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# Croatia



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Main figures - Year 2020		
Population (1 <sup>st</sup> January)	4 058 165	persons
Area*	56 594	km <sup>2</sup>
Currency	HRK	Croatian kuna
Nominal GDP at current prices	49 283	million EUR
GDP per capita at current prices	11 987	EUR
GDP per capita at purchasing power	18 900	PPS
Harmonised index of consumer prices	0.1%	change over previous year
Unemployment rate	7.7	% of labour force
Exports (goods & services)	19 259	million EUR (current prices)
Imports (goods & services)	21 569	million EUR (current prices)
Balance (goods & services)	- 2 310	million EUR (current prices)
Exports of agricultural products	2 270	million EUR (current prices)
Imports of agricultural products	3 160	million EUR (current prices)
Current account balance	-1.7	% of GDP
General government balance	-6.5	% of GDP
General government gross debt	86.6	% of GDP

Sources: European Commission, Eurostat (Online Data Table: [urt\\_d3area](#), [urt\\_pjanaggr3](#)), and Directorate General for Economic and Financial Affairs.

\*Data refer to the year 2016

(e) Estimation

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## 1. KEY DATA

Macroeconomics				
<b>Population</b>				
<b>Total population (number of persons), of which:</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>4 058 165</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>of EU27_2020</b>
in predominantly rural regions	2020	42.5%	20.8%	in EU27_2020
in intermediate regions	2020	37.6%	38.9%	in EU27_2020
in predominantly urban regions	2020	19.9%	40.3%	in EU27_2020
<b>Population in Predominantly rural regions (Persons)</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>1 724 293</b>	<b>1.9%</b>	<b>of EU27_2020</b>
<b>GDP (current basic prices)</b>				
Total (million EUR)	2020	49 283	0.4%	of EU27_2020
GDP per capita (EUR/person)	2020	11 987	29 355	in EU27_2020
GDP per capita (PPS/person)	2020	18 900	29 700	in EU27_2020
Real GDP growth rate (% change over previous year)	2020	-9.6%	-7.4%	in EU27_2020
<b>Gross value added</b>				
Agriculture, forestry and fishing (% of total GVA)	2020	3.9%	1.9%	in EU27_2020
<b>Financial aspects</b>				
<b>Common Agricultural Policy expenditure</b>				
<b>Total expenditure (million EUR), of which:</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>1.1%</b>	<b>of EU27_2020</b>
Direct payments (%)	2020	51.8%	69.9%	in EU27_2020
Market measures (%)	2020	2.1%	4.6%	in EU27_2020
Rural development (%)	2020	46.1%	25.5%	in EU27_2020
<b>Economic accounts of agriculture</b>				
<b>Agricultural output (current basic prices)</b>				
<b>Agricultural output (million EUR), of which:</b>	<b>2020 (e)</b>	<b>2 481</b>	<b>0.6%</b>	<b>of EU27_2020</b>
<b>Crop output, of which:</b>		<b>60.2%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>of EU27_2020</b>
Cereals (including seeds)		16.4%	0.9%	of EU27_2020
Industrial crops		10.7%	1.4%	of EU27_2020
Forage plants		11.3%	1.1%	of EU27_2020
Vegetables and horticultural products		10.7%	0.5%	of EU27_2020
Potatoes		1.3%	0.3%	of EU27_2020
Fruits		3.0%	0.3%	of EU27_2020
Wine		5.1%	0.6%	of EU27_2020
Olive oil		1.7%	1.2%	of EU27_2020
<b>Animal output, of which:</b>		<b>35.9%</b>	<b>0.6%</b>	<b>of EU27_2020</b>
Cattle		10.0%	0.9%	of EU27_2020
Pigs		10.3%	0.6%	of EU27_2020
Sheep and goats		1.5%	1.0%	of EU27_2020
Poultry		4.4%	0.6%	of EU27_2020
Milk		7.2%	0.3%	of EU27_2020
Eggs		2.0%	0.5%	of EU27_2020
Gross value added at current prices (million EUR)	2020 (e)	1 255	0.7%	of EU27_2020
<b>Agricultural input (current basic prices)</b>				
Total intermediate consumption (million EUR)	2020 (e)	1 298	0.6%	of EU27_2020
<b>Agricultural income (real prices)</b>				
Agricultural Income*(% change over previous year, 2010=100)	2020 (e)	13.2%	-1.2%	in EU27_2020
<b>Farm structure</b>				
<b>Holdings</b>				
<b>Total (No), of which:</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>134 460</b>	<b>1.3%</b>	<b>of EU27_2020</b>
UAA < 5 ha (%)	2016	69.5%	66.6%	in EU27_2020
Economic size < 4 000 €	2016	48.2%	54.9%	in EU27_2020
Holder < 35 years (%)	2016	5.1%	5.1%	in EU27_2020
Holder > 64 years (%)	2016	32.7%	32.8%	in EU27_2020
UAA per holding (ha)	2016	11.6	15.2	in EU27_2020
<b>Labour force</b>				
AWU (No)	2016	:	:	of EU27_2020
Female farm holders (%)	2016	28.1%	30.7%	in EU27_2020
Male farm holders (%)	2016	71.9%	68.8%	in EU27_2020
Agriculture in % of total employment	2020	6.1%	4.0%	in EU27_2020

Sources: European Commission(Ameco), Eurostat(Online Data Table: urt\_pjanaggr3, aact\_eaa01, ef\_m\_farmleg, ef\_m\_farmang, ef\_if\_main, lfsa\_egan2) and Directorate General for Agriculture and Rural Development.

\*Indicator A- See definition at page 10

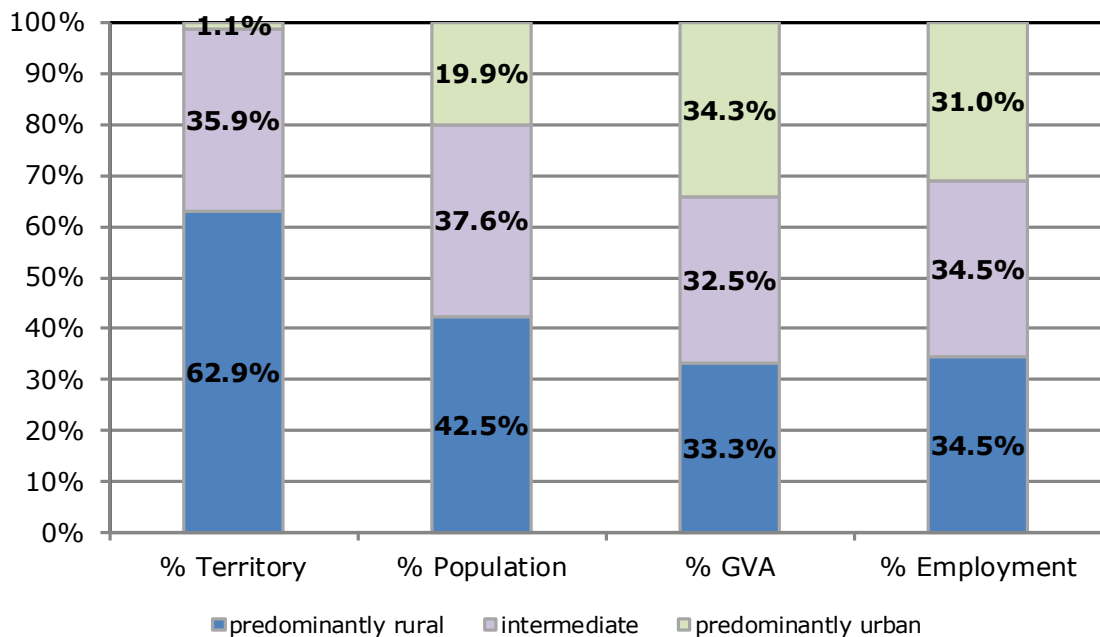
## 2. POPULATION AND ECONOMY

### Importance of rural areas

	Territory (km <sup>2</sup> )	Population (persons)	GVA (Million EUR)	Employment (persons)
Year	2016	2020	2018	2019
Predominantly Rural Regions	35 613	1 724 293	14 199	568 400
Intermediate Regions	20 340	1 524 637	13 859	569 900
Predominantly Urban Regions	641	809 235	14 632	511 300
<b>Total</b>	<b>56 594</b>	<b>4 058 165</b>	<b>42 690</b>	<b>1 649 600</b>

Source: Eurostat (Online Data Table: urt\_d3area, urt\_pjanagr3, urt\_10r\_3gva, urt\_lfe3emp)

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Degree of urbanisation	Share of land (%)	Share of population (%)
	2018	2018
Rural areas	80.7%	35.4%
Towns and suburbs	17.1%	32.2%
Cities	2.2%	32.4%

Source: Eurostat, GISCO

\*Based on 2011 population grid, LAU 2018 delineation and NUTS 2016.

