# Medium-term trends in global agriculture

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## **Outline**

Background to medium termerence projections in FAO

Global commodity trends and developments



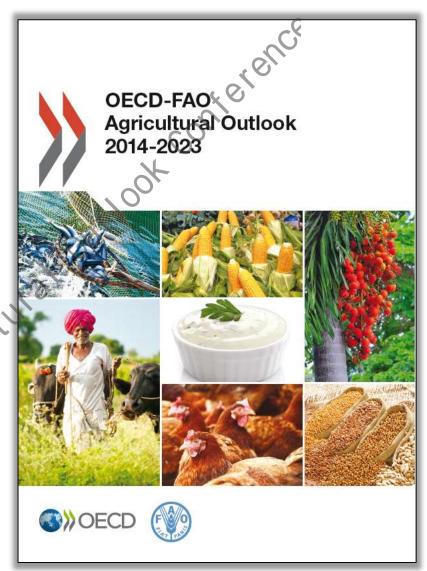
## Medium term projections

- Provide consensus analyses on the future evolution of international commodity markets.
- Develop increasingly integrated systems that link short, medium and long term projections.
- Publication of the annual "OECD-FAO Agricultural Outlook" in collaboration with OECD.
- Construct scenarios analyzing emerging market and policy issues using the Aglink-Cosimo model.

### OECD-FAO Agricultural Outlook

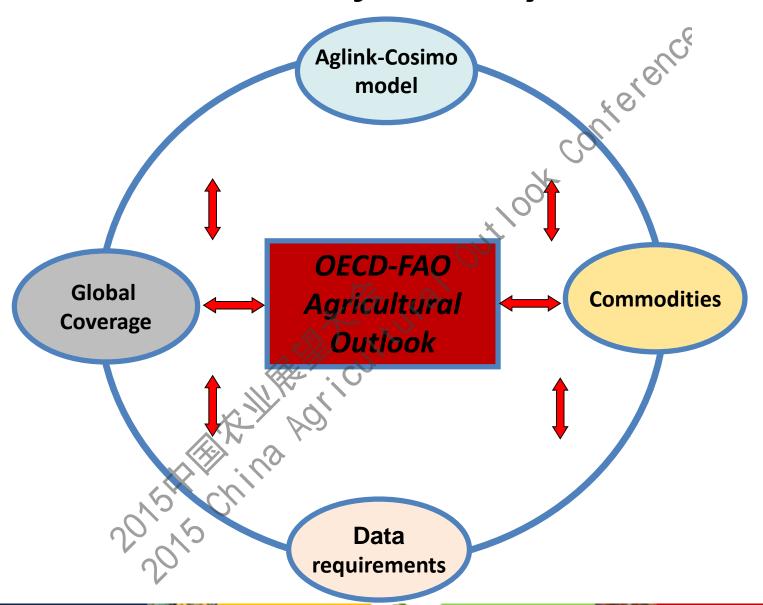


- Joint OECD-FAO report prepared with country collaborators and international experts
- Model based baseline projection, not forecast
- Special theme chapter



## **OECD-FAO Projection System**











## Jeconomic driven agricultural markets Macroeconomic drivers of









- Global population growth 1% p.a., but strong regional differences remain
- Moderate economic growth in the OECD area
- Slight slowdown in major emerging economies
- Crude oil reference price between \$64 and \$88
- US Dollar appreciates against most currencies
- Moderate inflation in most economies





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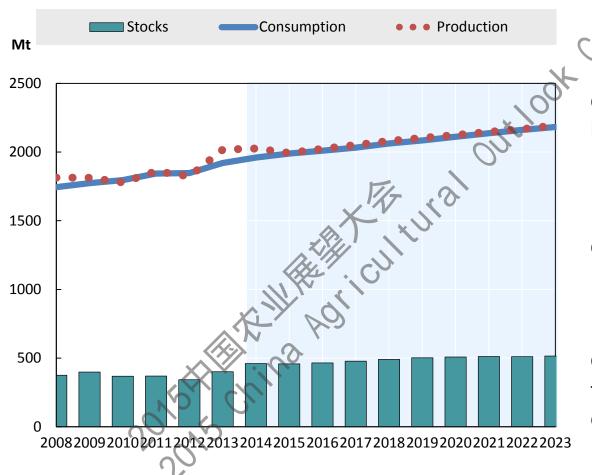
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## Market Developments: Wheat and Coarse Grains



