

A FITNESS CHECK OF THE FOOD CHAIN

HOW IMPORTANT IS THE FOOD SECTOR IN EUROPE?

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**MANUFACTURING
SECTOR
IN THE EU
ECONOMY
TURNOVER
EUR 1
TRILLION**

EMPLOYMENT

**4.25
MILLION**

**€
ADDED VALUE**

**203
BILLION**

BUSINESSES

287,000

IMPACT ON GLOBAL TRADE

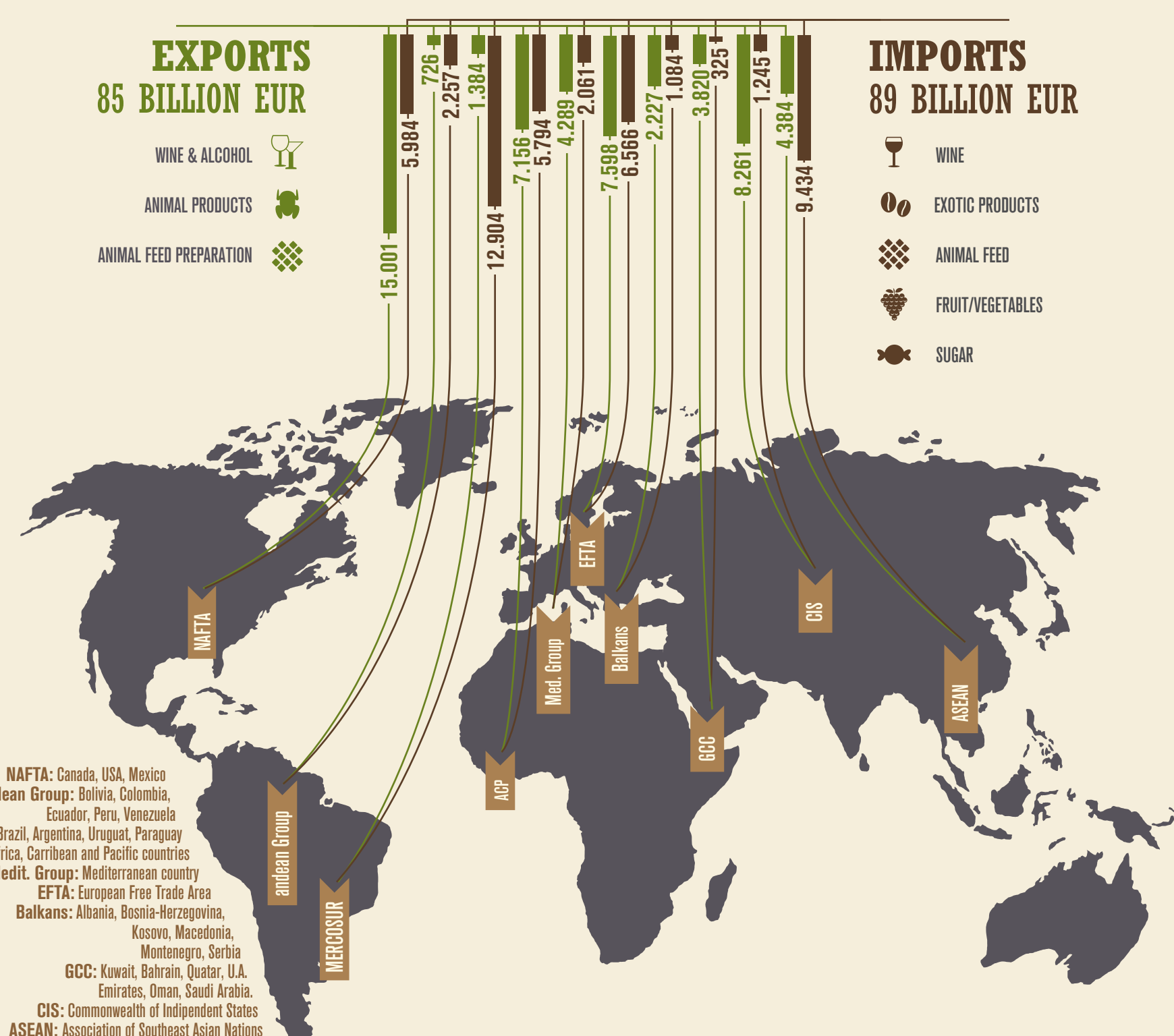
IMPORTS & EXPORTS

**EXPORTS
85 BILLION EUR**

WINE & ALCOHOL
ANIMAL PRODUCTS
ANIMAL FEED PREPARATION

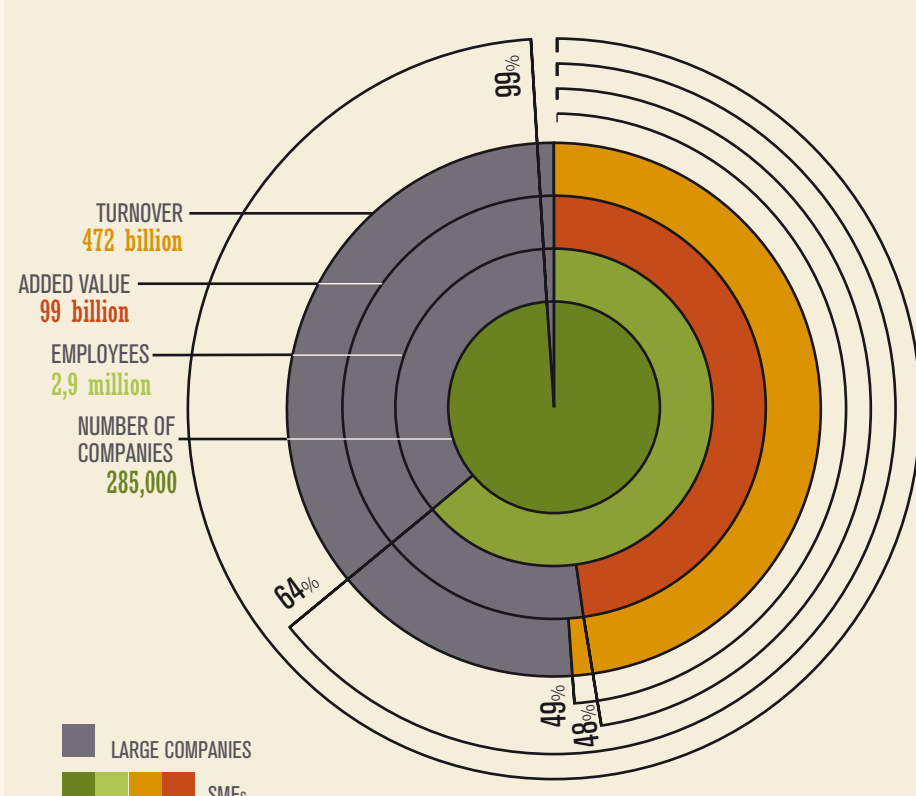
**IMPORTS
89 BILLION EUR**

WINE
EXOTIC PRODUCTS
ANIMAL FEED
FRUIT/VEGETABLES
SUGAR



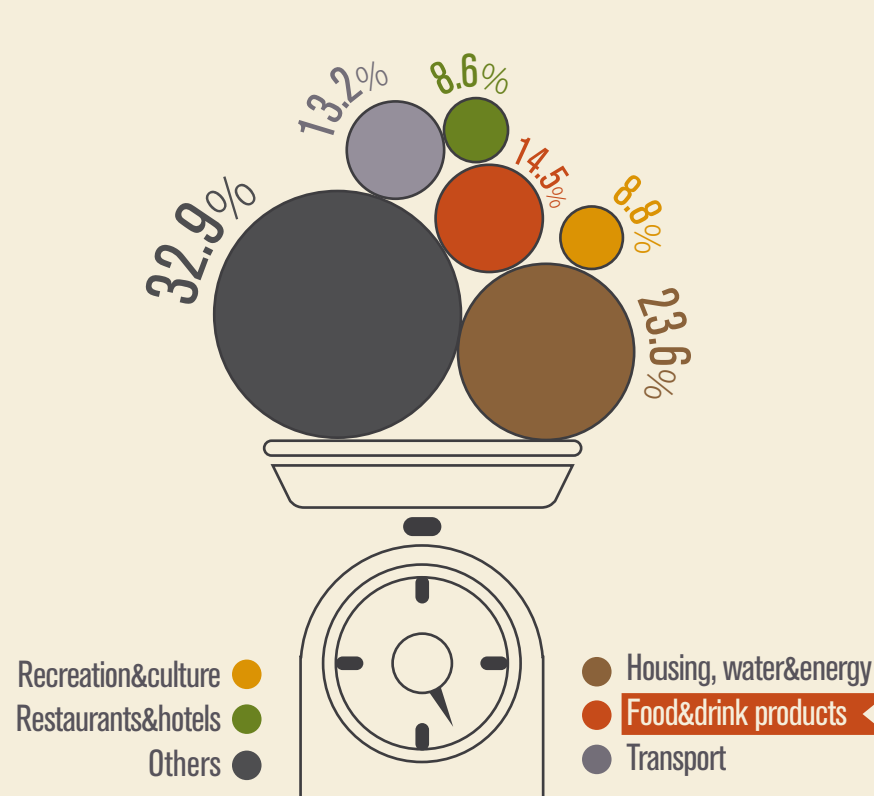
THE DOMINANT SHARE OF SMEs IN THE SECTOR