## 2. POPULATION AND ECONOMY

## Economic forecast

Indicators	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021(f)	2022(f)
<b>GDP</b>										
In million EUR (current prices)	43 806	43 398	44 612	46 619	49 238	51 950	54 238	49 283	52 413	56 522
Per capita (in PPS; current prices)	15 700	15 800	16 500	17 300	18 300	19 200	20 200	18 900	20 200	21 700
<b>% change over previous period</b>										
GDP growth at constant prices (2015=100)	-0.4%	-0.3%	2.4%	3.5%	3.4%	2.8%	2.9%	-9.6%	5.7%	3.7%
GDP deflator (2015=100)	0.0%	-0.6%	0.4%	1.0%	2.1%	2.6%	1.5%	-1.0%	0.9%	1.2%
Harmonised index of consumer prices	2.3%	0.2%	-0.3%	-0.6%	1.3%	1.6%	0.8%	0.1%	1.2%	1.5%
Exports (goods and services)	2.5%	7.4%	10.3%	7.0%	6.8%	3.7%	6.8%	-29.5%	29.2%	5.7%
Imports (goods and services)	3.2%	3.5%	9.4%	6.5%	8.4%	7.5%	6.3%	-22.0%	22.4%	3.9%
<b>Net exports of goods and services (million EUR)</b>	<b>- 887</b>	<b>- 167</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>- 439</b>	<b>- 135</b>	<b>-2 310</b>	<b>-1 565</b>	<b>-1 311</b>
<b>% of total employment</b>										
Unemployment rate	17.3	17.3	16.2	13.1	11.2	8.5	6.6	7.7	7.5	6.9
<b>% of GDP</b>										
Current account balance	-1.1	0.2	3.2	2.0	3.4	1.8	2.7	-1.7	-0.4	0.3
General government balance	-5.6	-5.5	-3.5	-0.9	0.8	0.2	0.4	-6.5	-2.8	-3.2
General government gross debt	81.0	84.7	84.3	80.8	77.5	74.3	72.8	86.6	82.3	81.6

Source: European Commission, Directorate General for Economic and Financial Affairs

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f: forecast

## 3.1. AGRICULTURE: FINANCIAL ASPECTS

### CAP expenditure

Measures	2020		
	1 000 EUR		
Decoupled direct aids	266 453	43.5%	84.0%
Other direct aids	50 885	8.3%	16.0%
Additional amounts of aid	0	0.0%	0.0%
Reimbursement of direct aids in relation to financial discipline		0.0%	0.0%
<b>Direct payments (Total)</b>	<b>317 338</b>	<b>51.8%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Olive oil	0	0.0%	0.0%
Textile plants	0	0.0%	0.0%
Fruit and vegetables		0.0%	0.0%
Wine sector	10 088	1.6%	77.2%
Promotion		0.0%	0.0%
Other plant products/measures		0.0%	0.0%
Milk and milk products		0.0%	0.0%
Beef and veal	0	0.0%	0.0%
Sheepmeat and goatmeat	0	0.0%	0.0%
Pigmeat, eggs, poultry and other	1 002	0.2%	7.7%
School schemes*	1 970	0.3%	15.1%
<b>Market measures (Total)</b>	<b>13 061</b>	<b>2.1%</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>Rural development (Total)</b>	<b>282 343</b>	<b>46.1%</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>612 741</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	

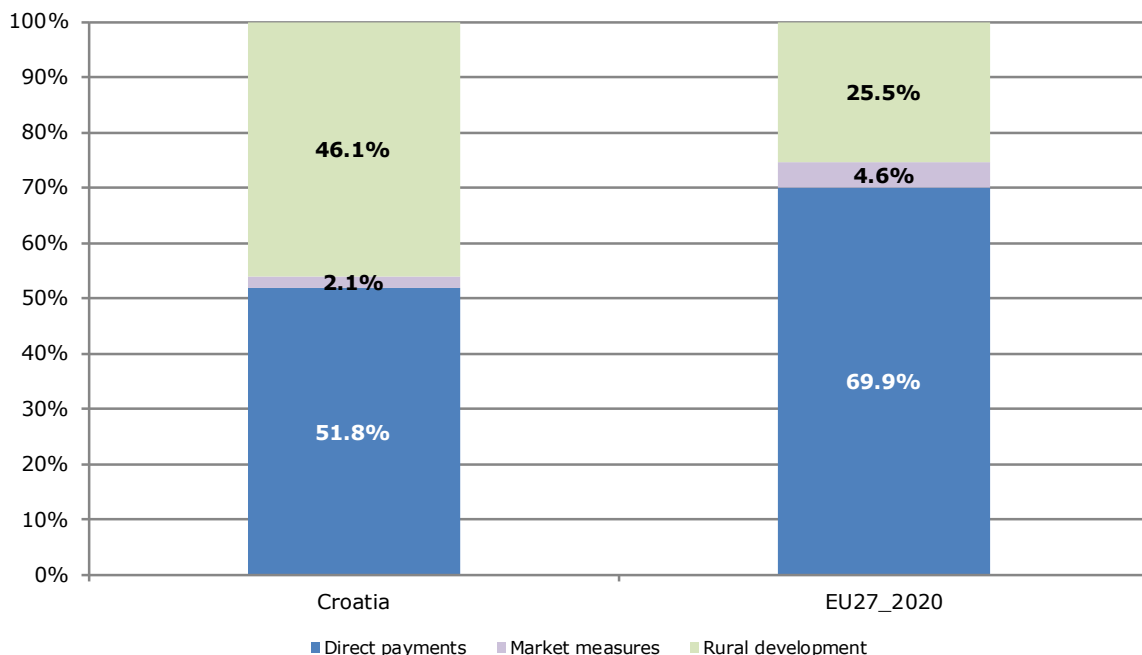
Note: Expenditure in commitments for direct payments and market measures; ceilings of support for rural development. Negative values represent beneficiaries that in total reimbursed money to the EAGF (recoveries, corrections, etc.)

\* Programme implementation based on school years; reimbursement possible in the next financial year

Source: European Commission, Directorate General for Agriculture and Rural Development

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### Distribution of CAP expenditure



## 3.2. AGRICULTURE: FINANCIAL ASPECTS

### Distribution of direct aids to the producers

Size-class of aid (all direct payments)	Financial year 2019*			
	Beneficiaries		Payments in EUR	
	x 1 000	% of total	x 1 000	% of total
< 0 €	0.00	0.00%	-1	0.0%
≥ 0 and < 500 €	31.27	30.00%	10 107	3.6%
≥ 500 and < 1 250 €	36.00	34.55%	29 012	10.4%
≥ 1 250 and < 2 000 €	13.14	12.61%	20 655	7.4%
≥ 2 000 and < 5 000 €	13.29	12.75%	40 576	14.5%
≥ 5 000 and < 10 000 €	5.61	5.38%	39 515	14.2%
≥ 10 000 and < 20 000 €	3.27	3.14%	45 229	16.2%
≥ 20 000 and < 50 000 €	1.32	1.27%	38 112	13.7%
≥ 50 000 and < 100 000 €	0.18	0.17%	11 739	4.2%
≥ 100 000 and < 150 000 €	0.05	0.05%	6 494	2.3%
≥ 150 000 and < 200 000 €	0.02	0.02%	3 146	1.1%
≥ 200 000 and < 250 000 €	0.02	0.01%	3 330	1.2%
≥ 250 000 and < 300 000 €	0.01	0.01%	1 591	0.6%
≥ 300 000 and < 500 000 €	0.01	0.01%	5 437	1.9%
≥ 500 000 €	0.02	0.01%	23 954	8.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>104.20</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>278 896</b>	<b>100%</b>