Global cereal market stays balanced and increases by 15%

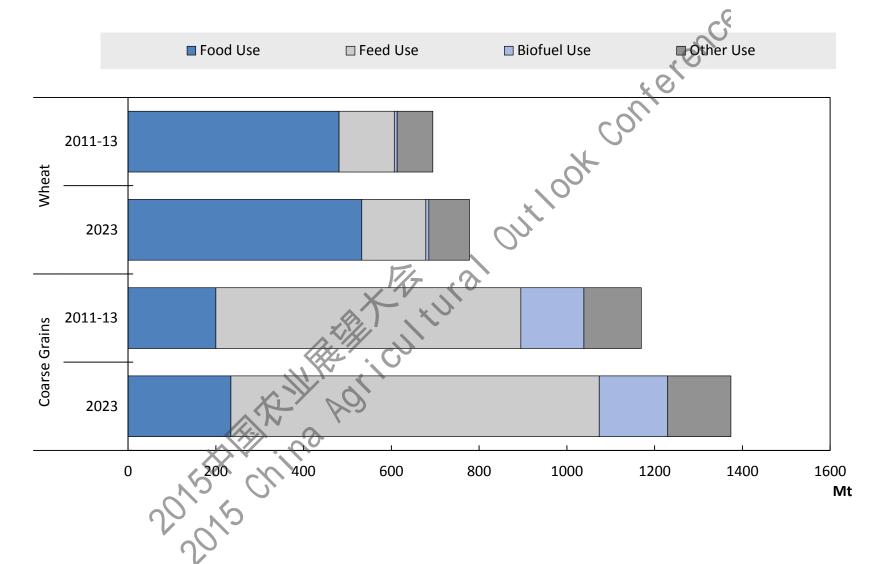
Driven by feed, while food consumption stagnates

No further build-up of stocks

Global trade grows faster than production, traditional exporters dominate

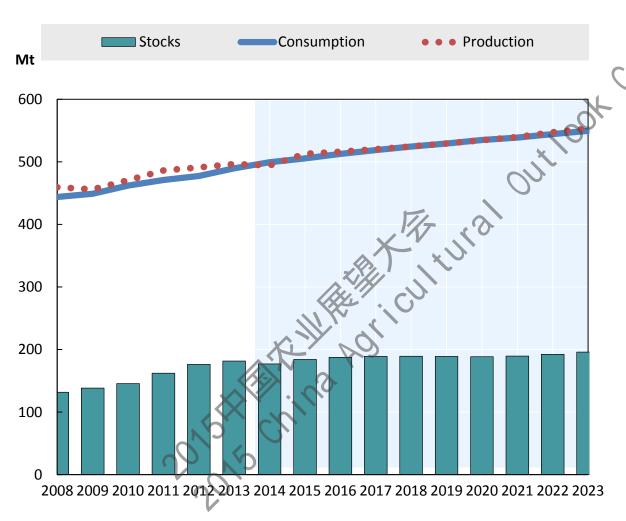
### Wheat and Coarse Grains utilisation







## Market Developments: Rice



- Growth of the rice market will be sustained by developing countries
- Global per-capita food consumption stagnates
- Building up of stocks is projected to slow down
- International rice trade is expected to keep growing.

















## Oilseeds production

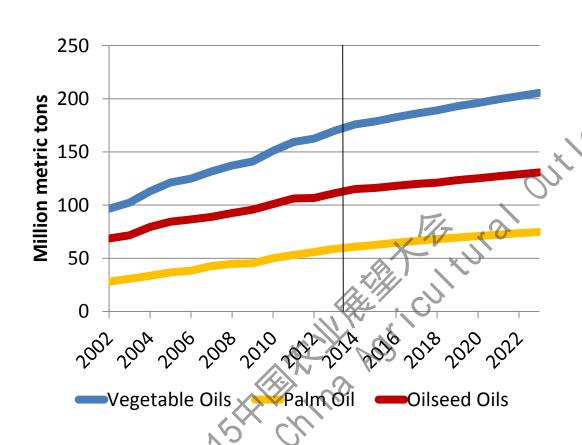
Area: increasing share - 15 mill hat expansion, 80% in developing countries,

