

Denmark

What it produces, exports, imports and uses, among the commodities tracked here

Top-ten producer of

Commodity	World rank	Share of world	Year
Fishmeal	8	3.7%	2024

Top-ten exporter of

Commodity	World rank	Share of world exports	Export value
Fishmeal	4	5.1%	\$476.7 million
Salmon	5	6.1%	\$976.2 million
Cheese	6	5.3%	\$2.4 billion
Pork	6	7.8%	\$2.9 billion

Of \$8.5 billion of tracked-commodity exports, 34% is pork, then cheese (28%).

Top-ten importer of: orange juice (#6), salmon (#8), oats (#9), vanilla (#10).

What it uses (FAO food balances, 2023)

Commodity	Domestic supply	kg per person	Self-sufficiency	Imported
Milk	6.7 million tonnes	496	81%	72%
Wheat	3.9 million tonnes	96	96%	26%
Potatoes	2.4 million tonnes	68	104%	8.2%
Barley	2.3 million tonnes	0.0	163%	9.4%
Canola	812 thousand tonnes	0.2	109%	8.6%

Commodity	Domestic supply	kg per person	Self-sufficiency	Imported
Pork	344 thousand tonnes	58	411%	48%

Single-supplier import markets

Denmark buys half or more of its imports from one country in 5 of 8 import markets of \$250 million or more: crude oil from United States (71%); salmon from Norway (92%); aluminum from Norway (89%); natural gas from Norway (89%); shrimp from Greenland (66%).

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