Verenigd Koninkrijk



Oppervlakte (km²):	243.610
Agrarische oppervlakte:	25,1%
Bevolking:	68.459.055 (schatting 2024)
Bevolkingsgroei:	0,5% (schatting 2024)
Taal:	Engels (officiële taal), Welsch, Schotse vorm van Gaelic
Staatsstructuur:	Grondwettelijke monarchie
Hoofdstad:	Londen
Munteenheid:	Britse pond (GBP)

Bron: C.I.A. World Factbook

Evolutie algemene economische situatie:

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027*
Groei BBP (in %):	1,6	1,3	-10	8,5	5,1	0,3	1,1	1,3	0,8	1,3
BBP per capita (PPP, in $):	47.640	50.490	48.720	53.770	59.970	61.550	63.070	65.520	67.590	69.710
Inflatie (in %):	2,5	1,8	0,9	2,6	9,1	7,3	2,5	3,4	3,2	2,4
Werkloosheid (in %):	4,1	3,8	4,6	4,6	3,8	4,1	4,3	4,9	5,6	5,3

Bron: IMF World Economic Outlook

** schatting*

Groente- en fruitproductie in het Verenigd Koninkrijk (in ton):

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Totaal groenten:	**2.604.447**	**2.709.208**	**2.498.325**	**2.556.286**	**2.628.201**	**2.576.777**	**2.409.509**	**2.335.357**	**2.391.903**
- Bloemkolen en broccoli	151.779	159.011	146.841	154.040	185.082	171.093	145.736	139.934	165.153
- Erwten	157.278	124.635	119.169	161.411	171.213	175.836	159.755	168.284	165.609
- Kolen	283.071	275.522	214.818	192.298	211.065	200.011	182.358	172.177	177.553
- Komkommers & augurken	52.965	52.968	55.080	58.240	58.410	54.992	45.000	51.500	53.000
- Paddestoelen	99.813	99.652	98.509	101.339	92.926	85.754	84.147	80.001	76.854
- Prei	38.816	41.956	36.714	38.329	46.525	44.729	43.391	40.332	47.259
- Sla en witloof	106.551	112.368	107.428	111.592	107.424	103.161	102.801	103.437	109.402
- Tomaten	96.556	85.508	66.893	60.861	65.222	68.319	72.142	69.983	759.634
- Uien	371.889	379.909	389.116	356.884	396.141	376.839	308.584	309.677	256.192
- Wortelen	839.013	957.036	850.113	904.403	878.802	888.851	866.517	812.484	862.713
Totaal fruit:	**682.822**	**755.863**	**780.501**	**847.453**	**854.933**	**584.274**	**676.139**	**590.711**	**588.775**
- Aardbeien	120.327	127.420	140.710	143.524	129.633	114.614	122.112	106.443	98.703
- Appelen	481.100	535.300	548.721	610.444	631.597	392.459	472.969	409.221	408.047
- Frambozen	14.908	16.490	15.799	17.332	14.980	15.694	17.469	15.970	15.708
- Peren	24.000	26.625	26.573	27.406	25.011	19.270	17.872	15.515	19.504
- Pruimen	9.230	8.000	8.680	7.371	8.319	3.600	6.300	5.070	4.480

Bron: FAOstat

VK invoer van groenten en fruit (in ton):

