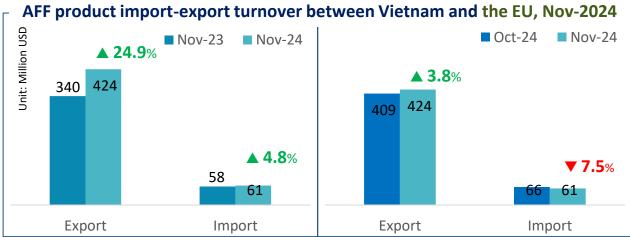
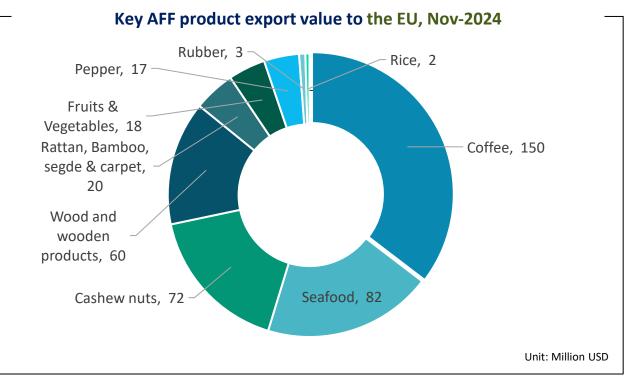
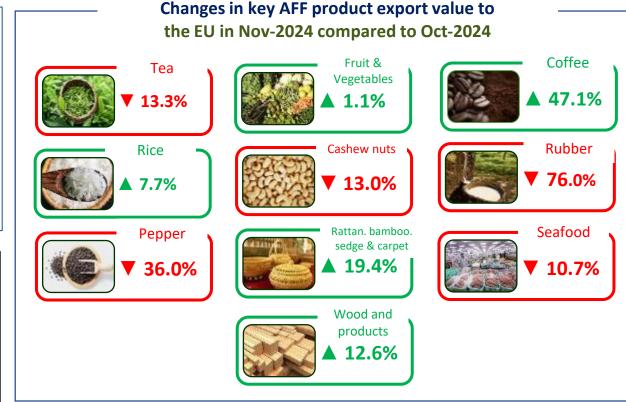
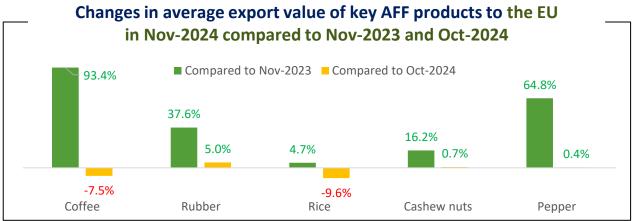


THE SITUATION OF AGRO-FORESTRY-FISHERY (AFF) PRODUCT EXPORT FROM VIETNAM TO THE EU IN NOVEMBER 2024









Challenges in exporting to the EU

Although the EVFTA (EU-Vietnam Free Trade Agreement) promotes bilateral trade, Vietnam's exports to the EU are facing challenges from the EU's Circular Economy Action Plan (CEAP). The CEAP aims to achieve Net Zero emissions by 2050 and enhance recycling to reduce dependency on imported materials, while also imposing

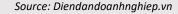
stringent green standards on financing, imported products.

Vietnamese businesses need to invest in technology, adapt production processes, and ensure supply chains comply with CEAP standards. Additionally, companies must tightly manage the sourcing of raw materials and improve supply chain efficiency.

The government should support businesses with policies related to

financing, taxation, and infrastructure, particularly by developing eco-industrial zones.

The greatest challenge lies in the high costs of transitioning and the lower competitiveness of "green" products due to their higher prices, requiring both businesses and the government to adopt flexible and decisive strategies.





Germany's economy faces stagnation

The German Central Bank (Bundesbank) has downgraded growth prospects for the EU's largest economy, forecasting an economic contraction this year and near-zero growth in 2025. The primary driver is a declining industrial sector, which has negatively impacted exports, investment, and private consumption.

Germany's GDP is expected to shrink by 0.2% this year, a slight improvement from the previously forecasted 0.3% decline. The economy is projected to stagnate during the winter half of 2024–2025 and recover slowly in 2025, with a growth rate of 0.2%—significantly lower than the earlier forecast of 1.1%. Structural issues, the effects of the energy crisis and green transition, as well as demographic changes, are key factors influencing the German economy.

Additionally, the risk of a trade war with the United States could

exacerbate the situation, potentially reducing Germany's GDP by 0.2 to 0.6 percentage points next year. Germany remains the only G7 economy to have experienced a recession in 2023.

Source: Laodong.vn



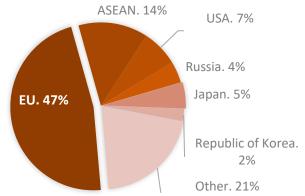




Export volume and value to the EU, Nov-2024



Percentage of export value to the EU, Nov-2024



Export results to the EU, Nov-2024

VALUE

150 mil. USD

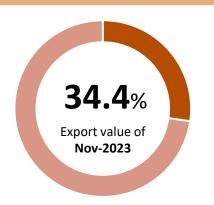
- Increase 47% compared to Oct-2024
- Increase 33% compared to Nov-2023
- **726.7** mil. USD more than the monthly average rate in 2023
- Accumulated 11 months of 2024 reaches **1.87** bil. USD, **126.6**% of total 2023

