

AGRI-FOOD TRADE STATISTICAL FACTSHEET

European Union - Sierra Leone

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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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1. Selection of indicators

Agricultural indicators

	Unit	Period	World	Partner
1 Agriculture, value added	(% of GDP)	2019	4.0	58.2
2 Employment in agriculture	(% of total employment)	2019	26.7	54.5
3 Arable land	(ha)	2018	n.a.	1 584 000
4 Crop production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	105.7
5 Livestock production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	103.8
6 Food production index	(2004 2006 = 100)	2014	0.2	104.8
7 Rural population	(% of total population)	2019	44.3	57.5

Source: World Bank

Trade indicators

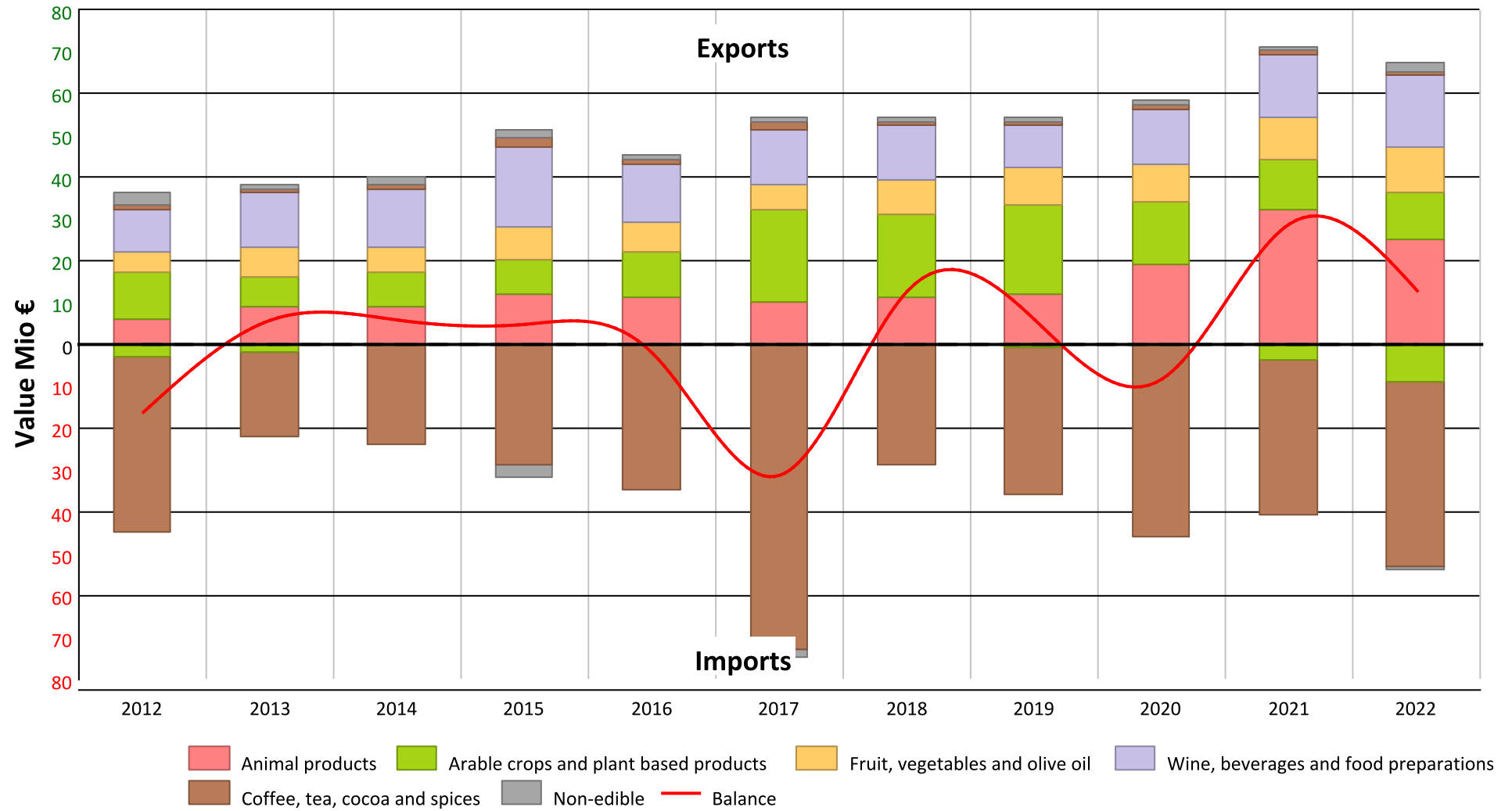
	Unit	Exports	Imports	Balance
EU27 Agri-food trade with Sierra Leone				
Agri-food trade value	Mio €	66	54	12
- as share of EU27 total Agri-food trade	(%)	0.0	0.0	
- as share of EU27 total trade with Sierra Leone	(%)	21.5	21.3	
% change 2021 - 2022		-7.0	28.6	
Annual rate of change from 2012 - 2022	(%)	6.3	1.6	
EU27 total trade with Sierra Leone				
Total trade value	Mio €	307	254	53
- as share of EU27 total trade	(%)	0.0	0.0	
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 Sierra Leone

