.7	-1.7
07	Edible vegetables, roots & tubers	52	51	45	80	64	2.3	-19.6
08	Edible fruits & nuts	32	34	40	46	51	1.8	10.2
09	Coffee, tea, mate & spices	34	36	44	50	52	1.9	4.0
10	Cereals	163	176	276	306	66	2.4	-78.4
11	Products of the milling industry	39	40	44	62	65	2.3	5.1
12	Oil seeds & oleaginous fruits	37	49	56	39	35	1.2	-11.1
13	Lacs, gums, resins & other veg. saps	10	11	13	12	12	0.4	-3.3
14	Vegetable products n.e.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-31.1
15	Animal or vegetable fats & oils	92	100	164	238	184	6.6	-22.8
16	Preparations of meat	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	1.0
17	Sugars & sugar confectionery	149	144	171	170	156	5.6	-8.1
18	Cocoa & cocoa preparations	142	151	159	199	197	7.1	-1.3
19	Preps. of cereals, flour, starch, etc.	214	224	248	312	352	12.7	13.1
20	Preps. of vegetables, fruits, nuts & plants	98	99	111	139	143	5.1	3.0
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	113	111	153	183	194	7.0	6.3
22	Beverages, spirits & vinegar	219	208	284	303	313	11.3	3.3
23	Residues and waste from food industry	121	140	176	262	212	7.7	-18.9
24	Tobacco & tobacco products	35	41	42	41	36	1.3	-11.5
	Other WTO products outside chapters 1-24	26	25	30	35	45	1.6	28.6

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

		Imports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Share in all Agri 2023	Change 2022-2023
	Agri-food	831	746	794	866	1 006	100.0	16.2
01	Live Animals	8	9	9	8	7	0.7	-10.7
02	Meat and edible meat offal	3	2	0	0	0	0.0	-100.0
04	Dairy produce	1	1	2	2	2	0.2	-6.8
05	Products of animal origin	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	1387.5
06	Live trees and other plants	80	67	75	67	62	6.2	-7.4
07	Edible vegetables, roots & tubers	119	73	80	83	131	13.0	58.0
08	Edible fruits & nuts	323	313	331	376	457	45.5	21.7
09	Coffee, tea, mate & spices	4	4	2	3	2	0.2	-27.4
10	Cereals	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	56.6
11	Products of the milling industry	2	1	2	5	1	0.1	-75.1
12	Oil seeds & oleaginous fruits	70	59	60	61	63	6.3	3.3
13	Lacs, gums, resins & other veg. saps	4	4	4	3	3	0.3	-4.1
14	Vegetable products n.e.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-9.7
15	Animal or vegetable fats & oils	11	7	10	23	24	2.3	0.3
16	Preparations of meat	10	11	9	7	9	0.9	38.3
17	Sugars & sugar confectionery	15	8	10	13	16	1.6	23.1
18	Cocoa & cocoa preparations	1	1	1	2	1	0.1	-16.4
19	Preps. of cereals, flour, starch, etc.	20	20	24	28	28	2.8	2.5
20	Preps. of vegetables, fruits, nuts & plants	71	60	47	61	77	7.6	26.1
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	63	82	91	86	89	8.9	4.5
22	Beverages, spirits & vinegar	12	12	13	16	15	1.5	-7.7
23	Residues and waste from food industry	1	2	3	3	5	0.5	36.8
24	Tobacco & tobacco products	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-91.7
	Other WTO products outside chapters 1-24	14	10	20	17	11	1.1	-36.7