VOLUME

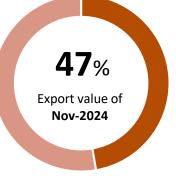
174
thousand tons

- ≥ Decrease 4% compared to Oct-2024
- **7** Increase **57**% compared to Nov-2023
- **≥ 22.6** thousand tons less than the monthly average rate in 2023
- Accumulated 11 months of 2024 reaches 473 thousand tons, 78.8% of total 2023

Changes in percentage of export value to the EU, Nov-2024

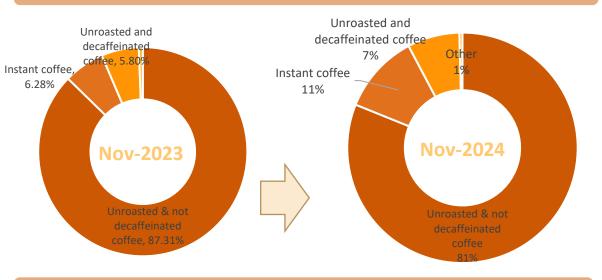




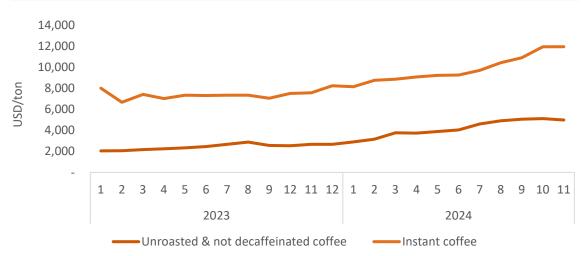




Structure of exports by products to the EU, Nov-2024



Average export price to the EU, Nov-2024



Export results to the EU, Nov-2024







Unroasted & not decaffeinated coffee

Value: 122.8 mil. USD

Increase **81.5**% compared to

Oct-2024

Increase **28.9**% compared to

Nov-2023

Instant coffee

Value: 16.9 mil. USD

Decrease **7.4**% compared to

Oct-2024

Increase **146**% compared to

Nov-2023

Unroasted and decaffeinated coffee

Value: 11.1 mil. USD

Decrease 3.2% compared to

Oct-2024

Increase **75.11**% compared

to Nov-2023

Instant coffee

The average export price in Oct-2024 is **11,936** USD/ton; decreases **0.01**% compared to the previous month; and increases **58.8**% compared to the same month of 2023.

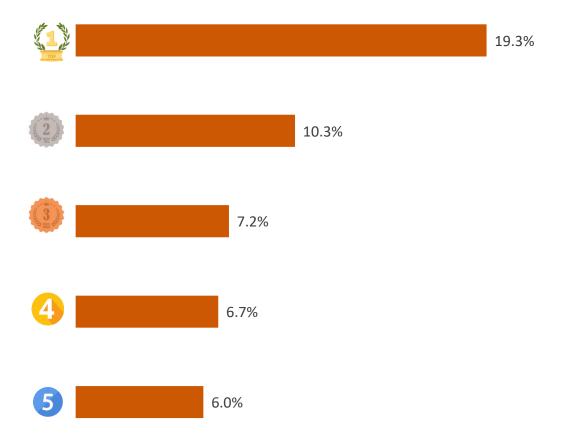
Unroasted & not decaffeinated coffee

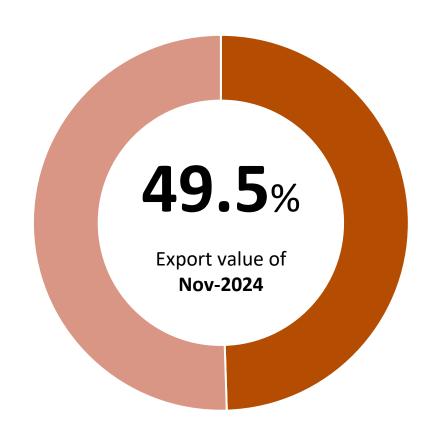
The average export price in Oct-2024 is **5,109** USD/ton; decreases **2.7**% compared to the previous month; and increases **86.5**% compared to the same month of 2023.



TOP 5 export enterprises by value to the EU, Nov-2024

Value ratio of TOP 5 export enterprises to the EU, Nov-2024











Belgium's IzyCoffee seeks investment to expand its store network

ClzyCoffee, a specialty coffee chain with 22 outlets, has launched a crowdfunding campaign to open 16 new stores by 2025. These include additional locations in Belgium as well as the chain's first international stores in Luxembourg, France, and the Netherlands.

The company aims to raise €3.3 million (\$3.5 million) through its new Winwinner campaign. Potential investment partners include Belgium's banking and insurance group KBC Group NV and Verzekering & PMV.

If the funding goal is met, IzyCoffee plans to open 16 new outlets in 2025, with locations in Brussels, Antwerp, and Bruges. The investment would also support its international expansion with stores in Luxembourg, Lille (France), and Maastricht (Netherlands).

IzyCoffee is currently one of the fastest-growing coffee chains in Belgium, second only to market leader Pano in terms of new store openings over the past year. According to the Project Café Europe 2024 report by World Coffee Portal, the coffee chain market in Belgium is expected to add 100 new stores over the next four years, surpassing 590 outlets by Q1 2029.