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
128	Sierra Leone	66	0.0	95	Sierra Leone	54	0.0
	Rest of the World	55 593	23.1		Rest of the World	41 407	23.4

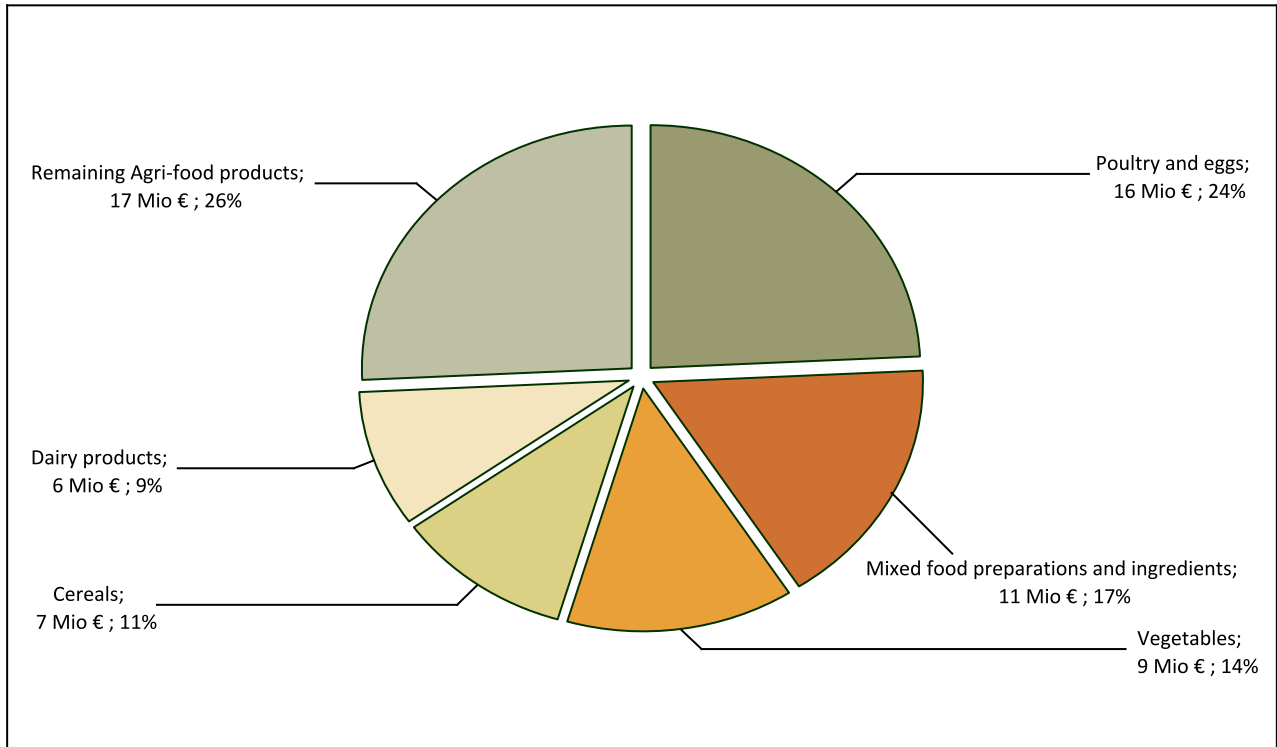
EU Agri-Food trade with: Sierra Leone

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



3. EU Agri-food EXPORTS to Sierra Leone by product category

Top EU Agri-food exports to Sierra Leone in 2022



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

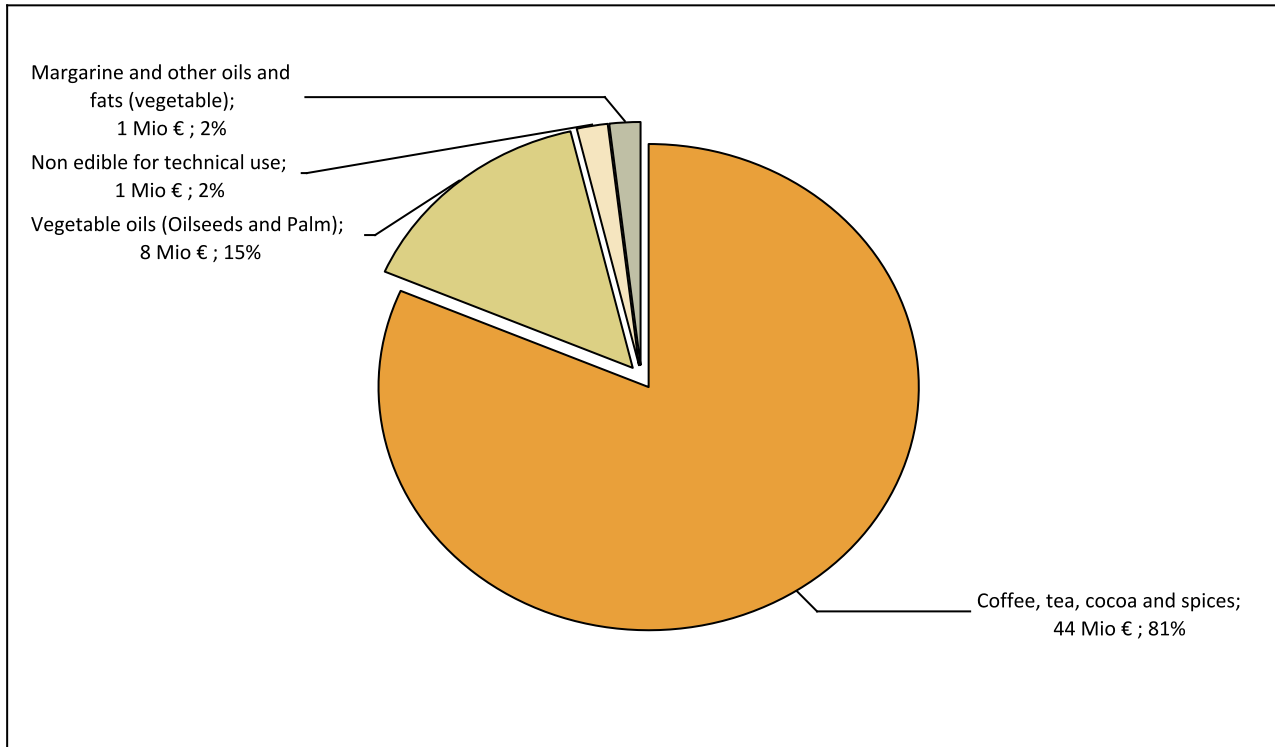
		Exports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Share in all Agri 2022	Change 2021-2022
	Agri-food	54	54	58	71	66	100.0	-7.0
1	Poultry and eggs	7	6	10	19	16	24.2	-15.8
2	Mixed food preparations and ingredients	3	4	6	8	11	16.7	37.5
3	Vegetables	7	7	8	8	9	13.6	12.5
4	Cereals	7	12	8	6	7	10.6	16.7
5	Dairy products	3	3	8	10	6	9.1	-40.0
6	Beer, cider and other beverages	5	3	3	4	3	4.5	-25.0
7	Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	1	2	2	2	2	3.0	0.0
8	Beef and veal	0	1	1	2	2	3.0	0.0
9	Cereal preparations and milling products	3	3	1	1	2	3.0	100.0
10	Spirits and liqueurs	3	2	2	1	1	1.5	0.0
11	Sugar and isoglucose	8	5	4	3	1	1.5	-66.7
12	Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	1	1	1	1	1	1.5	0.0
13	Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	1	1	0	1	1	1.5	0.0
14	Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	1	1	1	1	1	1.5	0.0
15	Confectionery and chocolate	1	1	1	1	1	1.5	0.0
	Remaining Agri-food products	2	2	2	3	3	4.5	0.0