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Vers fruit:	**3.865.054**	**3.865.558**	**3.735.841**	**3.591.253**	**3.576.394**	**3.349.450**	**3.305.341**	**3.177.061**	**3.333.288**	**3.607.001**
aardbeien:	57.973	54.278	49.998	57.379	58.303	64.702	58.838	56.639	64.471	72.751
appelen:	381.591	382.121	361.743	331.556	343.450	320.904	320.286	284.398	326.253	294.246
druiven:	275.326	271.429	272.709	277.921	275.512	269.176	271.603	258.831	273.465	285.692
kersen:	17.725	16.768	15.780	13.303	13.092	15.490	14.902	11.891	12.272	13.967
peren:	157.559	144.450	138.358	111.312	111.188	100.889	114.403	107.474	99.202	96.339
perziken en nectarines:	98.043	90.025	79.234	92.841	66.596	58.388	64.430	67.099	71.526	74.684
pruimen:	55.552	49.770	39.543	36.456	36.052	35.625	39.841	34.946	33.899	34.989
overig vers fruit (incl. gedroogd fruit):	2.821.285	2.856.717	2.778.476	2.670.485	2.672.200	2.484.276	2.421.038	2.355.783	2.452.200	2.734.333
Verse groenten:	**2.231.027**	**2.046.235**	**2.108.706**	**1.964.396**	**2.032.881**	**1.842.314**	**1.931.158**	**1.960.717**	**2.087.417**	**2.021.810**
andere kolen:	68.722	53.391	45.440	45.334	53.790	50.032	53.581	65.133	64.580	59.512
andere slasoorten:	108.732	100.934	87.390	94.466	69.962	62.814	34.889	33.362	36.426	37.056
asperges:	12.572	11.969	13.109	13.098	12.526	13.616	11.698	10.580	10.488	11.723
aubergines:	28.204	28.267	29.812	31.132	34.977	27.869	29.971	30.108	29.174	28.677
bloemkool en broccoli:	154.083	136.074	144.678	120.909	125.736	102.201	129.462	144.795	143.744	137.164
bonen:	37.025	34.941	37.277	36.843	42.431	47.624	32.806	27.855	26.568	29.978
erwten:	14.394	14.863	16.165	16.772	19.884	14.697	17.027	12.680	21.439	12.641
komkommers:	166.892	159.956	168.776	179.790	193.355	168.135	200.660	181.023	191.364	202.555
kropsla:	112.677	91.679	128.536	109.792	157.074	138.406	96.763	91.926	91.418	93.493
olijven en kappen:	740	1.338	1.083	735	739	642	243	257	187	156
paddestoelen en truffels:	122.644	126.147	130.694	120.528	108.969	105.833	97.089	96.833	104.244	92.948
paprika:	208.378	196.468	194.116	188.916	218.475	190.530	217.665	209.924	227.706	226.892
prei:	16.174	11.647	11.721	8.039	11.170	11.786	6.127	8.269	8.265	6.909
schorseneren en andere wortelen:	41.372	37.927	36.169	23.092	27.254	30.551	15.626	21.686	25.916	28.507
selderij:	89.804	79.180	59.783	56.007	63.538	35.517	31.959	27.473	27.292	27.734
tomaten:	402.461	398.781	411.403	388.990	376.658	333.739	385.246	368.560	395.913	389.779
uien en sjalotten:	331.156	287.997	328.645	317.349	252.130	265.082	339.310	372.240	399.483	379.490
witloof:	1.158	1.073	1.298	979	885	415	445	554	812	504
wortelen en rapen :	73.288	39.081	43.133	31.293	45.938	46.122	25.850	47.731	61.384	42.112
overige verse groenten:	240.551	234.522	219.478	180.332	217.390	196.704	204.739	209.726	221.014	213.979

Bron: International Trade Centre

VK uitvoer van groenten en fruit (in ton):

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Vers fruit:	**142.547**	**177.328**	**158.635**	**157.009**	**176.698**	**25.245**	**37.880**	**37.120**	**34.878**	**39.862**
aardbeien:	1.230	4.064	2.583	1.560	3.905	237	738	1.386	1.332	1.198
appelen:	17.962	26.424	22.624	18.158	21.240	2.072	10.303	9.992	9.043	9.507
druiven:	6.125	6.647	6.542	6.076	8.751	2.237	2.070	1.648	1.821	2.792
kersen:	128	263	379	590	1.022	497	478	268	454	361
peren:	1.543	1.757	1.854	1.342	1.806	230	1.087	1.176	900	801
perziken en nectarines:	1.024	1.095	1.349	1.262	1.074	172	416	446	222	273
pruimen:	920	1.103	869	688	761	126	588	543	430	276
overig vers fruit (incl. gedroogd fruit):	113.615	135.975	122.436	127.334	138.140	19.673	22.200	21.663	20.676	24.654
Verse groenten:	**149.148**	**127.379**	**139.658**	**127.546**	**98.358**	**46.107**	**94.111**	**73.067**	**73.008**	**67.043**
andere kolen:	5.587	7.074	7.241	9.607	5.780	4.297	9.938	8.927	11.204	14.504
andere slasoorten:	3.433	4.241	3.755	3.959	4.453	669	3.686	3.612	3.522	2.792
bloemkool en broccoli:	6.974	7.799	7.046	7.668	10.360	4.046	6.299	7.115	8.591	6.750
komkommers:	1.470	1.437	1.459	1.549	1.199	213	449	194	112	138
kropsla:	2.465	3.792	2.289	2.634	1.941	1.131	889	2.950	2.167	2.590
paddestoelen en truffels:	155	1.088	3.777	4.662	6.649	202	10.051	9.069	9.372	3.174
paprika:	2.707	2.714	2.401	2.061	850	240	219	104	201	227
prei:	1.065	839	661	740	633	65	499	233	331	358
schorseneren en andere wortelen:	27.976	20.344	28.961	27.236	27.485	14.794	19.654	10.242	9.327	8.258
tomaten:	4.235	4.728	4.809	4.361	3.586	1.618	1.654	977	1.037	1.184
uien en sjalotten:	7.458	4.384	3.473	4.939	5.045	3.249	3.947	3.536	3.734	3.242
wortelen en rapen :	21.097	22.774	29.252	27.774	14.587	4.561	12.239	12.021	14.823	13.198
overige verse groenten:	64.525	46.165	44.533	30.356	15.790	11.021	24.586	14.087	8.587	10.628