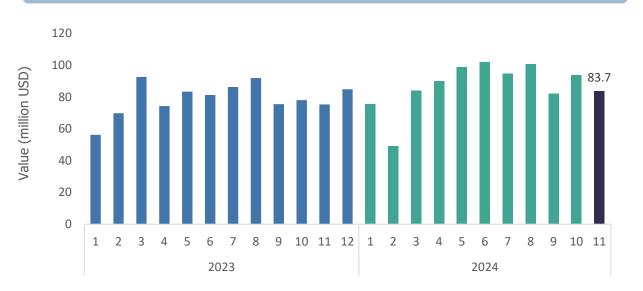
Source: telegraph.co.uk (11/2024)



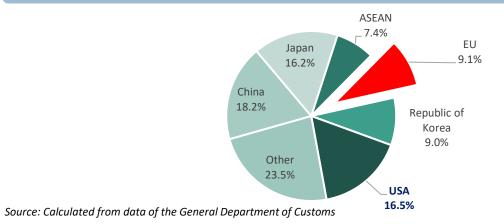


FISHERIES

Export value to the EU, Nov-2024



Percentage of export value to the EU, Nov-2024



Export results to the EU, Nov-2024

VALUE

83.7 mil. USD

\$

- Decrease 10.7% compared to Oct-2024
- **7** Increase 11.1% compared to Nov-2023
- ↑ 5.6 mil. USD more than the monthly average rate in 2023
- Accumulated 11 months of 2024 reaches **954.2** mil. USD, **105.7**% of total 2023

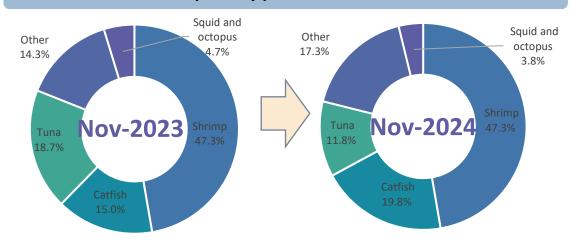
Changes in percentage of export value to the EU, Nov-2024



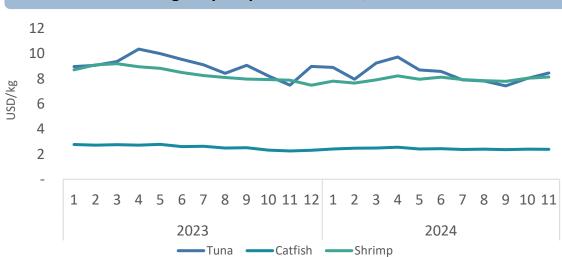


FISHERIES

Structure of exports by products to the EU, Nov-2024



Average export price to the EU, Nov-2024



Export results to the EU, Nov-2024



Shrimp

Value: 39.6 mil. USD

Decrease **15.7**% compared to Oct-2024

Increase **11.2**% compared to Nov-2023



Catfish

Value: 16.6 mil. USD

Increase **2.5**% compared to Oct-2024

Increase **46.4**% compared to Nov-2023



Tuna

Value: 9.9 mil. USD

Decrease **17.8**% compared to Oct-2024

Decrease **29.9**% compared to Nov-2023

Tuna

The average export price in Oct-2024 is **8.4** USD/kg; increases **5.4**% compared to the previous month; and increases **12.9**% compared to the same month of 2023.

Catfish

The average export price in Oct-2024 is **2.4** USD/kg; decreases **0.6**% compared to the previous month; and increases **5.8**% compared to the same month of 2023.

Shrimp

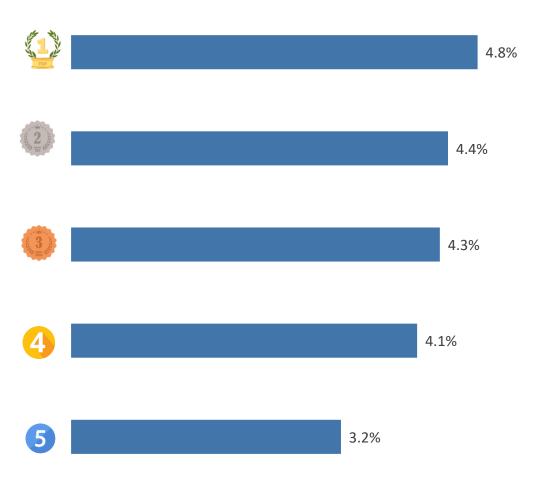
The average export price in Oct-2024 is **8.0** USD/kg; increases **1.2**% compared to the previous month; and increases **3.1**% compared to the same month of 2023.

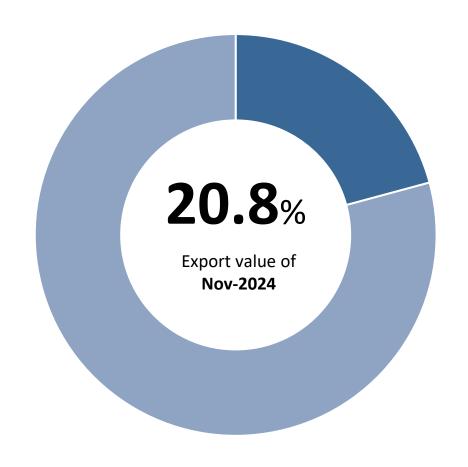


FISHERIES

TOP 5 export enterprises by value to the EU, Nov-2024

Value ratio of TOP 5 export enterprises to the EU, Nov-2024







SPOTLIGHTS

EU reaches agreement on 2025 fishing opportunities

EU fisheries ministers have reached an agreement on 2025 fishing opportunities in the Atlantic Ocean, North Sea, Mediterranean Sea, and Black Sea. The agreement establishes total allowable catches (TACs) and quotas for key fish species, balancing environmental protection with support for the fishing industry.