Evolution of EU Agri-food exports to Sierra Leone, 2018 - 2022

	Exports						
	Value Mio €					%	
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Share in all Agri 2022	Change 2021-2022
Agri-food	54	54	58	71	66	100.0	-7.0
Animal products	11	12	19	32	25	37.9	-21.9
- Beef and veal	0	1	1	2	2	3.0	0.0
- Pigmeat	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
- Poultry and eggs	7	6	10	19	16	24.2	-15.8
- Sheep and goat	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
- Dairy products	3	3	8	10	6	9.1	-40.0
- Other animal products	0	0	0	1	0	0.0	-100.0
Arable crops and plant based products	20	21	15	12	11	16.7	-8.3
- Cereals	7	12	8	6	7	10.6	16.7
- Cereal preparations and milling products	3	3	1	1	2	3.0	100.0
- Oilseeds and protein crops	0	0	0				
- Vegetable oils (Oilseeds and Palm)	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
- Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	1	2	2	2	2	3.0	0.0
- Sugar and isoglucose	8	5	4	3	1	1.5	-66.7
Fruit, vegetables and olive oil	8	9	9	10	11	16.7	10.0
- Vegetables	7	7	8	8	9	13.6	12.5
- Fruit and nuts	0	0	1	1	1	1.5	0.0
- Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	1	1	1	1	1	1.5	0.0
- Olives and olive oil	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
Wine, beverages and food preparations	13	10	13	15	17	25.8	13.3
- Wine and wine based products	0	0	0	1	1	1.5	0.0
- Spirits and liqueurs	3	2	2	1	1	1.5	0.0
- Beer, cider and other beverages	5	3	3	4	3	4.5	-25.0
- Confectionery and chocolate	1	1	1	1	1	1.5	0.0
- Mixed food preparations and ingredients	3	4	6	8	11	16.7	37.5
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	1	1	1	1	1	1.5	0.0
- Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	1	1	1	1	1	1.5	0.0
Non-edible	1	1	1	1	2	3.0	100.0
- Pet food and forage crops	1	0	0	0	1	1.5	
- Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	1	1	0	1	1	1.5	0.0
- Horticulture		0	0	0			
- Non edible for technical use	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
- Unspecified	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	

4. EU Agri-food IMPORTS from Sierra Leone by product category

Top EU Agri-food imports from Sierra Leone in 2022



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

		Imports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Share in all Agri 2022	Change 2021-2022
	Agri-food	30	37	47	42	54	100.0	28.6
1	Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	29	35	46	37	44	81.5	18.9
2	Vegetable oils (Oilseeds and Palm)	0	1	0	4	8	14.8	100.0
3	Non edible for technical use	0	0	0	0	1	1.9	
4	Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	0	0	0	0	1	1.9	
5	Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
6	Fruit and nuts	0	0	0		0	0.0	
7	Cereal preparations and milling products	0		0		0	0.0	
8	Other animal products				0	0	0.0	
9	Vegetables	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
10	Beer, cider and other beverages	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
11	Confectionery and chocolate					0	0.0	
12	Mixed food preparations and ingredients	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
13	Cereals			0		0	0.0	
14	Sugar and isoglucose				0	0	0.0	
15	Pet food and forage crops					0	0.0	
	Remaining Agri-food products	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	