Bron: International Trade Centre

Verbruik van groenten en fruit in het VK (in kg/cap):

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Totaal groenten	**159**	**156**	**162**	**162**	**154**	**159**	**175**	**159**	**173**	**166**
- Tomaten	45	45	47	46	44	49	53	45	57	49
Totaal fruit	**118**	**114**	**110**	**108**	**107**	**107**	**111**	**100**	**102**	**92**
- Appelen	25	23	22	24	27	30	31	25	26	21

Bron: FAOstat

Belgische export van verse groenten en fruit naar het Verenigd Koninkrijk (in ton):

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Vers fruit:	**85.934**	**77.206**	**76.557**	**76.265**	**69.964**	**50.020**	**53.258**	**48.294**	**44.417**	**38.610**
aardbeien:	8.777	8.128	6.859	8.528	9.419	1.187	2.113	1.202	1.559	1.875
appelen:	12.368	11.470	5.706	7.077	5.312	6.053	10.295	6.070	8.921	5.671
citrusvruchten:	119	251	326	351	277	8	94	43	0	1
druiven:	43	29	48	0	166	0	2	0	0	0
kersen:	228	64	214	192	66	1	5	0	6	21
peren:	35.869	34.093	38.163	43.028	37.098	40.453	37.855	39.263	32.226	29.532
perziken:	12	0	19	313	71	0	0	0	0	0
pruimen:	28	23	6	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
zuidvruchten:	27.023	22.088	24.337	15.970	15.988	1.931	2.251	1.647	1.643	1.367
ander vers fruit:	1.466	1.059	878	804	1.567	386	644	69	61	143
Verse groenten:	**38.331**	**35.988**	**39.277**	**37.232**	**35.888**	**31.685**	**36.777**	**38.703**	**45.456**	**41.883**
andere kolen:	610	901	375	518	360	432	618	791	771	884
andere slasoorten:	4	55	12	1	214	87	272	100	203	74
asperges:	81	58	69	20	50	1	0	0	4	6
aubergines:	427	588	523	326	292	443	952	885	472	903
augurken:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
bloemkool:	164	258	657	1.255	499	900	105	379	146	251
bonen:	3.274	3.694	3.566	3.926	3.242	1.214	1.624	1.759	286	4
courgetten:	1.046	1.187	1.946	2.117	1.521	2.627	2.858	2.901	2.856	2.797
erwten:	277	173	482	421	395	484	0	0	0	0
komkommers:	12	22	109	3	3	11	49	23	227	326
kropsla:	0	4	2	2	9	0	1	0	9	19
olijven en kappen:	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
overige verse groenten:	1.011	786	1.056	1.702	3.014	771	1.103	837	224	23
paddestoelen en truffels:	3.721	2.290	2.457	1.104	761	1	0	0	0	0
paprika:	3.219	4.186	4.171	4.375	4.115	3.570	4.093	3.438	5.185	5.178
prei:	6.123	2.081	4.060	2.586	2.611	3.077	1.667	2.471	2.294	1.942
schorseneren en andere wortelen:	64	80	234	12	7	0	1	0	16	86
selderij:	395	448	488	534	261	317	436	283	353	844
tomaten:	12.947	14.220	15.484	16.167	15.767	14.570	21.873	23.389	30.280	26.850
uien en sjalotten:	542	1.135	882	613	890	234	419	602	1.000	846
witloof:	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	6	16	20
wortelen en rapen :	4.415	3.824	2.704	1.548	1.877	2.947	702	839	1.116	830
overige:	614	955	387	519	574	519	890	891	975	958
Totaal	**124.265**	**113.194**	**115.834**	**113.497**	**105.853**	**81.705**	**90.035**	**86.997**	**89.873**	**80.493**