The quotas are adjusted based on scientific advice, with increases and decreases for certain fish species. Compared to 2024, quotas for megrim will increase by 23% and anglerfish by 17% in the Iberian Atlantic waters. Common sole in the Bay of Biscay will see a 1% increase, while Norway lobster in the Bay of Biscay and Cantabrian Sea will rise significantly by 134%. Conversely, quotas for cod in Kattegat will decrease by 17%, red seabream in the Iberian waters by 62%, and Norway lobster in the Bay of Biscay by 39%.

Due to the critical state of European eel populations, the EU has decided to maintain a six-month ban on commercial fishing for this species.

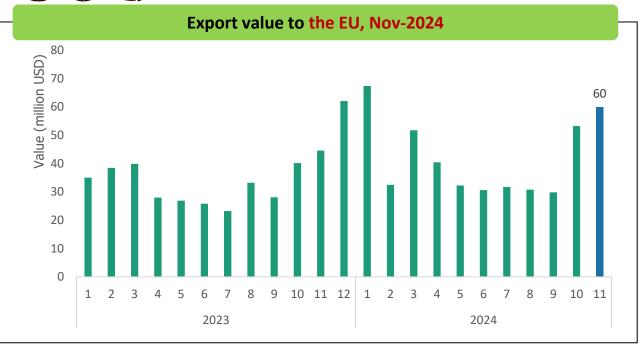
Effective from January 1, 2025, the agreement aims to ensure ecological, economic, and social sustainability for the EU's fisheries sector..



Source: Thefishingdaily (12/2024)



WOOD AND WOODEN PRODUCTS



Export results to the EU, Nov-2024



mil. USD

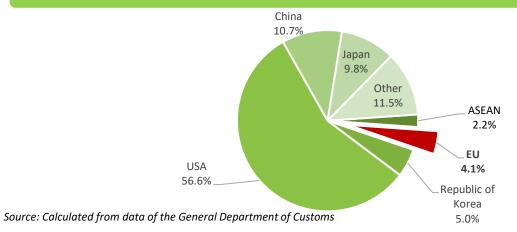
Increase 12.6% compared to Oct-2024

Increase 34.4% compared to Nov-2023

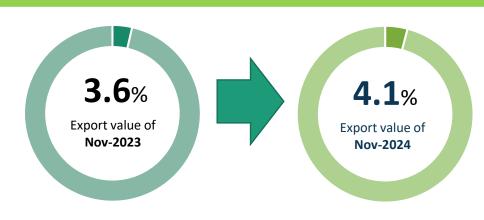
↑ 24.4 mil. USD more than the monthly average rate in 2023

Accumulated 11 months of 2024 reaches 460.2 mil. USD, 108.2% of total 2023

Percentage of export value to the EU, Nov-2024



Changes in percentage of export value to the EU, Nov-2024



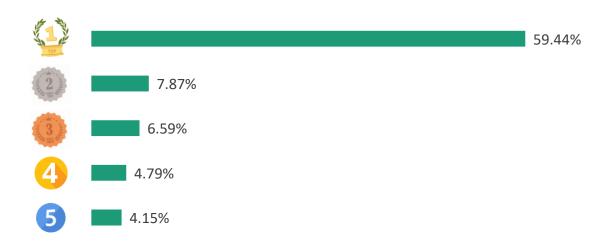


WOOD AND WOODEN PRODUCTS

Structure of exports by products to the EU, Nov-2024



TOP 5 export enterprises by value to the EU, Nov-2024



Export results to the EU, Nov-2024



Plywood

Value: 2.7 mil. USD

Increase 115% compared to Oct-2024

Increase 196% compared to Nov-2023



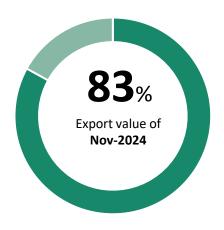
Veneer

Value: 148.5 thousand USD

Decrease **52**% compared to Oct-2024

Increase N/A compared to Nov-2023

Value ratio of TOP 5 export enterprises to the EU, Nov-2024







SPOTLIGHTS

In Q3 2024, the EU imported 358,100 tons of tropical wood and wood products, marking a 4% decline compared to the previous quarter and a 10% drop year-on-year. For the first nine months of 2024, cumulative imports amounted to 1.1 million tons, down 14% compared to the same period in 2023.

In terms of value, EU imports of tropical wood and wood products in Q3 2024 were worth \$763 million, representing a 5% decrease from the prior quarter and a 0.7% drop year-on-year. Over the first nine months of 2024, the total import value reached \$2.28 billion, a 9% decline compared to the same period in 2023.

In the first nine months of 2024, the EU imported 527,600 cubic meters of tropical sawnwood worth \$487.1 million, marking a 20% decline in both volume and value compared to the same period in 2023. This decrease was observed across most major supplier markets, with imports from Cameroon falling by 18% to 203,100 cubic meters, Gabon dropping by 23% to 79,000 cubic meters, and Brazil declining by 20% to 64,900m³.



