



Welcome to Issue 6 of AGRINFO UPDATE – a regular information service keeping you up-to-date on evolving EU policies, regulations and standards that have potential impacts on agricultural value chains in low- and middle-income countries.

Find links below to our website at <u>www.agrinfo.eu</u>, where we give clear summaries about recent and upcoming changes, and actions that companies or authorities need to take to meet the new rules.

The most significant developments in this issue include proposed **new requirements for countries exporting honey** to the EU, and updates to **EU marketing standards**. In each case there is an opportunity to submit comments on the proposals to the WTO.

If you need more information, eligible stakeholders can contact us via the Ask AGRINFO service*.

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Changes notified to World Trade Organization
Send feedback via your National SPS/TBT notification authority within the 60-day time limit



Official controls

Non-EU countries will be required to list all establishments exporting honey to EU. WTO SPS consultation – deadline 17 June 2023

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Product marketing standards:



European Commission revises marketing standards for fruit and vegetable sectors. WTO TBT consultation – deadline 25 June 2023

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European Commission proposes revised marketing standards for honey, fruit juices, fruit jams and preserved milk.

WTO TBT consultation – deadline 25 June 2023

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European Commission revises marketing standards for eggs. WTO TBT consultation – deadline 25 June 2023

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European Commission proposes revised marketing standards for poultry meat. WTO TBT consultation – deadline 25 June 2023

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New Regulations coming into force and application dates



Tariffs & quotas

EU restricts imports of Ukrainian cereals and oilseeds in some EU Member States. Applies from **2 May 2023**

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Common Fisheries Policy

Fisheries Partnership Agreement between EU and Madagascar allocates fishing opportunities to France, Italy, Portugal and Spain.

Applies from 1 July 2023

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