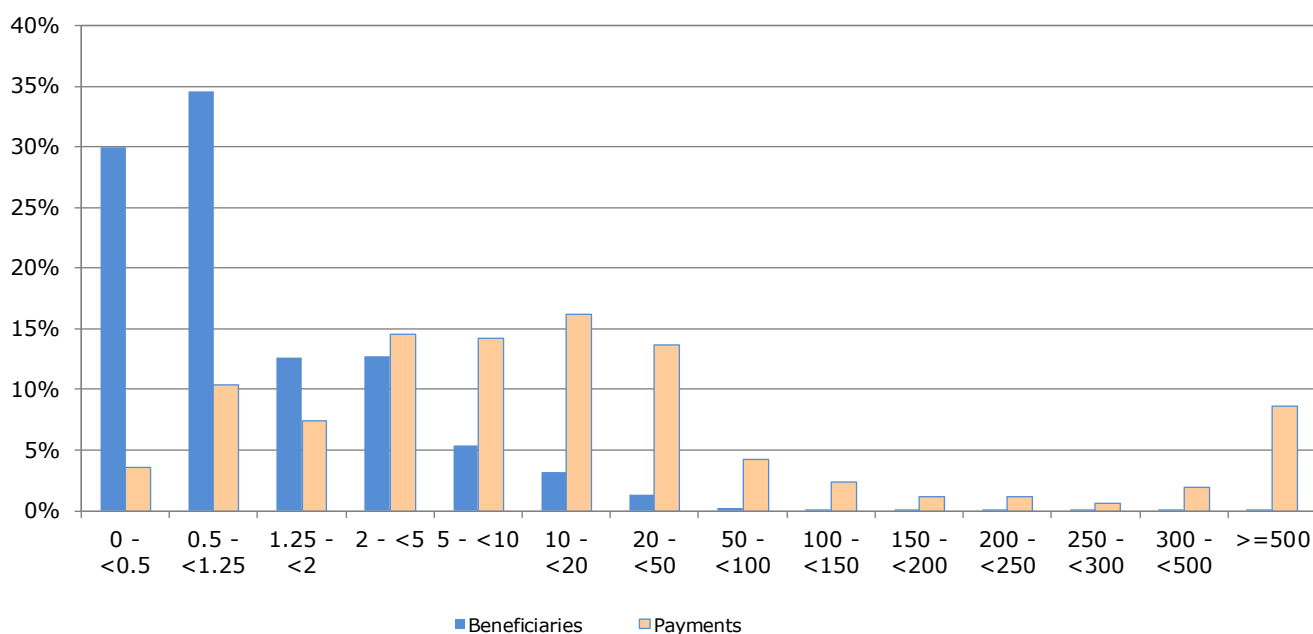
Source: European Commission, Directorate General for Agriculture and Rural Development.

\* Figures for financial year 2020 will become available during the second half of 2021. Negative values represent beneficiaries that in total reimbursed money to the EAGF (recoveries, corrections, etc.)

Note: In order to protect the anonymity of the beneficiaries, numbers less than 10 have been made invisible in this table.

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#### Indicative figures on the distribution of direct aid by size-class of aid (1 000 EUR)



## 4.1. AGRICULTURE: ECONOMIC ACCOUNTS

## Agricultural output

Output components (real prices)	2018	2019	2020 (e)		
	Million EUR		Million EUR	% of total	% of EU27_2020
<b>Cereals:</b>	<b>378</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>383</b>	<b>17.0%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>
Wheat and spelt	118	120	120	5%	0.6%
Rye and meslin		1	0	0%	0.0%
Barley	32	37	39	2%	0.5%
Oats and summer cereal mixtures	9	9	5	0%	0.3%
Grain maize	211	191	213	9%	2.3%
Rice		0	0	0%	0.0%
Other cereals	8	9	6	0%	0.4%
<b>Industrial crops:</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>11.1%</b>	<b>1.5%</b>
Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	163	137	156	7%	1.7%
Protein crops	10	11	9	0%	0.8%
Raw tobacco	18	20	27	1%	5.5%
Sugar beet	25	31	39	2%	2.3%
Other industrial crops	11	11	19	1%	0.4%
<b>Forage plants</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>11.8%</b>	<b>1.2%</b>
<b>Vegetables and horticultural products</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>11.1%</b>	<b>0.5%</b>
<b>Potatoes</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>1.3%</b>	<b>0.3%</b>
<b>Fruits</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>3.2%</b>	<b>0.3%</b>
<b>Wine</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>0.6%</b>
<b>Olive oil</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>2%</b>	<b>1.1%</b>
<b>Other crop products</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
<b>Crop output</b>	<b>1 325</b>	<b>1 304</b>	<b>1 408</b>	<b>62.6%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>
<b>Animals:</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>585</b>	<b>618</b>	<b>27.5%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>
Cattle	180	224	234	10.4%	1.0%
Pigs	178	220	240	10.7%	0.7%
Equines	1	1	1	0.1%	0.1%
Sheep and goats	36	34	36	1.6%	1.0%
Poultry	106	102	103	4.6%	0.6%
Other animals	4	4	4	0.2%	0.2%
<b>Animal products:</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>9.9%</b>	<b>0.4%</b>
Milk	165	166	168	7.5%	0.4%
Eggs	54	51	46	2.1%	0.6%
Other animal products	9	9	7	0.3%	0.3%
<b>Animal output</b>	<b>732</b>	<b>810</b>	<b>840</b>	<b>37.4%</b>	<b>0.6%</b>
<b>Agricultural goods output</b>	<b>2 057</b>	<b>2 115</b>	<b>2 248</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>

(e) 2020 data are estimates and may still change.

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Source: Eurostat(Online Data Table: aact\_eaa04), Economic Accounts for Agriculture (Production value at basic price).

## 4.2. AGRICULTURE: ECONOMIC ACCOUNTS

### Agricultural input

Input components (real prices)	2018	2019	2020 (e)	2019/2018	2020 (e) /2019
	Million EUR			% Change	
Seeds and planting stock	92	88	100	-3.6%	13.7%
Energy	100	97	76	-3.1%	-21.6%
Fertilisers and soil improvers	153	147	142	-4.3%	-3.0%
Plant protection products	79	79	84	-0.2%	6.0%
Veterinary expenses	43	42	43	-2.5%	1.4%
Feedingstuffs	451	490	514	8.8%	4.8%
Maintenance of materials	35	34	35	-3.1%	3.2%
Maintenance of buildings	24	24	25	-2.5%	5.6%
Agricultural services	94	89	91	-5.3%	2.3%
Other goods and services	92	93	93	0.3%	0.3%
<b>Total intermediate consumption</b>	<b>1 185</b>	<b>1 203</b>	<b>1 224</b>	<b>1.5%</b>	<b>1.7%</b>
<b>Fixed capital consumption</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>296</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>-3.2%</b>	<b>0.3%</b>

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Source: Eurostat(Online Data Table: aact\_eaa04), Economic Accounts for Agriculture (Production value at basic price)