FRUITS AND VEGETABLES (EXPORT)





Export results to the EU, Nov-2024



24.9

mil. USD

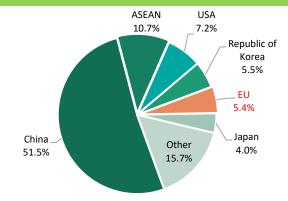
Increase 1.1% compared to Oct-2024

Increase **9.6**% compared to Nov-2023

204.5 thousand USD than the monthly average rate in 2023

Accumulated 11 months of 2024 reaches 281.2 mil.USD, 95.0% of total 2023

Percentage of export value to the EU, Nov-2024

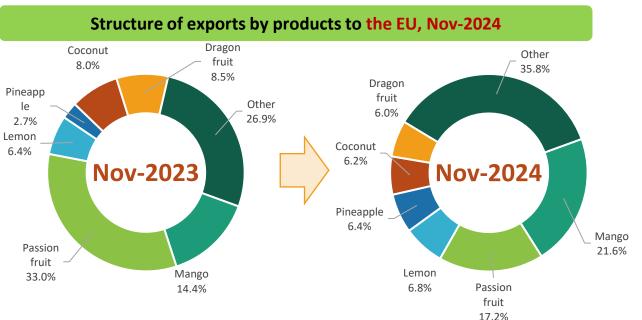


Changes in percentage of export value to the EU, Nov-2024





FRUITS AND VEGETABLES (EXPORT)



Export results of some main products to the EU, Nov-2024



Mango

Value: 5.3 mil. USD

Increase **31.9**% compared to Oct-2024

Increase 88.4% compared to Nov-2023



Passion fruit

Value: 4.2 mil. USD

Decrease 23.7% compared to Oct-2024

Decrease **34.5**% compared to Nov-2023



Lemon

Value: 1.7 mil. USD

Decrease 17.1% compared to Oct-2024

Increase **32.6**% compared to Nov-2023



Pineapple

Value: 1.6 mil. USD

Increase **5.1**% compared to Oct-2024

Increase **195.6**% compared to Nov-2023



Coconut

Value: 1.5 mil. USD

Increase 15.6% compared to Oct-2024

Decrease 1.7% compared to Nov-2023



Dragon fruit

Value: 1.5 mil. USD

Increase **23.0**% compared to Oct-2024

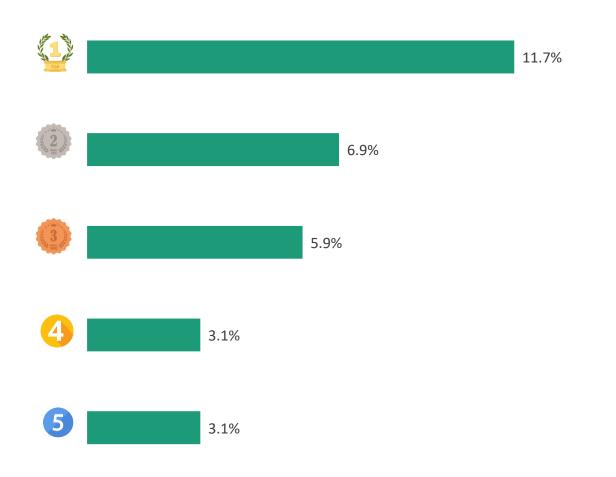
Decrease 11.5% compared to Nov-2023

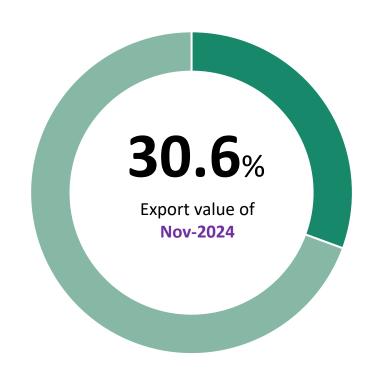


FRUITS AND VEGETABLES (EXPORT)

TOP 5 export enterprises by value to the EU, Nov-2024

Value ratio of TOP 5 export enterprises to the EU, Nov-2024





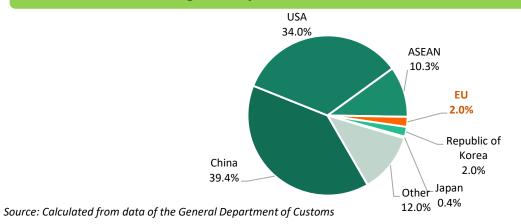


FRUITS AND VEGETABLES (IMPORT)





Percentage of import value from the EU, Nov-2024



Import results from the EU, Nov-2024

VALUE

5.1

mil. USD



Increase **29.0**% compared to Oct-2024

Decrease **12.9**% compared to Nov-2023

0.45 mil. USD more than the monthly average rate in 2023

Accumulated 11 months of 2024 reaches 42.6 mil. USD, 76.9% of total 2023

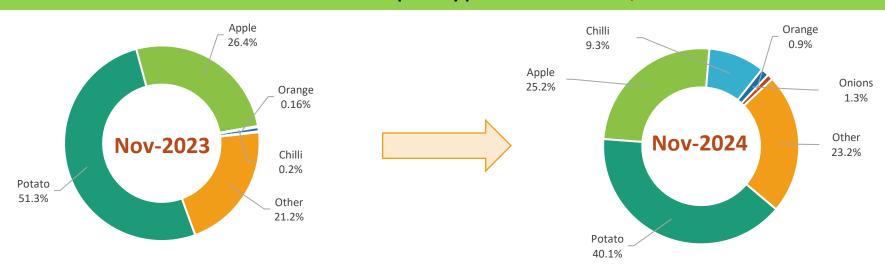
Changes in percentage of import value from the EU, Nov-2024