Bron: Eurostat + bewerkingen VLAM

Nederlandse export van verse groenten en fruit naar het Verenigd Koninkrijk (in ton):

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Vers fruit:	**240.068**	**224.868**	**237.395**	**222.867**	**233.135**	**145.906**	**115.963**	**106.722**	**111.707**	**115.962**
aardbeien:	9.395	8.987	8.830	8.968	8.094	9.437	6.267	6.200	8.968	11.506
appelen:	14.085	12.551	9.804	15.204	11.057	10.868	8.763	10.042	6.150	3.673
citrusvruchten:	44.667	50.115	53.807	43.997	48.510	21.470	10.360	9.402	11.421	11.371
druiven:	16.205	19.755	20.794	16.070	16.293	9.338	6.677	7.792	7.790	6.164
kersen:	503	335	596	836	438	630	384	198	173	256
peren:	58.995	46.886	44.346	46.303	47.719	47.003	41.065	36.604	37.575	35.883
perziken:	2.546	2.110	1.397	1.674	1.528	770	1.029	522	831	1.567
pruimen:	1.867	2.783	1.836	2.404	3.135	1.396	1.960	1.160	1.204	1.076
zuidvruchten:	55.945	51.273	68.358	53.965	61.827	26.793	22.557	20.322	23.883	25.372
ander vers fruit:	35.860	30.074	27.626	33.445	34.534	18.202	16.902	14.481	13.713	19.093
Verse groenten:	**700.025**	**680.746**	**674.880**	**627.002**	**637.820**	**618.572**	**586.007**	**591.346**	**617.892**	**645.411**
andere kolen:	44.794	36.423	30.564	27.905	28.201	26.888	26.974	30.932	26.305	25.543
andere slasoorten:	5.090	3.907	6.300	4.110	3.674	1.654	1.652	1.267	1.308	1.590
asperges:	459	360	245	171	158	144	168	150	102	81
aubergines:	14.319	12.401	11.046	13.356	13.706	13.141	10.325	11.114	10.497	11.140
augurken:	0	6	11	12	18	7	3	3	1	1
bloemkool en broccoli:	3.428	1.418	2.649	3.239	2.075	1.543	3.182	2.537	1.676	5.394
bonen:	4.460	2.696	3.488	3.978	6.157	1.905	1.385	979	678	1.159
courgetten:	3.955	2.844	3.066	2.959	2.879	3.139	2.243	1.818	1.779	2.565
erwten:	950	477	923	1.420	667	146	315	164	107	80
komkommers:	88.405	86.245	90.392	82.894	84.095	86.508	82.187	77.992	79.714	88.824
kropsla:	3.363	2.123	2.265	2.226	2.298	2.669	2.672	2.577	3.168	3.024
olijven en kappen:	6	5	5	7	212	60	83	95	87	63
overige verse groenten:	10.573	7.876	11.793	12.068	8.303	3.915	3.377	3.452	2.918	2.913
paddenstoelen en truffels:	19.826	18.667	14.749	12.056	10.235	9.463	9.278	8.408	7.039	6.431
paprika:	94.826	97.312	98.008	102.133	108.348	86.634	106.856	107.750	106.864	109.202
prei:	3.509	3.095	3.997	2.549	3.443	2.892	2.032	1.880	2.144	1.678
schorseneren en andere wortelen:	9.542	8.591	8.178	7.125	7.063	5.930	5.404	7.640	6.958	7.882
selderij:	3.116	2.665	3.930	2.438	2.036	2.064	1.507	1.166	826	895
tomaten:	173.497	185.687	197.562	187.771	173.003	171.899	148.857	150.697	168.243	180.305
uien en sjalotten:	202.692	201.187	176.623	150.467	171.283	179.424	169.421	173.151	188.890	186.990
witloof:	701	778	684	592	542	476	574	604	612	615
wortelen en rapen:	12.513	5.984	8.402	7.528	9.423	18.071	7.514	6.971	7.977	9.037
Totaal	**940.094**	**905.615**	**912.275**	**849.869**	**870.955**	**764.478**	**701.971**	**698.069**	**729.600**	**761.373**

Bron: Eurostat + bewerkingen VLAM

Het aandeel van België in de EU-27 export van verse groenten en fruit naar het Verenigd Koninkrijk (op basis van volume)