**Yield:** globally 1% growth per annum, strong regional difference

**Production:** US remains largest producer, Brazil getting very close, China and EU are loosing share

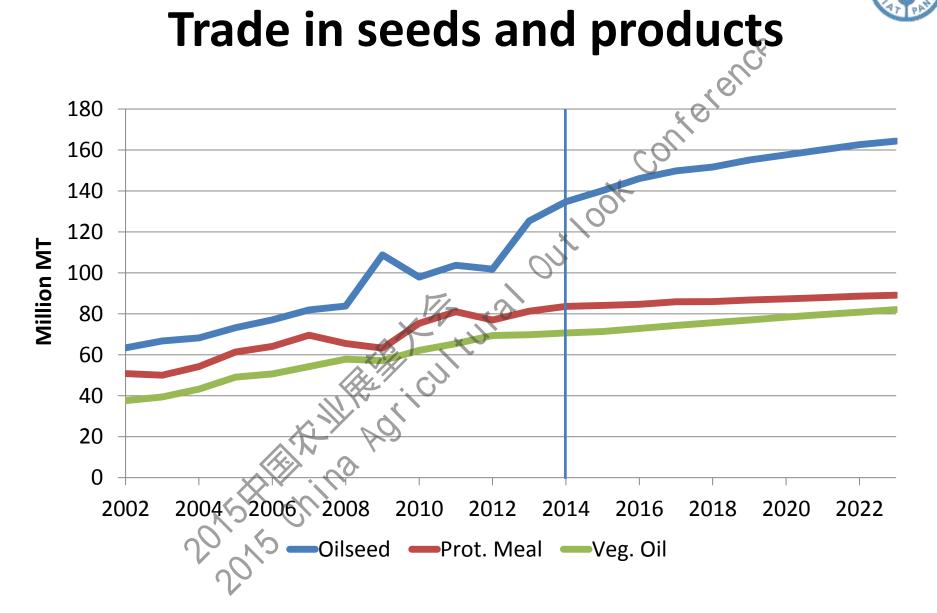
## Vegetable oil production





- Gobal production expands by 40 mill tons, or 24%
- Share of palm oil grows to 36%
- Marked slow down in in high-oil seeds production