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### Agricultural income

By category of product (real prices)	2018	2019	2020 (e)	2019/2018	2020 (e) /2019
	Million EUR			% Change	
<b>Output of the agricultural "industry":</b>	<b>2 212</b>	<b>2 263</b>	<b>2 406</b>	<b>2.3%</b>	<b>6.3%</b>
Crop output	1 325	1 304	1 408	-1.5%	8.0%
Animal output:	732	810	840	10.7%	3.6%
<i>Animals</i>	504	585	618	16.2%	5.6%
<i>Animal products</i>	228	225	222	-1.4%	-1.5%
Agricultural services	91	89	91	-2.4%	2.3%
Secondary activities	63	59	67	-6.4%	13.1%
<b>- Intermediate consumption</b>	<b>1 185</b>	<b>1 203</b>	<b>1 224</b>	<b>1.5%</b>	<b>1.7%</b>
<b>= Gross value added at basic prices</b>	<b>1 027</b>	<b>1 060</b>	<b>1 183</b>	<b>3.3%</b>	<b>11.5%</b>
- Consumption of fixed capital	306	296	297	-3.2%	0.3%
- Taxes	:	0	0	:	:
+ Subsidies	386	417	452	8.0%	8.4%
<b>= Factor income</b>	<b>1 107</b>	<b>1 181</b>	<b>1 338</b>	<b>6.7%</b>	<b>13.2%</b>
<b>Agricultural income* (2010=100)</b>	<b>125.3</b>	<b>132.5</b>	<b>150.0</b>	<b>5.7%</b>	<b>13.2%</b>

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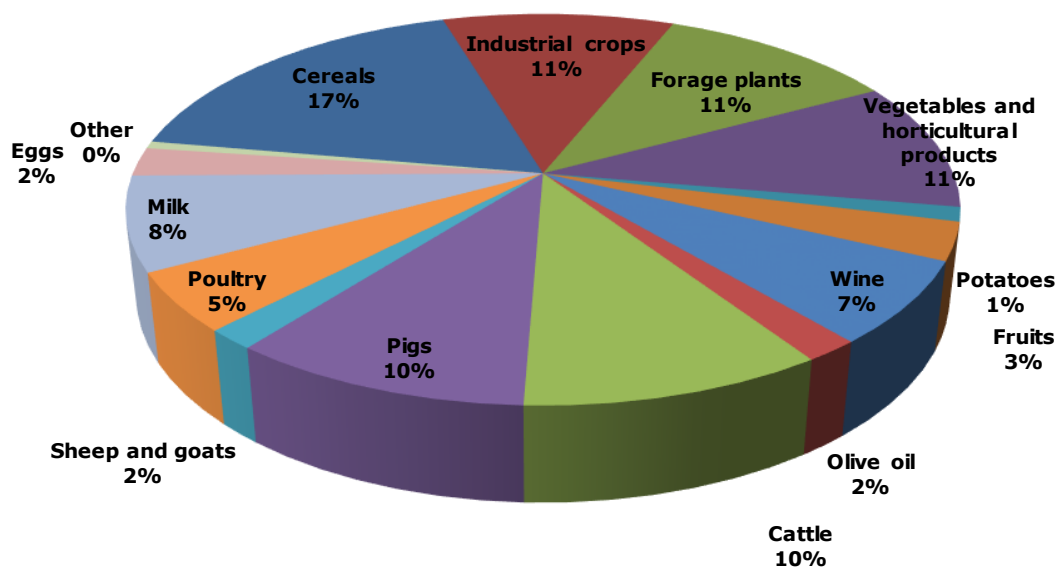
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Source: Eurostat(Online Data Table: aact\_eaa04 aact\_eaa06), Economic Accounts for Agriculture (Production value at basic price, Real Values, Index, 2010=100)

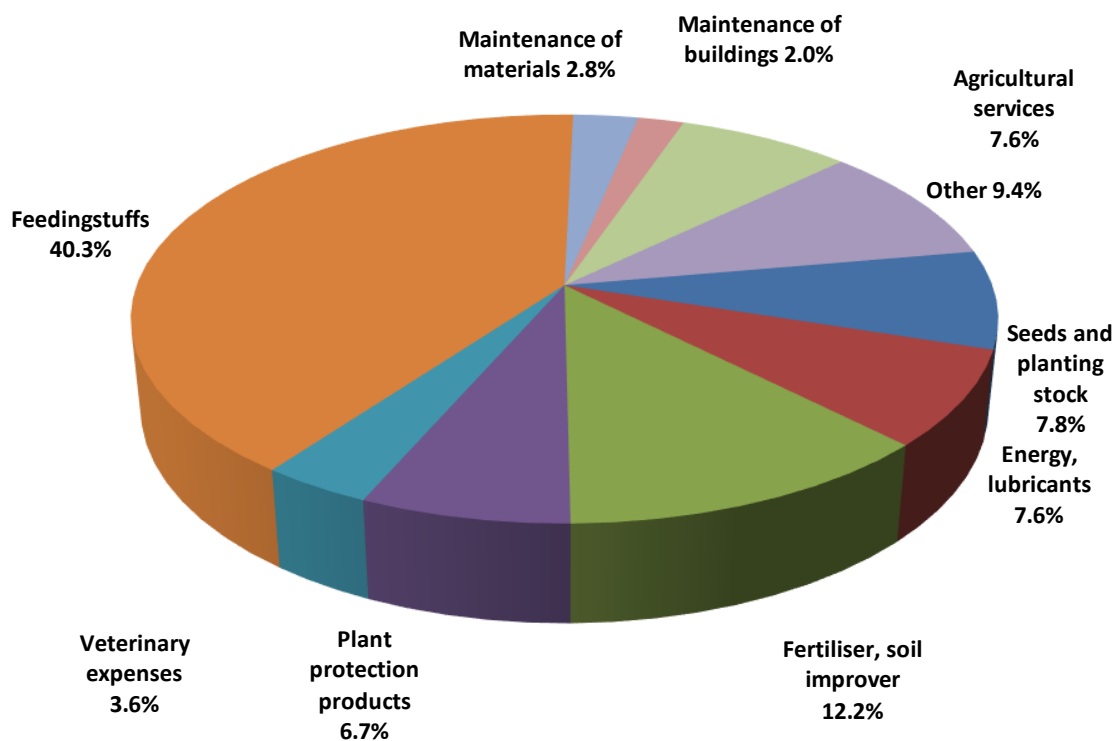


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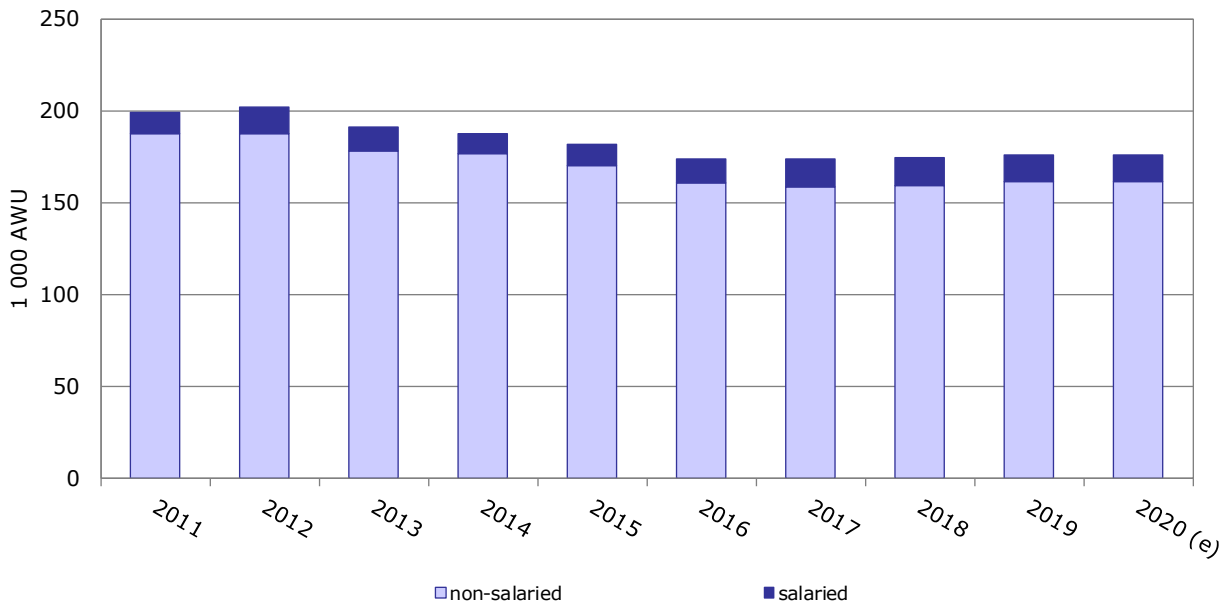
### Output components (2018-2020 average)