FRUITS AND VEGETABLES (IMPORT)

Structure of imports by products from the EU, Nov-2024



Import results of some main products from the EU, Nov-2024



Potato

Value: 2.0 mil. USD

Increase 2.5% compared to Oct-2024

Decrease **32.0**% compared to Nov-2023



Apple

Value: 1.3 mil. USD

Increase **25.7**% compared to Oct-2024

Decrease 16.9% compared to Nov-2023



Chilli

Value: 471.7 nghìn USD

Increase **32.5** times compared to Oct-2024

Increase 40.8 times compared to Nov-2023

SPOTLIGHTS



Bulgaria rejects Turkish fruit imports

The EU's Rapid Alert System for Food and Feed (RASFF) has notified Turkey of the rejection of its fruit exports, including pomegranates and dried figs, due to the presence of aflatoxin B1. These alerts were issued by regulatory authorities in Bulgaria and Italy.

Source: Tridge.com

Moldova exports grapes to 29 countries in 2024

In the first ten months of 2024, Moldova exported 41,500 tons of grapes valued at \$46.1 million, reflecting a 1% increase in volume and a 42% rise in value compared to the same period last year. The European Parliament has allowed Moldovan producers to export grapes to the EU without taxes or quantity restrictions, provided they meet the quality and safety standards of the destination countries.

Source: Freshplaza.com

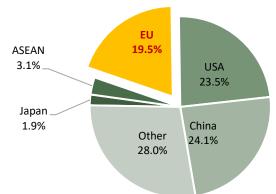


CASHEW NUTS

Export volume and value to the EU, Nov-2024



Percentage of export value to the EU, Nov-2024



Export results to the EU, Nov-2024

VALUE

77.3 mil. USD

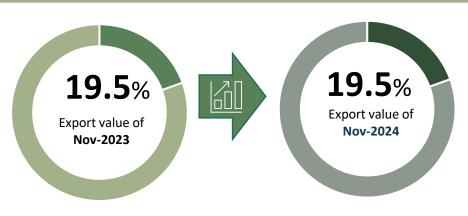
- Decrease 13% compared to Oct-2024
- **7** Increase **12**% compared to Nov-2023
- ↑ 13 mil. USD more than the monthly average rate in 2023
- ❖ Accumulated 11 months of 2024 reaches 810 tr.USD, 105% of total 2023

VOLUME

12.3 thousand tons

- ▶ Decrease 14% compared to Oct-2024
- Decrease **4.2**% compared to Nov-2023
- ↑ 811 tons more than the monthly average rate in 2023
- Accumulated 11 months of 2024 reaches 139 thousand tons, 101% of total 2023

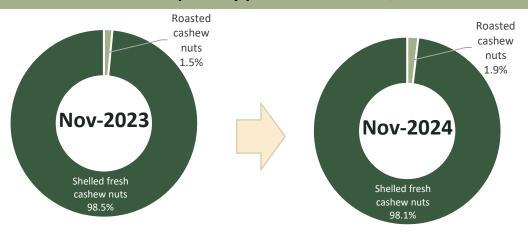
Changes in percentage of export value to the EU, Nov-2024



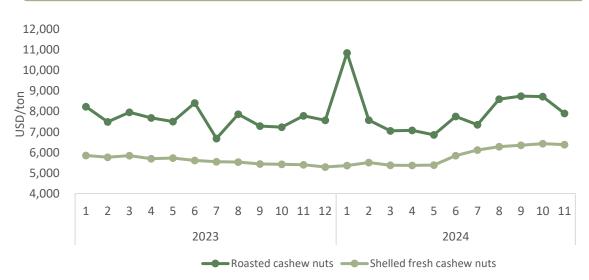


CASHEW NUTS

Structure of exports by products to the EU, Nov-2024



Average export price to the EU, Nov-2024



Export results to the EU, Nov-2024



Shelled fresh cashew nuts

Value: 75.8 mil. USD

Decrease 14% compared to Oct-2024

Increase 12% compared to Nov-2023



Roasted cashew nuts

Value: 1.5 mil. USD

Increase 15% compared to Oct-2024

Increase 45% compared to Nov-2023

Shelled fresh cashew nuts

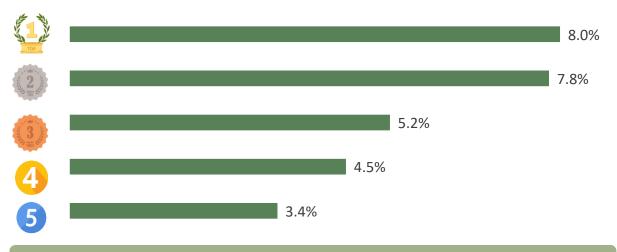
The average export price in Oct-2024 is **6,382** USD/ton; decreases **0.7**% compared to the previous month; and increases **18.1**% compared to the same month of 2023.

Roasted cashew nuts

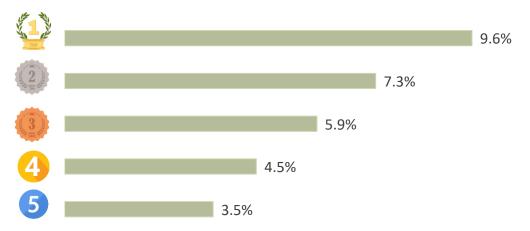
The average export price in Oct-2024 is **7,900** USD/ton; decreases **9.4**% compared to the previous month; and increases **1.5**% compared to the same month of 2023.