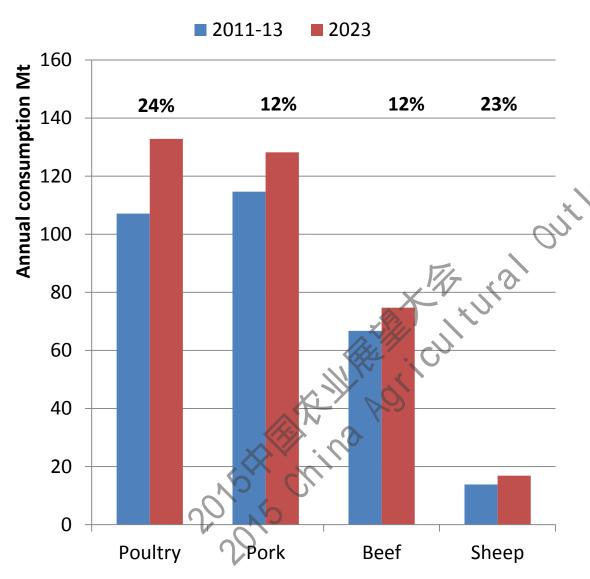




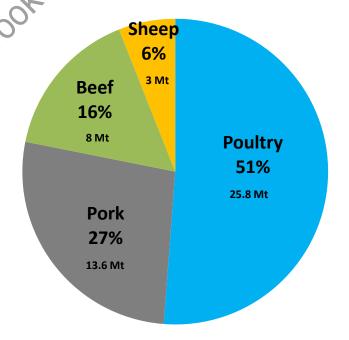


## Global meat consumption



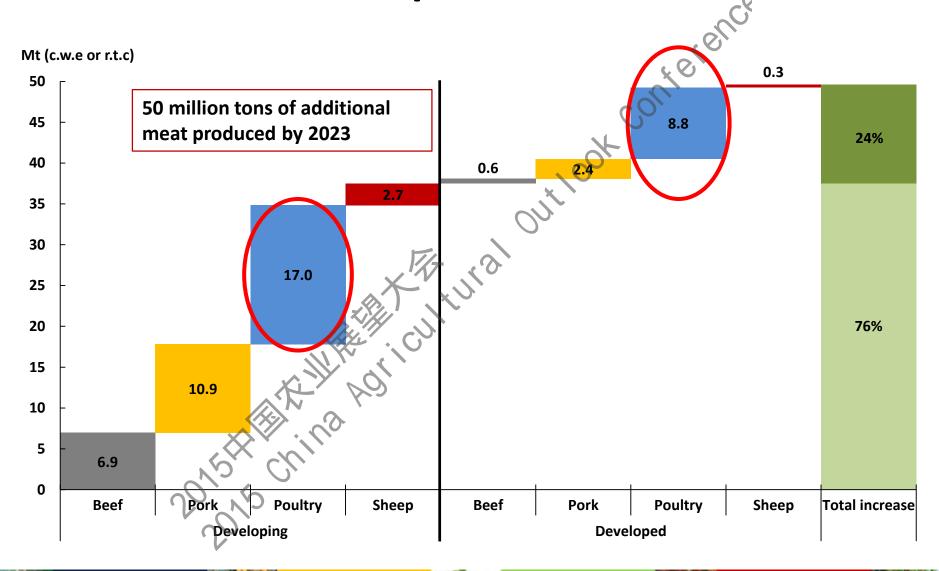


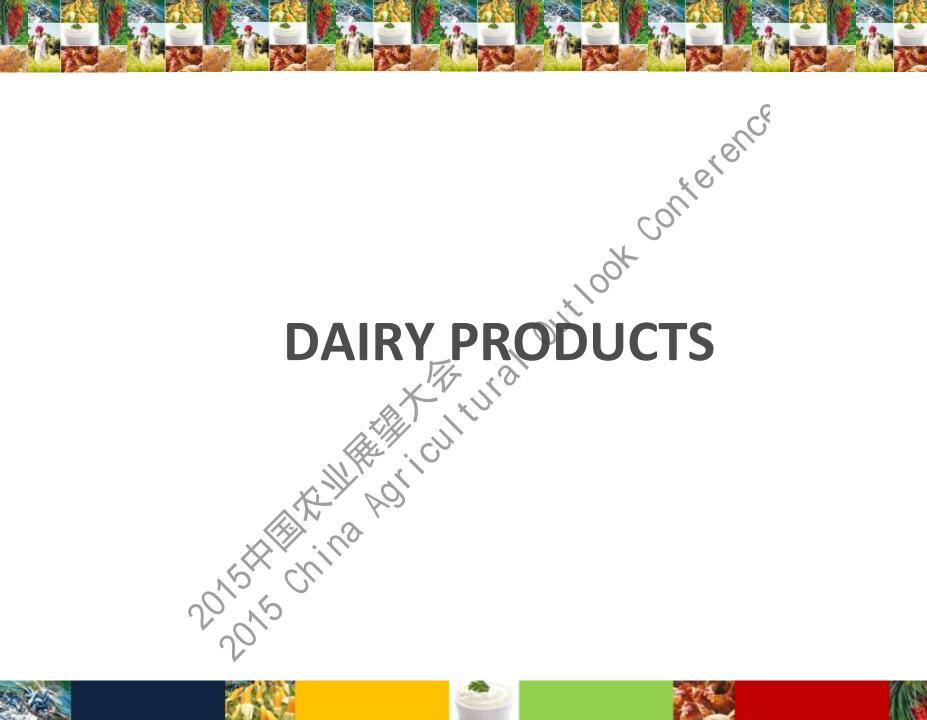
50 million tons additional meat consumed by 2023