### Intermediate consumption (2018-2020 average)



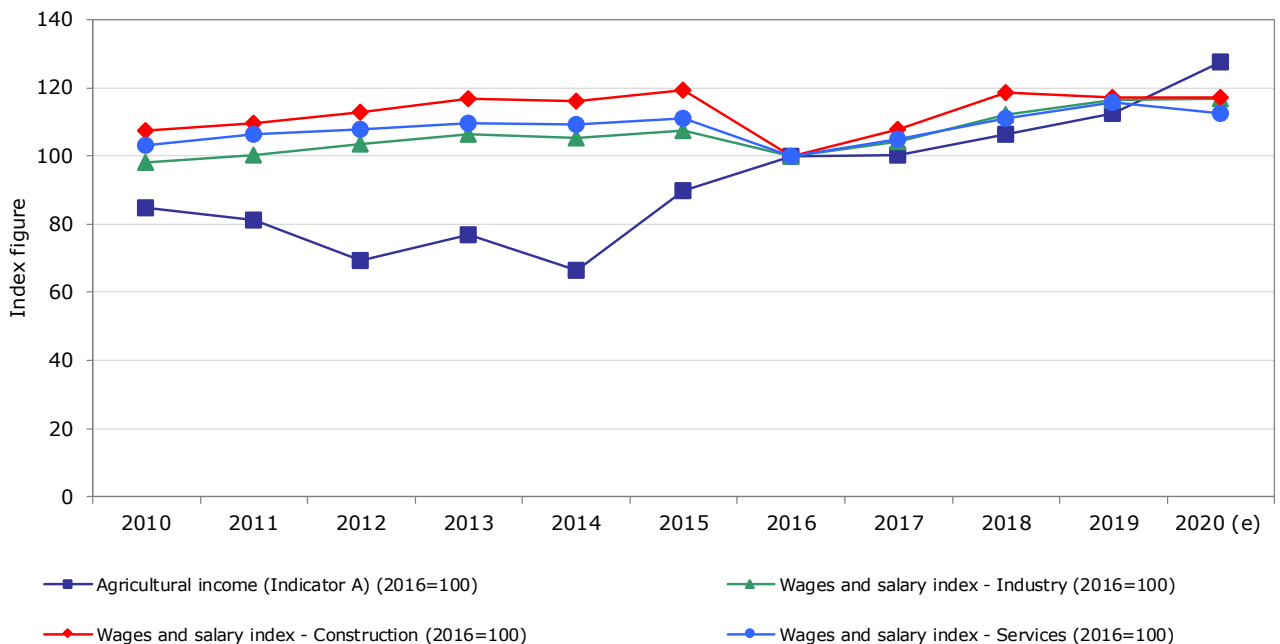
### Evolution of agricultural labour input



Source: Eurostat(Online Data Table: aact\_ali01)

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### Evolution of agricultural income (\*) compared to wages

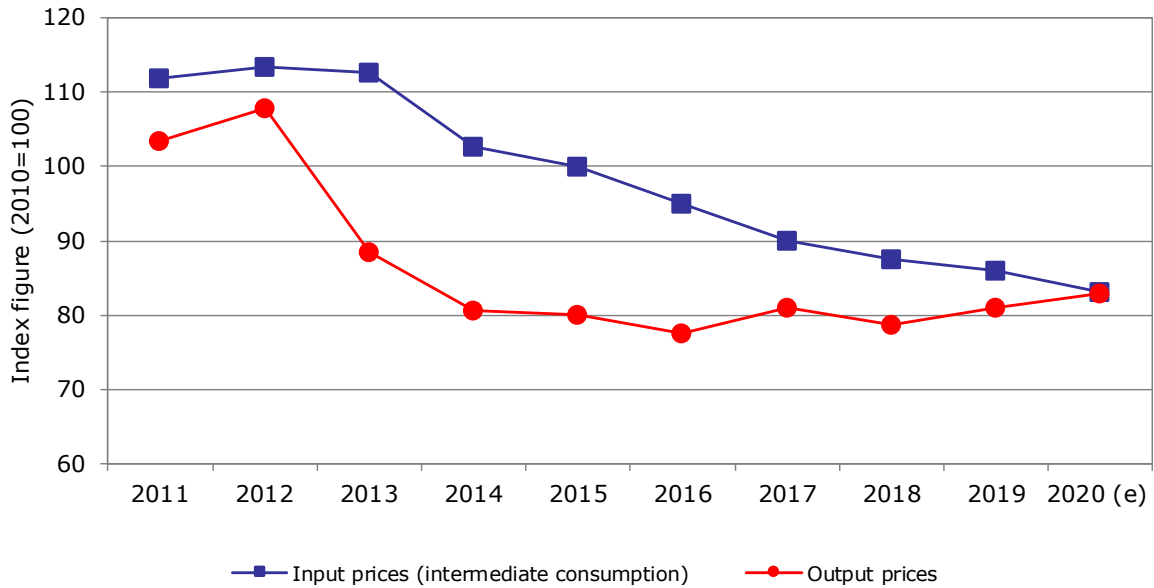


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(\*) The so-called indicator A is the real net value added at factor cost of agriculture per annual work unit (AWU). The net value added at factor cost (factor income) is calculated by subtracting the consumption of fixed capital from gross value added at basic prices and adding the value of subsidies less taxes. The AWU is defined as the work volume corresponding to one full-time employed worked.

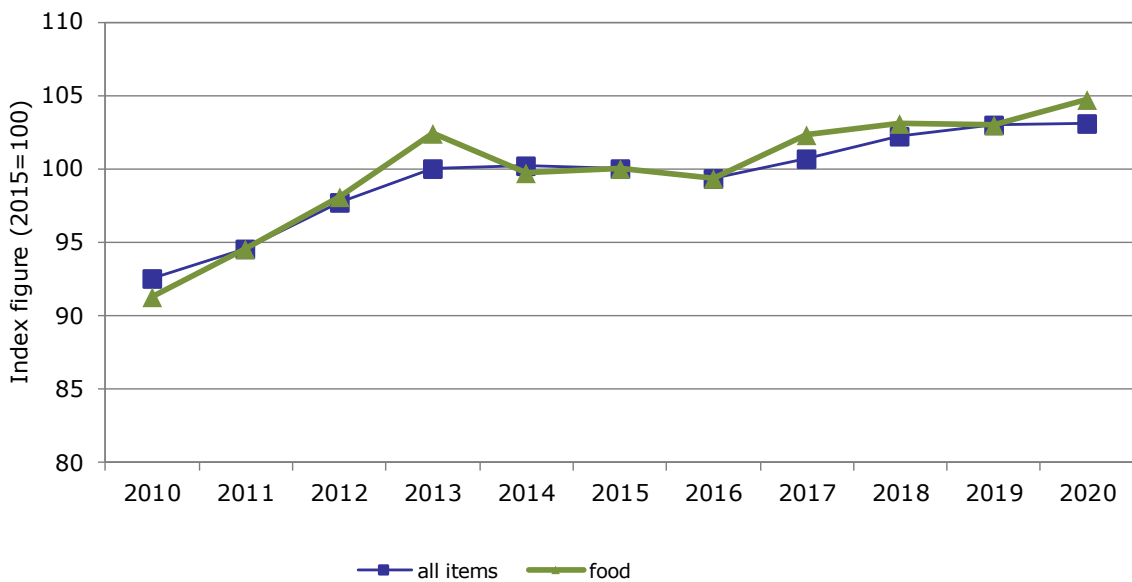
### Evolution of agricultural input and output prices



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### Evolution of harmonised indices of consumer prices