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Vers fruit:	**6%**	**6%**	**6%**	**6%**	**5%**	**4%**	**5%**	**5%**	**4%**	**4%**
aardbeien:	14%	14%	12%	14%	15%	2%	5%	3%	4%	4%
appelen:	6%	6%	3%	4%	3%	3%	5%	3%	5%	4%
citrusvruchten:	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
druiven:	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
kersen:	3%	1%	2%	2%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
peren:	32%	33%	37%	39%	34%	38%	37%	43%	38%	38%
perziken:	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
pruimen:	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
zuidvruchten:	18%	14%	14%	12%	11%	2%	3%	3%	2%	2%
ander vers fruit:	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Verse groenten:	**2%**	**2%**	**2%**	**2%**	**2%**	**2%**	**2%**	**2%**	**3%**	**2%**
andere kolen:	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
andere slasoorten:	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
asperges:	6%	6%	6%	4%	8%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
aubergines:	4%	4%	7%	7%	4%	8%	9%	7%	9%	9%
augurken:	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
bloemkool en broccoli:	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
bonen:	25%	29%	28%	29%	19%	31%	45%	52%	19%	0%
courgetten:	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%
erwten:	15%	14%	7%	4%	25%	57%	0%	0%	0%	0%
komkommers:	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
kropsla:	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
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Bron: Eurostat + bewerkingen VLAM

Belgische import van verse groenten en fruit uit het Verenigd Koninkrijk (in ton):

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Vers fruit:	**6.079**	**12.807**	**4.440**	**3.783**	**9.452**	**313**	**463**	**2.142**	**783**	**0**
appelen:	1.144	9.436	1.082	1.012	5.686	205	266	1.776	601	0
peren:	564	391	778	46	194	107	185	366	180	0
zuidvruchten:	4.249	2.740	2.095	2.457	2.746	0	3	0	0	0
overige:	122	239	486	269	825	1	9	0	1	0
Verse groenten:	**3.029**	**5.133**	**3.556**	**3.701**	**2.824**	**3.699**	**1.368**	**2.840**	**1.855**	**2.039**
erwten:	13	32	2	30	296	28	0	0	28	28
schorseneren en andere wortelen:	449	837	38	887	961	3.423	908	1.316	1.254	392
uien en sjalotten:	49	51	50	61	7	0	0	0	1	0
wortelen en rapen :	1.770	3.223	2.363	1.629	1.101	227	407	720	0	0
overige:	748	990	1.103	1.094	459	21	52	804	573	1.619
Totaal	**9.108**	**17.940**	**7.996**	**7.484**	**12.276**	**4.012**	**1.831**	**4.982**	**2.638**	**2.039**

Bron: Eurostat + bewerkingen VLAM

Belgische handelsbalans van groenten en fruit met het Verenigd Koninkrijk (x € 1.000)

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Verse groenten:										
- Uitvoer	52.966	50.134	53.274	57.359	49.161	45.424	56.796	66.406	67.396	61.671
- Invoer	1.677	1.846	1.267	1.732	1.735	1.241	549	1.055	978	1.420
- Saldo	51.289	48.288	52.006	55.627	47.426	44.183	56.247	65.351	66.418	60.251
Vers fruit:										
- Uitvoer	106.312	96.326	93.794	92.000	121.000	51.491	57.476	64.331	69.503	65.568
- Invoer	5.072	5.106	4.584	5.169	8.092	66	142	295	113	1
- Saldo	101.240	91.220	89.210	86.831	112.908	51.425	57.334	64.036	69.390	65.567

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Nuttige links:

C.I.A. Worldfactbook: landenfiches	https://www.cia.gov/the-world-factbook/
Flanders Investment and Trade: landenfiches	https://export.flandersinvestmentandtrade.com/nl
F.A.O.: landbouwstatistieken	https://www.fao.org/faostat/en/#home
EU-commissie: invoerprocedures en -tarieven	https://trade.ec.europa.eu/access-to-markets/en/my-trade-assistant
F.A.S.: landbouwinformatie	https://www.fas.usda.gov/data/search?reports%5B0%5D=report_type%3A10251
Agentschap voor Buitenlandse Handel	https://abh-ace.be/nl
Ministerie van Landbouw	www.gov.uk/defra
Ministerie van Buitenlandse zaken	https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/foreign-commonwealth-development-office
Dienst voor Statistiek	www.statistics.gov.uk
Gouden Gids	www.yell.com