CASHEW NUTS

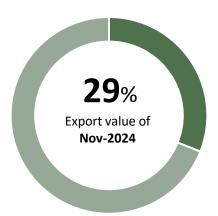
TOP 5 export enterprises by value to the EU, Nov-2024



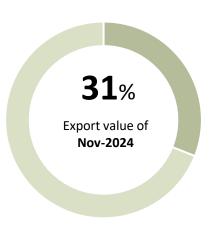
TOP 5 export enterprises by volume to the EU, Nov-2024



Value ratio of TOP 5 export enterprises to the EU, Nov-2024



Volume ratio of TOP 5 export enterprises to the EU, Nov-2024



SPOTLIGHTS



In the first nine months of 2024, Germany exported 16,140 tons of cashews valued at \$121.1 million, representing a 9.8% decrease in volume and a 21.3% drop in value compared to the same period last year.

Regarding price, the average export price of German cashews in the first nine months of 2024 was \$7,501 per ton, a 12.8% decrease compared to the same period in 2023.

In terms of market structure, Germany exported cashews to 48 countries and territories during this period. European countries remained the traditional markets for German cashew exports, including Slovakia, Luxembourg, Spain, the UK, and Poland.



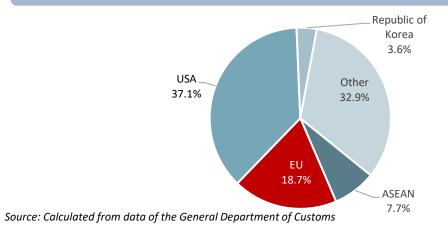
Source: ITC



Export volume and value to the EU, Nov-2024



Percentage of export value to the EU, Nov-2024



Export results to the EU, Nov-2024

VALUE

30.96 mil. USD

\$

Decrease 36% compared to Oct-2024

Increase 60% compared to Nov-2023

7.6 mil. USD more than the monthly average rate in 2023

Accumulated 11 months of 2024 reaches 243.4 mil.USD, **165%** of total 2023

VOLUME

4.4 thousand tons



Decrease 35% compared to Oct-2024

Decrease 2% compared to Nov-2023

110 tons less than the monthly average rate in 2023

Accumulated 11 months of 2024 reaches 43.5 thousand tons, 122% of total 2023

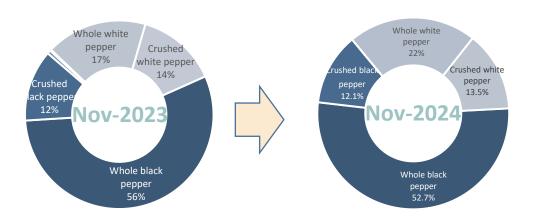
Changes in percentage of export value to the EU, Nov-2024



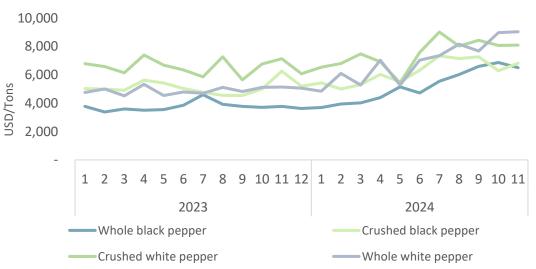


PEPPER

Structure of exports by products to the EU, Nov-2024



Average export price to the EU, Nov-2024



Export results to the EU, Nov-2024



Whole black pepper

Value: 10.5 mil. USD

Decrease 47% compared to Oct-2024

Increase **52**% compared to Nov-2023



Whole white pepper

Value: 4.3 mil. USD

Decrease **13**% compared to Oct-2024

Increase **100**% compared to Nov-2023



Crushed black pepper

Value: 2.4 mil. USD

Decrease **31**% compared to Oct-2024

Increase **59**% compared to Nov-2023

Whole black pepper

The average export price in Oct-2024 is **6,510** USD/ton; decreases **5.2**% compared to the previous month; and increases **75.7**% compared to the same month of 2023.

Crushed black pepper

The average export price in Oct-2024 is **6,818** USD/ton; increases 8.3% compared to the previous month; and increases **42.8**% compared to the same month of 2023.

Whole white pepper

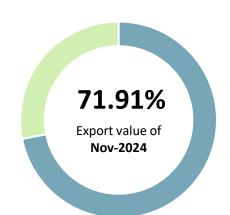
The average export price in Oct-2024 is **9,041** USD/ton; increases **0.8**% compared to the previous month; and increases **66.5**% compared to the same month of 2023.



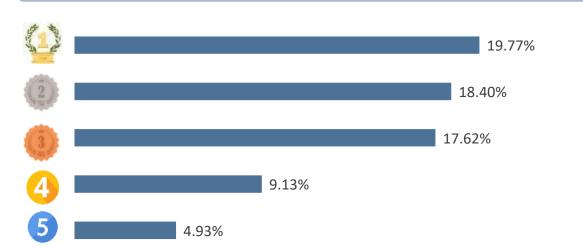
TOP 5 export enterprises by value to the EU, Nov-2024

22.12% 18.14% 18.13% 4.98%

Value ratio of TOP 5 export enterprises to the EU, Nov-2024



TOP 5 export enterprises by volume to the EU, Nov-2024



Volume ratio of TOP 5 export enterprises to the EU, Nov-2024



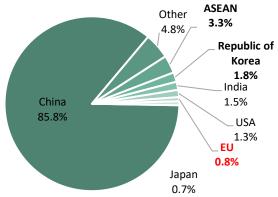


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Export volume and value to the EU, Nov-2024