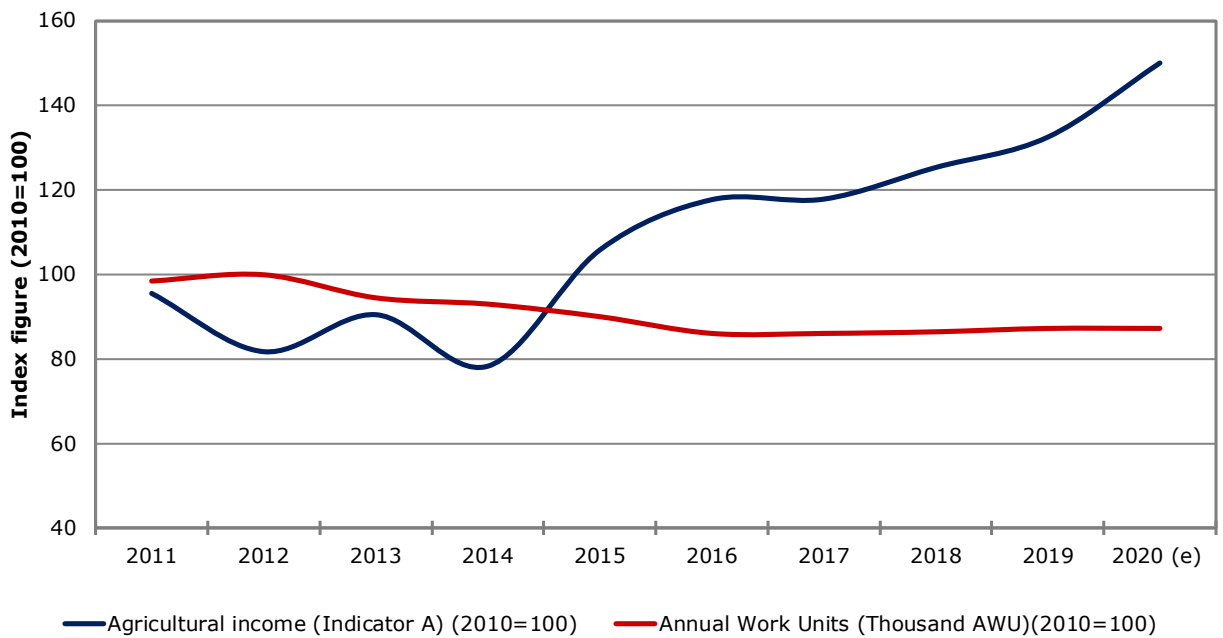


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## 4.6. AGRICULTURE: ECONOMIC ACCOUNTS

### Farms' income and labour development index (real terms)

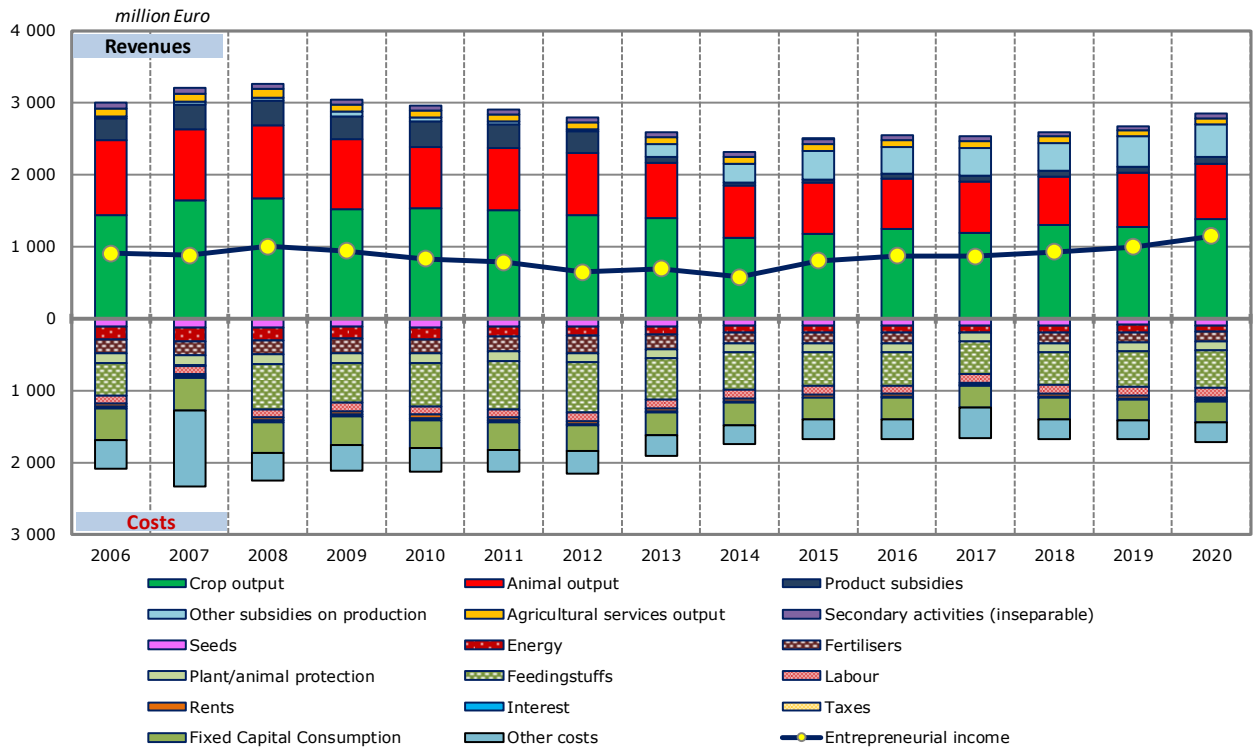


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## 4.7. AGRICULTURE: ECONOMIC ACCOUNTS

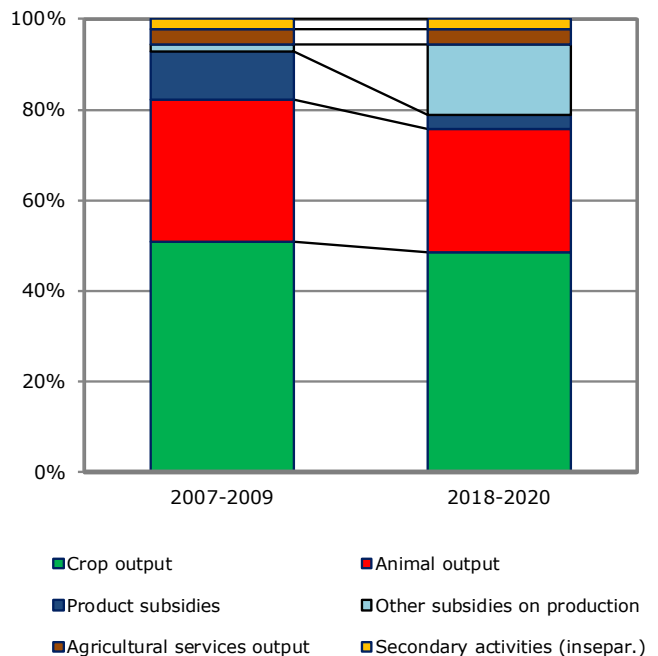
### Agricultural income (real prices)



