Wine production

The region produced 16.7 million tonnes of wine in 2010, which was 64 percent of total global wine production. With 4.5 million hectares of its land covered by vineyards, the region is home to 63 percent of the world's total vineyard area.

The most important wine producers are in the EU other and EFTA sub-region, which accounts for 88 percent of the region's total wine production with 42 percent of the global area of vineyards.

The Mediterranean countries of the region have the largest total area of vineyards, and Italy, with its 777 thousand hectares of vineyards (5.6 percent of its total agricultural area) tops the list. The three major producers are France, Italy and Spain, and these three countries together are responsible for 48 percent of global wine production.

Over the past two decades wine production has decreased by 18 percent in this region, with the highest decrease occuring in France where production dropped by 30 percent in the last 20 years. One of the main factors of this regional decline is the emergence of new prominent wine producing countries such as Australia, South Africa, and the United States.

CHART 26: Area of vineyards and production of wine, share of world total (2010)

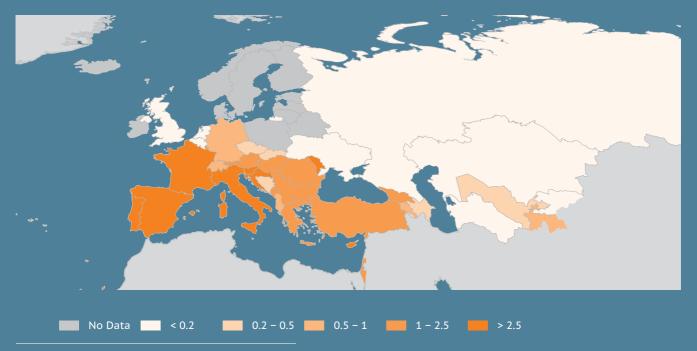


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- Almost half of the wine produced globally comes from just three countries: Italy, France and Spain.
- Italy is the largest wine producer in the world (4.6 million tonnes in 2010)
- The highest proportion of vineyards to total agricultural area is in Italy (5.6 percent)

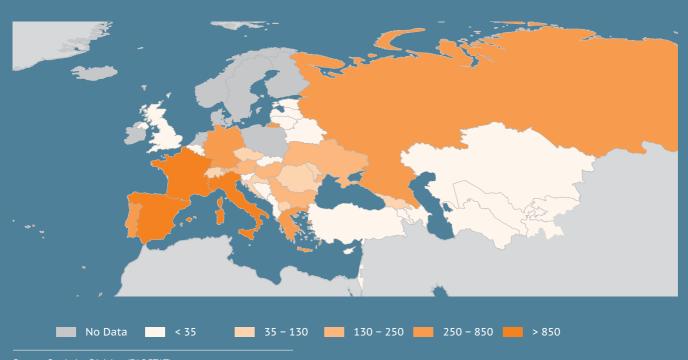
MAP 21: Area of vineyards, share of total agricultural area (%, 2009)



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MAP 22: Wine production (thousand tonnes, 2010)



Source: Statistics Division (FAOSTAT)

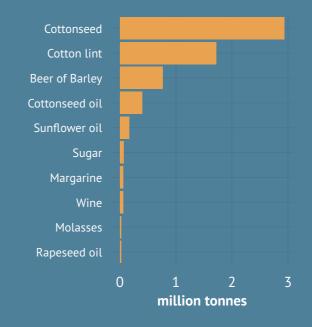
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Processed crops

Processed crops include all agricultural and food products that are derived from their respective primary commodities. These processed crops include products such as beer, wine, sunflower and olive oil, cotton, sugar, bread, etc. In the region of Europe and Central Asia, the most important processed crop product is beer from barley, of which 54 million tonnes were brewed in 2010. The second most important processed product is raw sugar, with 23.6 million tonnes produced in 2010. This is followed by wine, with 16.7 million tonnes produced. The aggregate total amount of crop oils produced in 2010 was 25.8 million tonnes and 6.5 million tonnes of processed seed cotton.

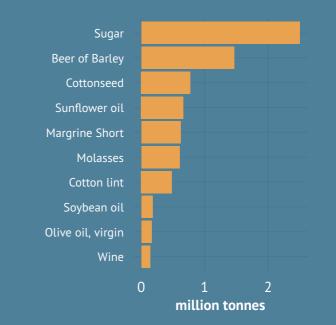
European production of beer accounts for 32 percent of the global total, with half brewed in the EU other and EFTA subregion. The most important single beer producer is the Russian Federation, with around 10.3 million tonnes produced in 2010. Sugar production is also very important in the region, accounting for 15 percent of the global total. France and Germany are the regional leaders in sugar production, with 3.9 and 3.6 million tonnes respectively, in 2010. Cotton seed and cotton lint production is important in the Asian countries of the region, where 5.9 million tonnes of processed seed cotton were produced in 2010, amounting to nine percent of the global amount. In addition, this region accounts for 18 percent of total production of oils from crops; and it is the world leader in the production of olive oil, with an 80 percent share of the global total.