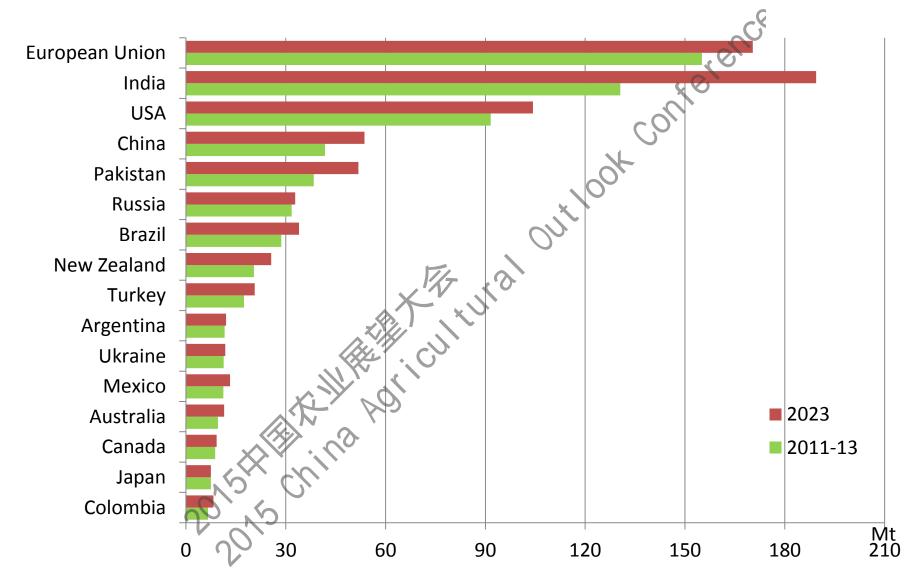
**Meat production** 





## Milk production

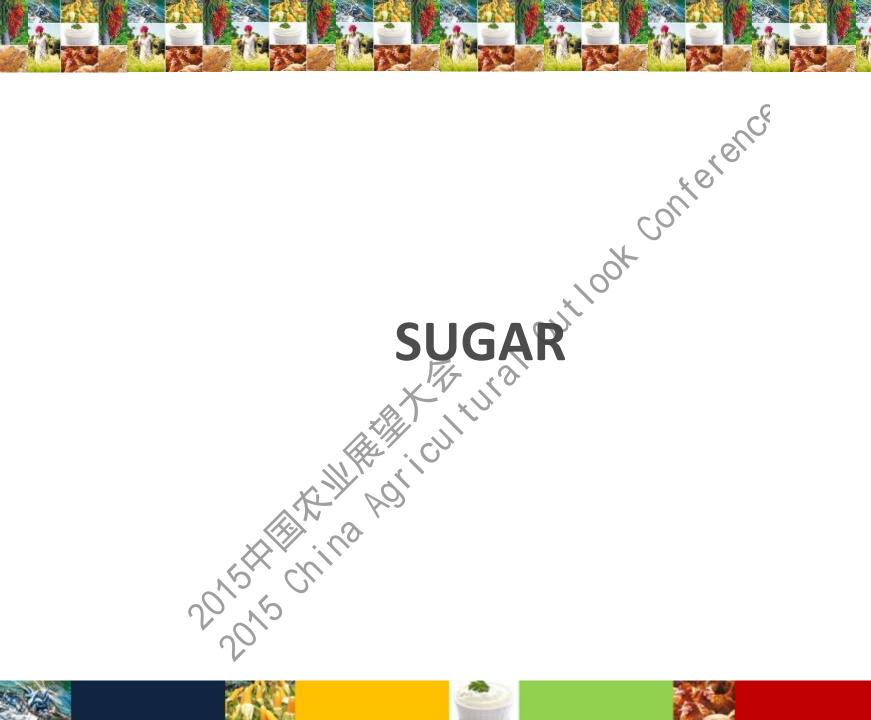






## **Dairy consumption**

- 70% of milk consumed as fresh, rising trend
- Dairy gains in global popularity, but regional differences remain
- Per capita demand of dairy products continues fast growth in developing countries
- Flat demand in developed countries, only cheese demand growing