#### Cost Structure



#### Revenue Structure



## 5.1. AGRICULTURAL TRADE

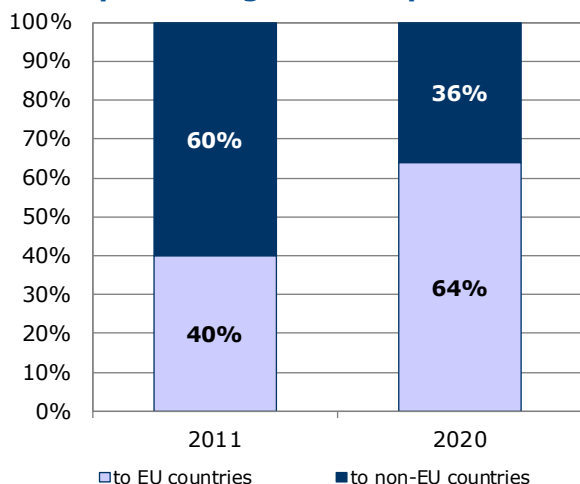
### Agricultural trade in 2020

By category of product	Total trade	Trade with EU countries		Trade with non-EU countries	
	Million EUR	Million EUR	% change 2020/2019	Million EUR	% change 2020/2019
<b>Exports</b>					
Commodities	640	523	25.1%	116	20.8%
Other primary products	421	236	19.2%	184	9.2%
Processed products	229	136	7.5%	93	3.6%
Food preparations	626	316	5.2%	310	-4.9%
Beverages	112	54	-2.2%	57	-18.3%
Non edible	243	184	-0.8%	58	1.8%
<b>Total agricultural products</b>	<b>2 270</b>	<b>1 450</b>	<b>0.4%</b>	<b>820</b>	<b>-5.5%</b>
as % of total exports	15.1%	14.4%		16.7%	
<b>Imports</b>					
Commodities	461	371	0.7%	90	-17.5%
Other primary products	953	818	-12.8%	135	27.9%
Processed products	395	345	-13.5%	51	13.8%
Food preparations	844	738	-1.2%	106	8.2%
Beverages	190	146	-10.9%	44	-12.3%
Non edible	317	279	10.7%	37	-20.1%
<b>Total agricultural products</b>	<b>3 160</b>	<b>2 696</b>	<b>-6.0%</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>1.99%</b>
as % of total imports	13.5%	15.0%		8.6%	
<b>Balance</b>					
Commodities	179	152		27	
Other primary products	- 532	- 581		49	
Processed products	- 166	- 209		43	
Food preparations	- 218	- 422		204	
Beverages	- 78	- 92		14	
Non edible	- 74	- 95		21	
<b>Total agricultural products</b>	<b>-890</b>	<b>-1 247</b>		<b>357</b>	

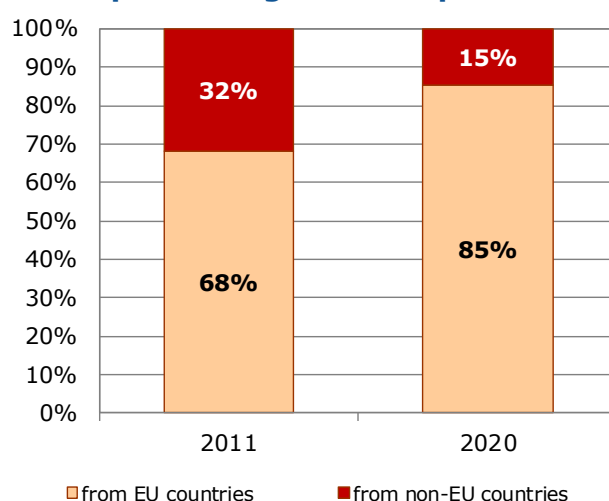
Source: Directorate General for Agriculture and Rural Development, based on COMEXT data

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#### Exports of agricultural products