SMALL&MEDIUM ENTERPRISES



HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE IN THE EU BY SECTOR

TOP 5 CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURES OF HOUSEHOLDS ON GOODS AND SERVICES IN THE EU, 2011 (% OF TOTAL EXPENDITURE)

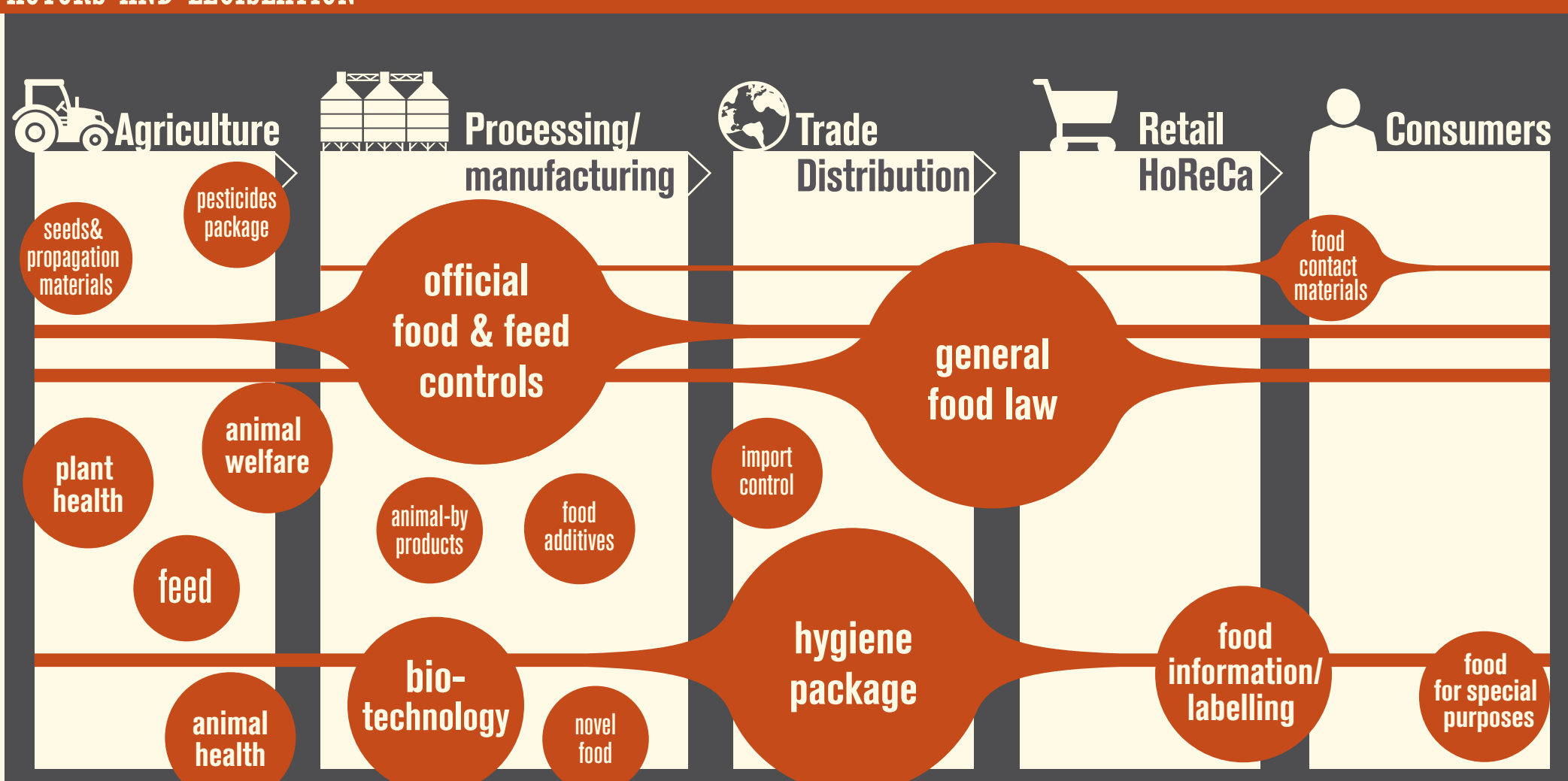


WHAT IS PRODUCED



AND THE IMPORTANT ROLE OF EUROPEAN LEGISLATION FOR ALL ACTORS IN THE SECTOR

ACTORS AND LEGISLATION



HOW "FIT FOR PURPOSE" IS THIS EUROPEAN LEGISLATIVE FRAMEWORK?

TO FIND OUT MORE, GO TO: https://food.ec.europa.eu/safety_en