CHART 27: Production quantity of the most important processed crops in Central Asia (2010)



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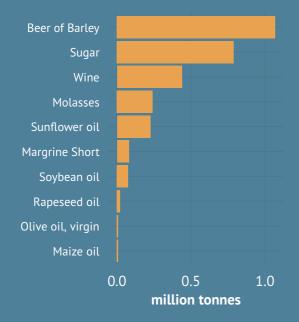
CHART 28: Production quantity of the most important processed crops in Caucasus & Turkey (2010)



Source: Statistics Division (FAOSTAT)

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CHART 29: Production quantity of the most important processed crops in South Eastern Europe (2010)



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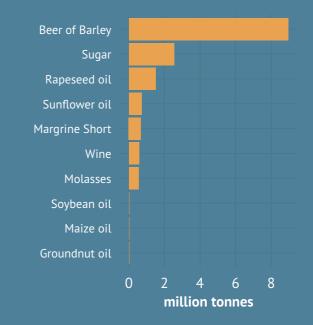
CHART 30: Production quantity of the most important processed crops in CIS Europe (2010)



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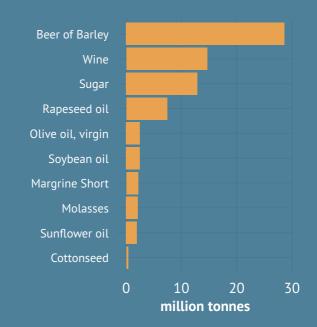
CHART 31: Production quantity of the most important processed crops in EU Central & Eastern (2010)



Source: Statistics Division (FAOSTAT)

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CHART 32: Production quantity of the most important processed crops in EU Other & EFTA (2010)



Source: Statistics Division (FAOSTAT)
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cessea crops	Production							
	beer of barley	wine	sunflower oil	rapeseed oil	soybean oil	olive oil, virgin	cottonseed oil	maize oil
	thousand tonnes 2010							
WORLD	168929	26217	12616	22 527	39762	3269	4616	2312
Central Asia	763	55	165	22	8		398	5
Kazakhstan	494	15	154	22	4		30	0
Kyrgyzstan	19	1	10	0			8	
Tajikistan	0	0	2				14	
Turkmenistan		17					70	
Uzbekistan	250	21		1	5		275	4
Caucasus & Turkey	1465	138	665	90	179	162	127	50
Armenia	15	5	1					
Azerbaijan	377	7	7			0	1	16
Georgia	48	97	11					
Turkey	1024	28	646	90	179	162	126	34
CIS Europe	13882	863	5 624	264	328			43
Belarus	399	25	0	91				
Republic of Moldova	90	99	59	1	6			9
Russian Federation	10293	500	2620	145	240			10
Ukraine	3100	238	2946	27	82			24
South Eastern Europe	1069	439	226	21	75	9	0	8
Albania	34	18	1		0	1	0	
Bosnia and Herzegovina	84	4	15	9	5			
Croatia	356	50	35	7	16	6		8
Macedonia, FYR	62	111	2	2		2		
Montenegro	4	18				0		
Serbia	529	238	173	3	54			0
EU Central & Eastern	8968	565	724	1496	24	1	0	23
Bulgaria	502	145	169		0		0	7
Czech Republic	1710	52	13	314	4			
Estonia	129	0		26				0
Hungary	600	176	289	24	10		0	15
Latvia	148	3	1	51	2			
Lithuania	296	7	1	6				
Poland	3 3 9 0		13	931	2			
Romania	1697	125	197	69	2			0
Slovakia	311	32	42	74	3			
Slovenia	185	25		1		1		
EU other & EFTA	28632	14651	1934	7420	2 4 6 3	2 463	54	240
Austria	867	177	52	171	12			
Belgium	1812	0	27	523	14			60
Cyprus	34	12				2		
Denmark	634		0	193	12			
Finland	403		3	117	2			
France	1429	4542	592	1809	91	6	0	51
Germany	8898	720	458	2889	595			16
Greece	405	303	15	14	65	353	16	4
Ireland	825			8	1			
Italy	1237	4580	146	58	307	548	24	63
Luxembourg	30	14	0		0			
Malta	11	2				0		
Netherlands	2394		211	522	462			
Portugal	831	587	56	102	135	67	1	4
Spain	3 3 3 8	3610	357	45	563	1487	14	18
Sweden	370		6	120	4			
United Kingdom	4500	1	0	814	121			22
Iceland	15							
Norway	243		4	7	73			
Switzerland	358	103	7	30	5			1
Israel	98	7	10	25	66	5	0	1