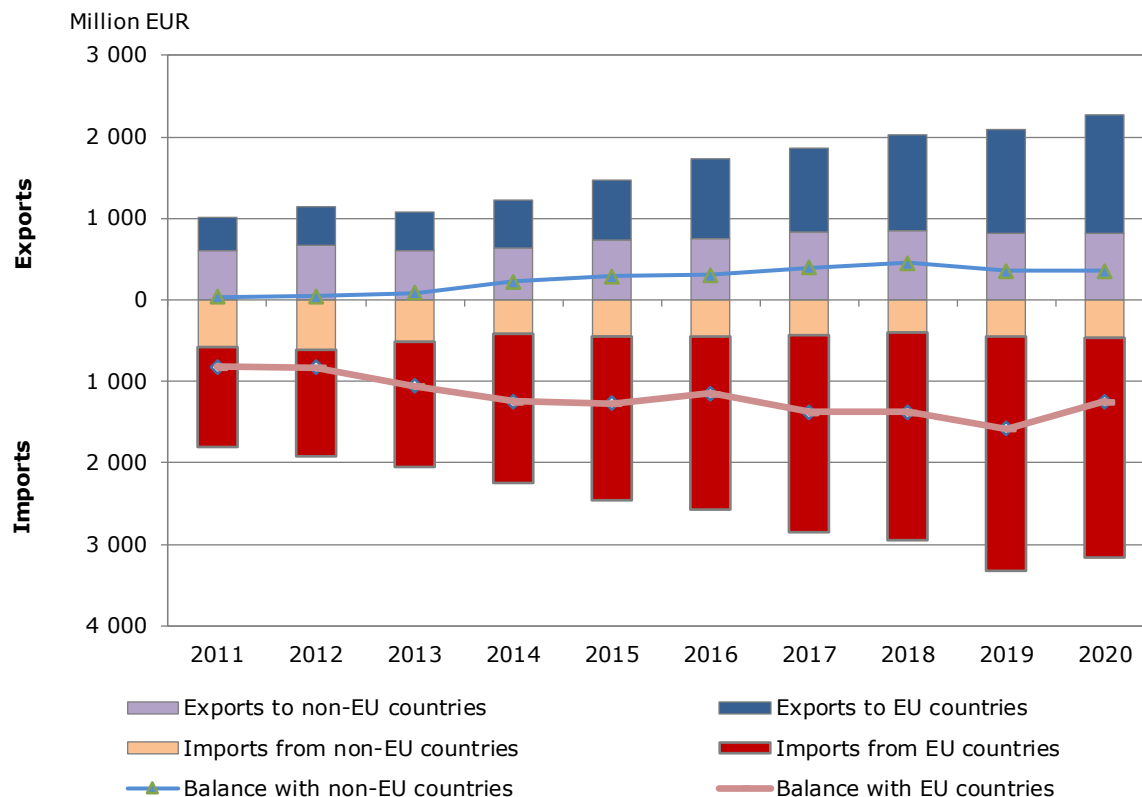


#### Imports of agricultural products

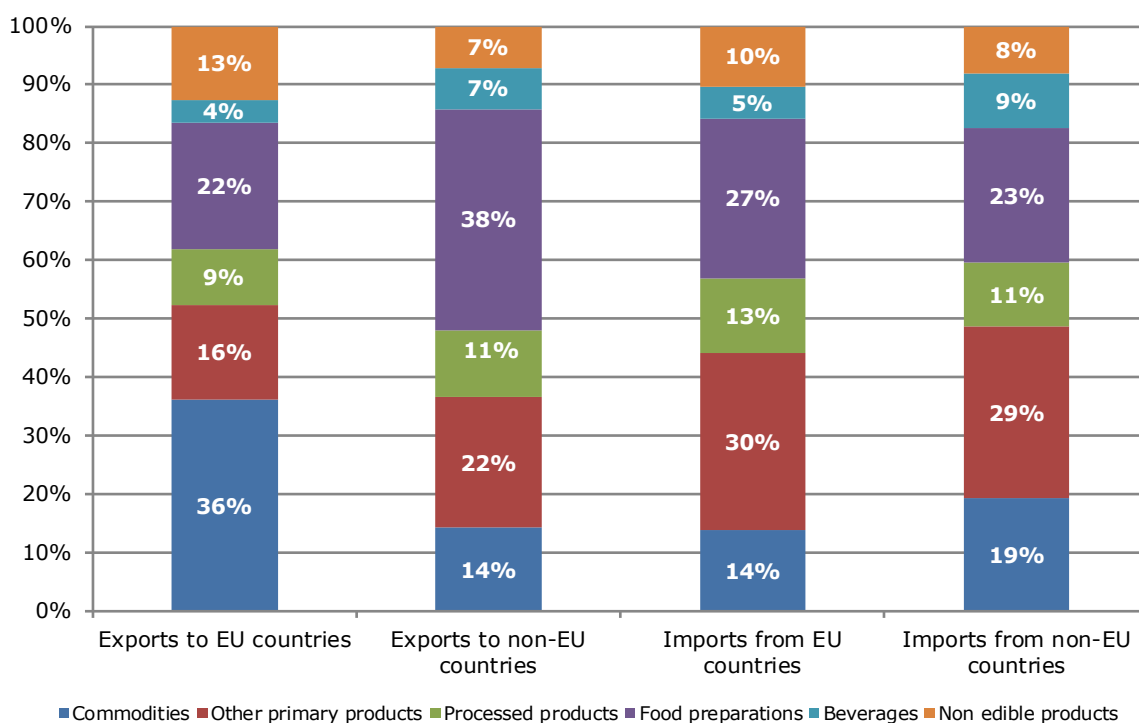


## 5.2. AGRICULTURAL TRADE

### Evolution of agricultural trade with EU and non-EU countries



### Structure of agricultural exports and imports



## 6.1. FARM STRUCTURE

### Structure of agricultural holdings

Holdings		2010		2016	
		Total	%	Total	%
By UAA (*)	< 5 ha	176 740	75.8%	93 430	69.5%
	5-10 ha	31 390	13.5%	20 080	14.9%
	10-20 ha	14 070	6.0%	9 470	7.0%
	20-30 ha	4 400	1.9%	3 160	2.4%
	30-50 ha	3 500	1.5%	3 160	2.4%
	50-100 ha	2 320	1.0%	3 540	2.6%
	> 100 ha	850	0.4%	1 620	1.2%
By economic size (**)	< 4 000 €	141 210	60.5%	61 880	46.0%
	< 8 000 €	41 470	17.8%	30 820	22.9%
	< 15 000 €	24 400	10.5%	18 670	13.9%
	< 25 000 €	11 840	5.1%	9 130	6.8%
	< 50 000 €	8 760	3.8%	8 100	6.0%
	< 100 000 €	3 860	1.7%	3 610	2.7%
	< 250 000 €	1 370	0.6%	1 480	1.1%
	< 500 000 €	200	0.1%	560	0.4%
=/> 500 000 €	160	0.1%	210	0.2%	
By LSU (***)	0	40 180	17.2%	46 330	34.5%
	0-5	157 490	67.5%	64 350	47.9%
	5-10	19 610	8.4%	11 780	8.8%
	10-15	6 360	2.7%	4 480	3.3%
	15-20	3 160	1.4%	2 060	1.5%
	20-50	4 870	2.1%	4 080	3.0%
	50-100	1 020	0.4%	600	0.4%
	100-500	510	0.2%	680	0.5%
	> 500	90	0.0%	100	0.1%
By age of holder	< 35 years	9 610	4.1%	6 890	5.1%
	35-44 years	28 020	12.0%	16 880	12.6%
	45-54 years	58 420	25.0%	29 280	21.8%
	55-64 years	63 570	27.3%	37 410	27.8%
	> 64 years	73 670	31.6%	43 980	32.7%
	not applicable	:	:	10	0.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>233 290</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>134 450</b>	<b>100%</b>	
UAA in 1 000 ha	1 346		1 563		
UAA (ha) per holding	5.8		12		

Source: Eurostat (Online Data Table: ef\_m\_farmleg), Farm Structure Survey

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(\*) UAA = Utilised agricultural area.

(\*\*) Economic size: The standard output of an agricultural product (crop or livestock), abbreviated as SO, is the average monetary value of the agricultural output at farm-gate price, in euro per hectare or per head of livestock. There is a regional SO coefficient for each product, as an average value over a reference period (5 years, except for the SO 2004 coefficient calculated using the average of 3 years). The sum of all the SO per hectare of crop and per head of livestock in a farm is a measure of its overall [economic size](#), expressed in euro.

(\*\*\*) LSU = Livestock units. A LSU is equivalent to a dairy cow. The number of animals (heads) is converted into LSU using a set of coefficients reflecting the feed requirements of the different animal categories.



## 6.2. FARM STRUCTURE

### Structure of farm labour force

2016			
Family labour force		Non family labour force	
persons:	300 170	Data not available	
of which women:	43.5%		
AWUs (*):	142 220	AWUs:	:
Holders	Family members	Regular non family labour force	Non regular non family labour force
persons:	persons:	persons:	Data not available
130 260	169 910	:	
of which women:	of which women:	of which women:	
28.1%	55.4%	:	
AWUs:	AWUs:	AWUs:	AWUs:
69 010	73 210	:	:
<b>Total farm labour force (persons)</b>		318 060	
<b>Total farm labour force (AWUs)</b>		:	

Source: Eurostat(Online Data Table: ef\_lf\_main), Farm Structure Survey

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\* AWUs = Annual work units. An AWU is equivalent to a worker employed on a full time basis for one year.

## 6.3. FARM STRUCTURE

### Structure of farm livestock

#### Livestock and holdings with livestock in 2016

	Livestock unit (LSU)	Head (animal)	Thousand heads (animals)	Holding*	Percent structure	
					Livestock unit (LSU)	Holding*
<b>Livestock</b>	<b>754 710</b>	<b>:</b>	<b>:</b>	<b>91 470</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>
Live horses, asses, mules and hinnies	19 650	24 570	:	2 900	3%	3%
Live bovine animals	309 240	418 440	:	24 100	41%	26%
Live swine	228 370	944 880	:	54 830	30%	60%
Live sheep	77 820	778 210	:	16 780	10%	18%
Live goats	9 960	99 620	:	4 470	1%	5%
Live poultry	107 980	:	10 390	66 140	14%	72%
Rabbits, breeding females	1 690	84 310	:	4 570	0%	5%
Bees (hives)	:	406 360	:	5 820	:	6%
Other animals	:	:	:	120	:	0%

\*note that holdings can keep various animals at the same time so the number of holdings with "Livestock" is less than the sum of groups of holdings with particular animals

#### Number of holdings with livestock herds by size class of livestock units, in 2016

ANIMALS/holdings*	Less than 5 LSU	From 5 to 9.9 LSU	From 10 to 14.9 LSU	From 15 to 19.9 LSU	From 20 to 49.9 LSU	From 50 to 99.9 LSU	From 100 to 499.9 LSU	500 LSU or over
<b>Livestock</b>	<b>64 350</b>	<b>11 780</b>	<b>4 480</b>	<b>2 060</b>	<b>4 080</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>100</b>
Live horses, asses, mules and hinnies	780	440	290	120	1 170	60	30	:
Live bovine animals	10 120	6 170	2 580	1 340	3 000	360	480	50
Live swine	39 700	8 160	2 730	1 310	2 530	230	130	30
Live sheep	9 380	3 890	1 580	640	1 120	130	40	:
Live goats	2 670	900	370	220	270	40	10	:
Live poultry	50 380	8 580	2 850	1 350	2 560	260	140	30
Rabbits, breeding females	3 730	560	160	50	60	10	:	0

\*note that holdings can keep various animals at the same time so the number of holdings with "Livestock" is less than the sum of groups of holdings with particular animals

#### Number of livestock units in livestock herds by size classes of livestock units, in 2016

ANIMALS/LSU	Less than 5 LSU	From 5 to 9.9 LSU	From 10 to 14.9 LSU	From 15 to 19.9 LSU	From 20 to 49.9 LSU	From 50 to 99.9 LSU	From 100 to 499.9 LSU	500 LSU or over
<b>Livestock</b>	<b>116 930</b>	<b>81 240</b>	<b>54 150</b>	<b>35 370</b>	<b>115 490</b>	<b>40 460</b>	<b>125 960</b>	<b>185 110</b>
Live horses, asses, mules and hinnies	1 620	1 290	1 590	580	11 900	1 750	870	:
Live bovine animals	19 800	27 580	22 300	17 230	58 180	19 350	77 090	67 710
Live swine	55 860	28 450	14 750	9 460	17 200	7 350	23 330	71 970
Live sheep	15 200	15 230	11 940	5 790	22 080	4 650	2 870	:
Live goats	2 180	2 080	1 360	1 390	2 230	640	70	:
Live poultry	21 010	6 290	2 130	910	3 890	6 720	21 720	45 330
Rabbits, breeding females	1 270	320	70	10	20	:	:	0

Source: Eurostat online data tables ef\_m\_farmleg, ef\_lsk\_main.

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