Evolution of EU Agri-food imports from Sierra Leone, 2018 - 2022

	Imports						
	Value Mio €					%	
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Share in all Agri 2022	Change 2021-2022
Agri-food	30	37	47	42	54	100.0	28.6
Animal products				0	0	0.0	
- Beef and veal							
- Pigmeat							
- Poultry and eggs							
- Sheep and goat							
- Dairy products							
- Other animal products				0	0	0.0	
Arable crops and plant based products	0	1	0	4	9	16.7	125.0
- Cereals			0		0	0.0	
- Cereal preparations and milling products	0		0		0	0.0	
- Oilseeds and protein crops							
- Vegetable oils (Oilseeds and Palm)	0	1	0	4	8	14.8	100.0
- Margarine and other oils and fats (vegetable)	0			0	1	1.9	
- Sugar and isoglucose				0	0	0.0	
Fruit, vegetables and olive oil	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
- Vegetables	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
- Fruit and nuts	0	0	0		0	0.0	
- Preparations of fruit, nuts and vegetables	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
- Olives and olive oil							
Wine, beverages and food preparations	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
- Wine and wine based products							
- Spirits and liqueurs	0		0	0	0	0.0	
- Beer, cider and other beverages	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
- Confectionery and chocolate					0	0.0	
- Mixed food preparations and ingredients	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
Coffee, tea, cocoa and spices	29	35	46	37	44	81.5	18.9
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Non-edible	0	0	0	0	1	1.9	
- Pet food and forage crops					0	0.0	
- Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	0	0					
- Horticulture	0	0			0	0.0	
- Non edible for technical use	0	0	0	0	1	1.9	
- Unspecified							

5. EU Agri-food trade with Sierra Leone by HS chapters

Evolution of EU Agri-food exports to Sierra Leone, 2018 - 2022

		Exports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Share in all Agri 2022	Change 2021-2022
	Agri-food	54	54	58	71	66	100.0	-7.0
01	Live Animals	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
02	Meat and edible meat offal	5	6	8	13	13	19.7	0.0
04	Dairy produce	4	4	6	10	8	12.1	-20.0
05	Products of animal origin	0		0				
06	Live trees and other plants			0	0			
07	Edible vegetables, roots & tubers	7	7	8	8	9	13.6	12.5
08	Edible fruits & nuts	0	0	1	1	1	1.5	0.0
09	Coffee, tea, mate & spices	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
10	Cereals	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
11	Products of the milling industry	7	12	8	6	7	10.6	16.7
12	Oil seeds & oleaginous fruits	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
13	Lacs, gums, resins & other veg. saps			0		0	0.0	
14	Vegetable products n.e.s.							
15	Animal or vegetable fats & oils	1	2	2	2	2	3.0	0.0
16	Preparations of meat	1	1	1	2	2	3.0	0.0
17	Sugars & sugar confectionery	8	5	5	3	1	1.5	-66.7
18	Cocoa & cocoa preparations	1	1	1	1	1	1.5	0.0
19	Preps. of cereals, flour, starch, etc.	3	3	5	7	3	4.5	-57.1
20	Preps. of vegetables, fruits, nuts & plants	1	1	1	1	1	1.5	0.0
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	3	4	6	8	11	16.7	37.5
22	Beverages, spirits & vinegar	9	6	5	6	5	7.6	-16.7
23	Residues and waste from food industry	1	0	0	0	1	1.5	
24	Tobacco & tobacco products	1	1	0	1	1	1.5	0.0
	Other WTO products outside chapters 1-24	1	1	1	1	1	1.5	0.0

Evolution of Agri-food imports from Sierra Leone, 2018 - 2022

		Imports						
		Value Mio €					%	
		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Share in all Agri 2022	Change 2021-2022
	Agri-food	30	37	47	42	54	100.0	28.6
01	Live Animals							
02	Meat and edible meat offal							
04	Dairy produce				0			
05	Products of animal origin							
06	Live trees and other plants	0				0	0.0	
07	Edible vegetables, roots & tubers	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
08	Edible fruits & nuts	0	0	0		0	0.0	
09	Coffee, tea, mate & spices	1	3	3	1	3	5.6	200.0
10	Cereals			0		0	0.0	
11	Products of the milling industry	0				0	0.0	
12	Oil seeds & oleaginous fruits	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
13	Lacs, gums, resins & other veg. saps				0	0	0.0	
14	Vegetable products n.e.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
15	Animal or vegetable fats & oils	0	1	0	4	8	14.8	100.0
16	Preparations of meat							
17	Sugars & sugar confectionery				0	0	0.0	
18	Cocoa & cocoa preparations	27	31	43	37	41	75.9	10.8
19	Preps. of cereals, flour, starch, etc.			0		0	0.0	
20	Preps. of vegetables, fruits, nuts & plants	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
22	Beverages, spirits & vinegar	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
23	Residues and waste from food industry					0	0.0	
24	Tobacco & tobacco products	0	0					
	Other WTO products outside chapters 1-24	0		0	0	1	1.9	