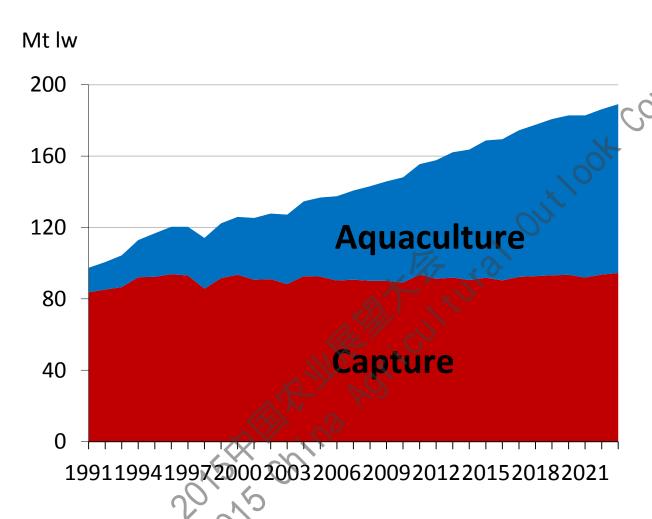


## Global trends - Sugar

- Higher share of sugarcane production going to ethanol
- Global sugar production and consumption to grow mainly in developing countries
- Prices to continue to be volatile
- Relative profitability of sugar vs. ethanol and developments in other sweeteners are important drivers
- Brazil continues to dominate global sugar exports,
   Indonesia and China main importers



## **Total fishery production**



- Global production expected to increase on account of aquaculture
- Global fish consumption to increase by 20%
- 30% of all fish products are traded, slower trade in food













## **Global trends - Cotton**

- Stronger cotton consumption growth
- Ending stocks decline
  - China's policy a crucial driver
- Global textile industry continues to shift
- Exporters' shares move toward Brazil and India. China dominates imports