Percentage of export value to the EU, Nov-2024



Export results to the EU, Nov-2024

VALUE

3.3 mil. USD

- ▶ Decrease 76% compared to Oct-2024
- ▶ Decrease 61% compared to Nov-2023
- **9.9** mil. USD less than the monthly average rate in 2023
- ❖ Accumulated 11 months of 2024 reaches 129 mil. USD, 81% of total 2023

VOLUME

1.638 to

- ▶ Decrease 77% compared to Oct-2024
- ▶ Decrease **72**% compared to Nov-2023
- **▼ 7.6** thousand tons less than the monthly average rate in 2023
- ❖ Accumulated 11 months of 2024 reaches
 73.1 thousand tons, 66% of total 2023

Changes in percentage of export value to the EU, Nov-2024



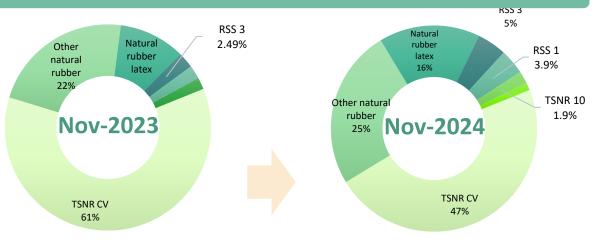


0.8% Export value of Nov-2024

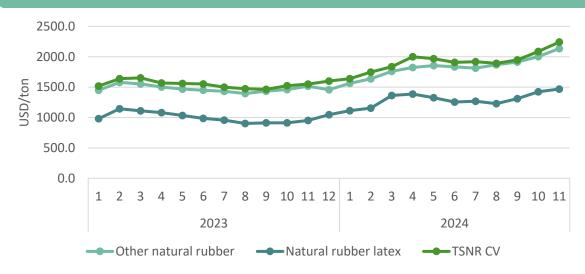


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Structure of exports by products to the EU, Nov-2024



Average export price to the EU, Nov-2024



Export results to the EU, Nov-2024







Other natural rubber

Value: 0.8 mil. USD

Decrease **73**% compared to Oct-2024

Decrease **56**% compared to Nov-2023

TSNR CV

Value: 1.56 mil. USD

Decrease **77**% compared to Oct-2024

Decrease **69**% compared to Nov-2023

Natural rubber latex

Value: 0.5 mil. USD

Decrease **73**% compared to Oct-2024

Decrease 40% compared to Nov-2023

Other natural rubber

The average export price in Oct-2024 is **2,136** USD/ton; increases **6.6**% compared to the previous month; and increases **42**% compared to the same month of 2023.

TSNR CV

The average export price in Oct-2024 is **2,241** USD/ton; increases **7.4**% compared to the previous month; and increases **42**% compared to the same month of 2023.

Natural rubber latex

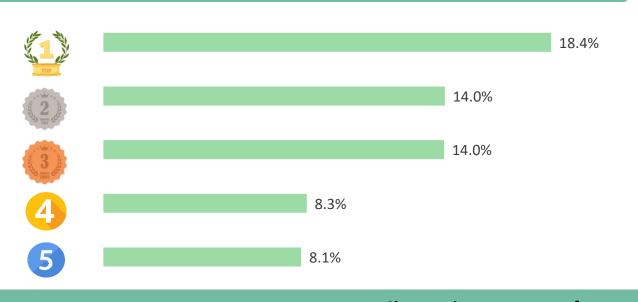
The average export price in Oct-2024 is **1,470** USD/ton; increases **3.3**% compared to the previous month; and increases **51**% compared to the same month of 2023.



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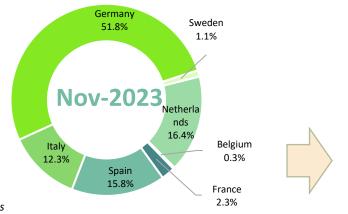
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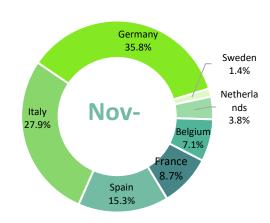
Value ratio of TOP 5 export enterprises to the EU, Nov-2024





Changes in percentage of export value by countries, Nov-2024







SPOTLIGHTS

Vietnam Rubber Group proactively adapt to EU's anti-deforestation regulations

On December 3, the Vietnam Rubber Group (VRG) announced that it has met the European Union's Anti-Deforestation Regulation (EUDR) requirements for its member units.

Three of VRG's subsidiaries have successfully complied with the EUDR, including Dong Nai Rubber Corporation, Dau Tieng Rubber Co., Ltd., and Chu Se Kampong Thom Rubber JSC. Several customers have already reached out to these companies for the supply of rubber latex that meets EUDR standards. Dong Nai Rubber Corporation has sold 767 tons of EUDR-compliant rubber, while Dau Tieng Rubber has sold over 40 tons, adding a value of \$250 per ton.

The EUDR aims to limit agricultural production that causes deforestation, forest degradation, and to preserve forests, reduce carbon emissions, and prevent biodiversity loss. Among the products affected by the regulation, Vietnam's key commodities include timber, rubber, and coffee. Experts believe that VRG will fully adapt to the EUDR requirements in the coming years.

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