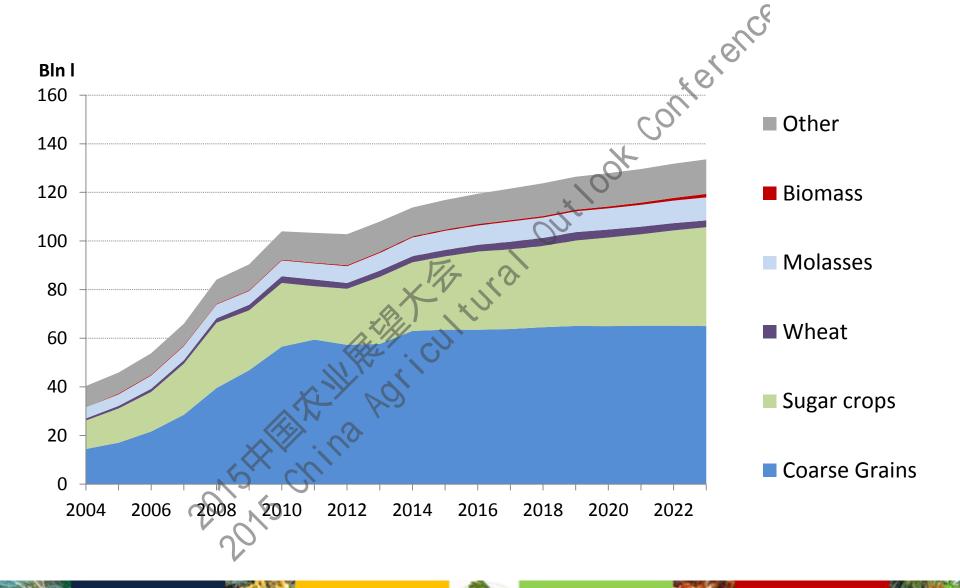


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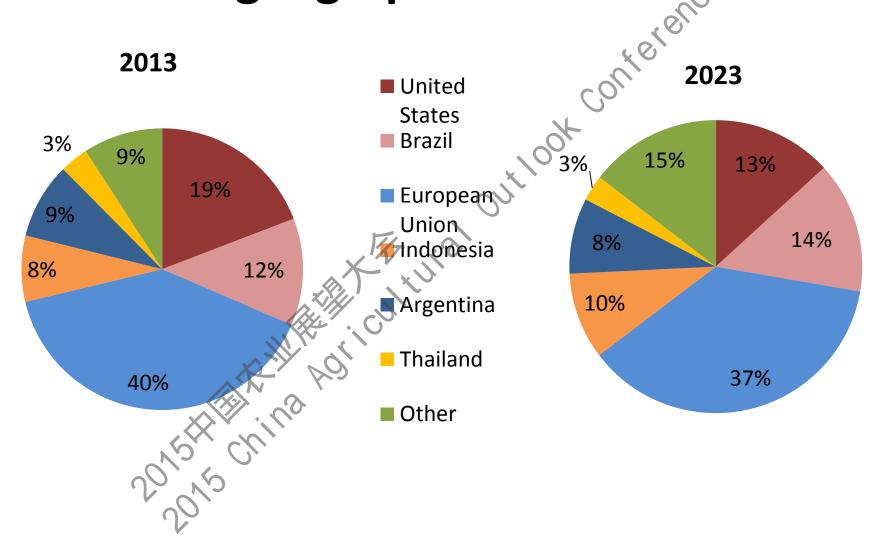
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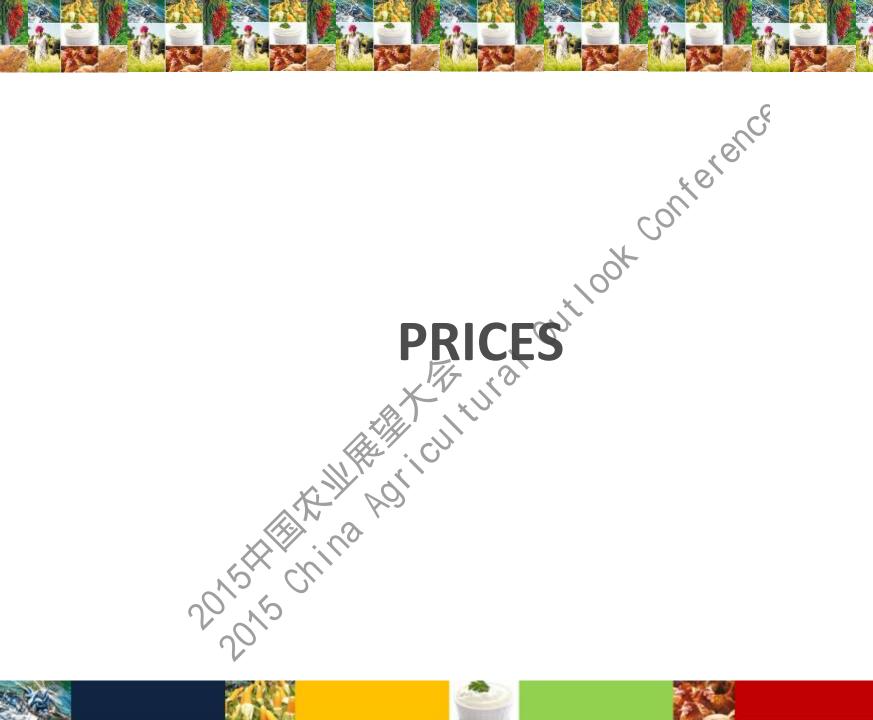




Biodiesel production by geographic area

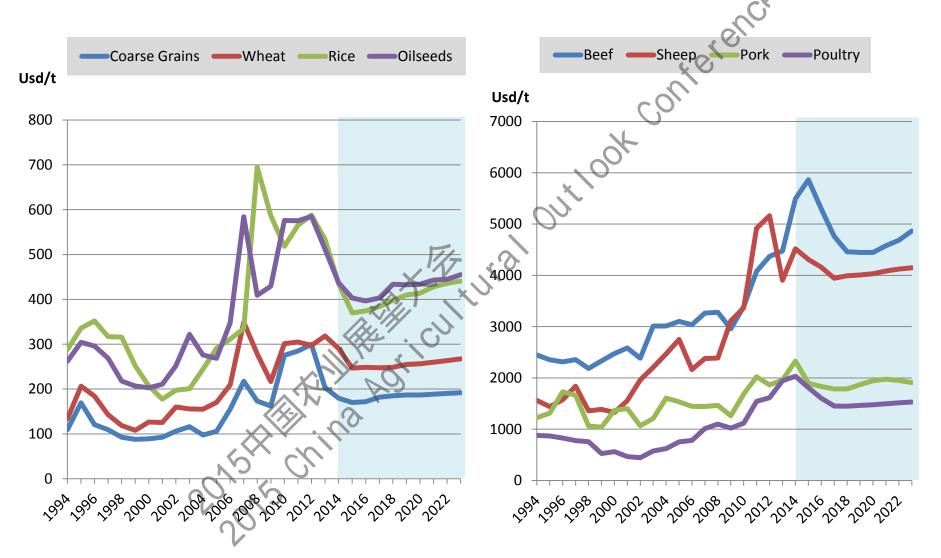








## **Nominal Prices**









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