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Evolution of the Mushrooms imports and exports flows inside and outside EU

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from EUROSTAT 2025 data



Reminder: asymmetries can exist between exports from a country A to B and imports of B from A for a same product.

This is because of national rules for customs declarations. The mandatory declaration thresholds are not the same between Member States.

Eurostat data analysis remains relevant in terms of evolution rather than absolute value.



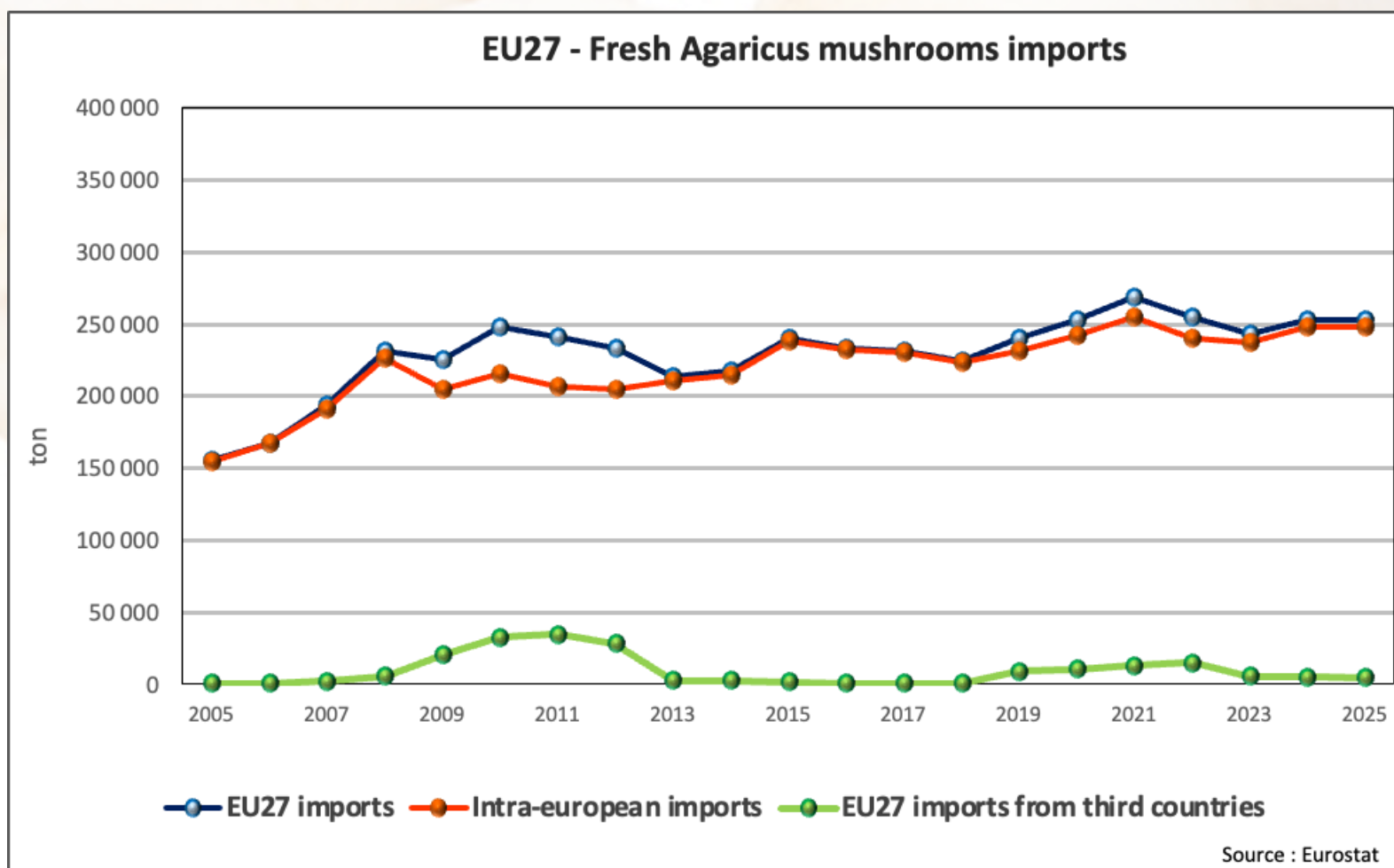
Fresh Agaricus mushrooms

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Fresh Agaricus mushrooms



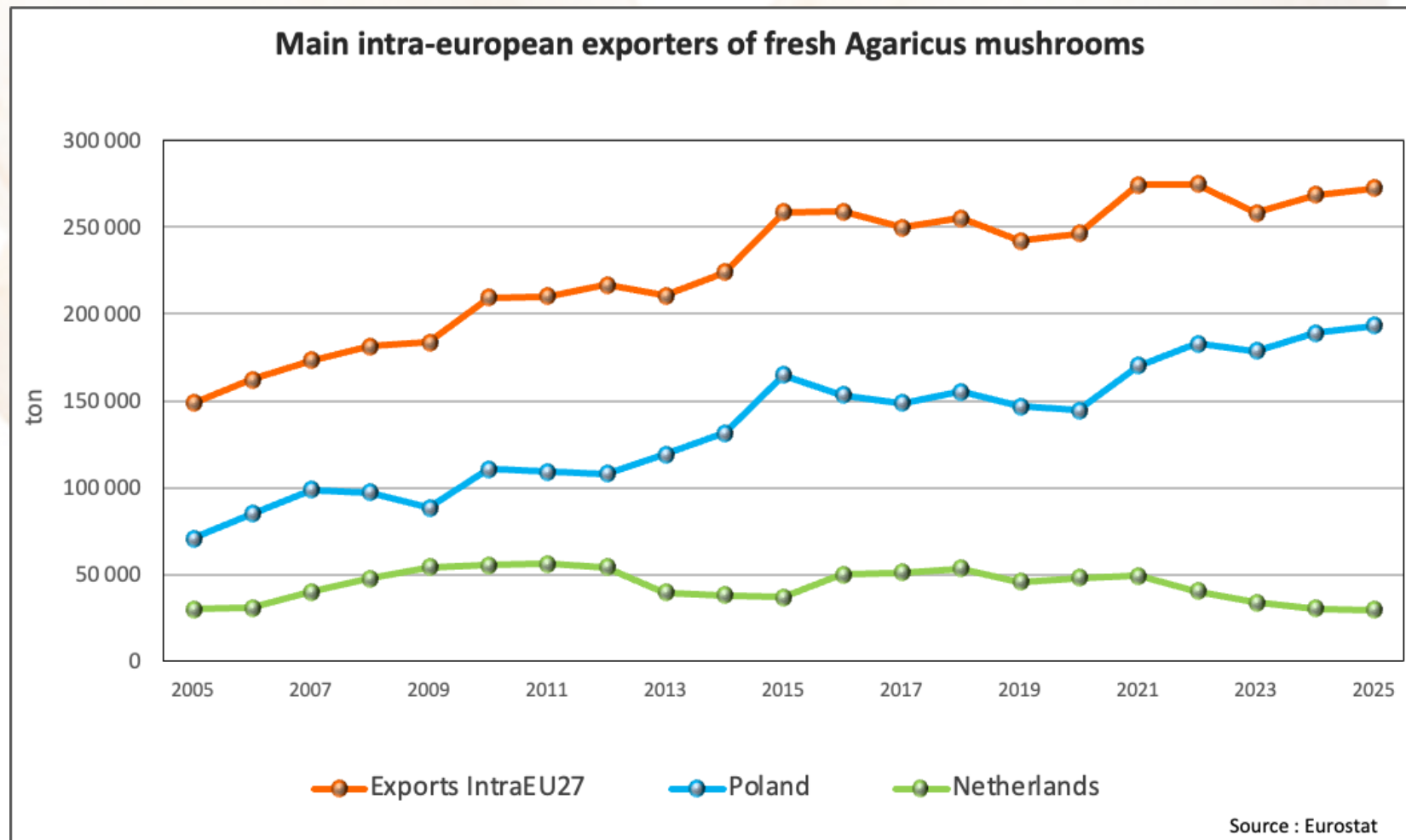
- Intra-european exports of fresh Agaricus mushrooms are predominant.
- 83 % of EU27 exports of fresh Agaricus mushrooms to third countries are for the UK.





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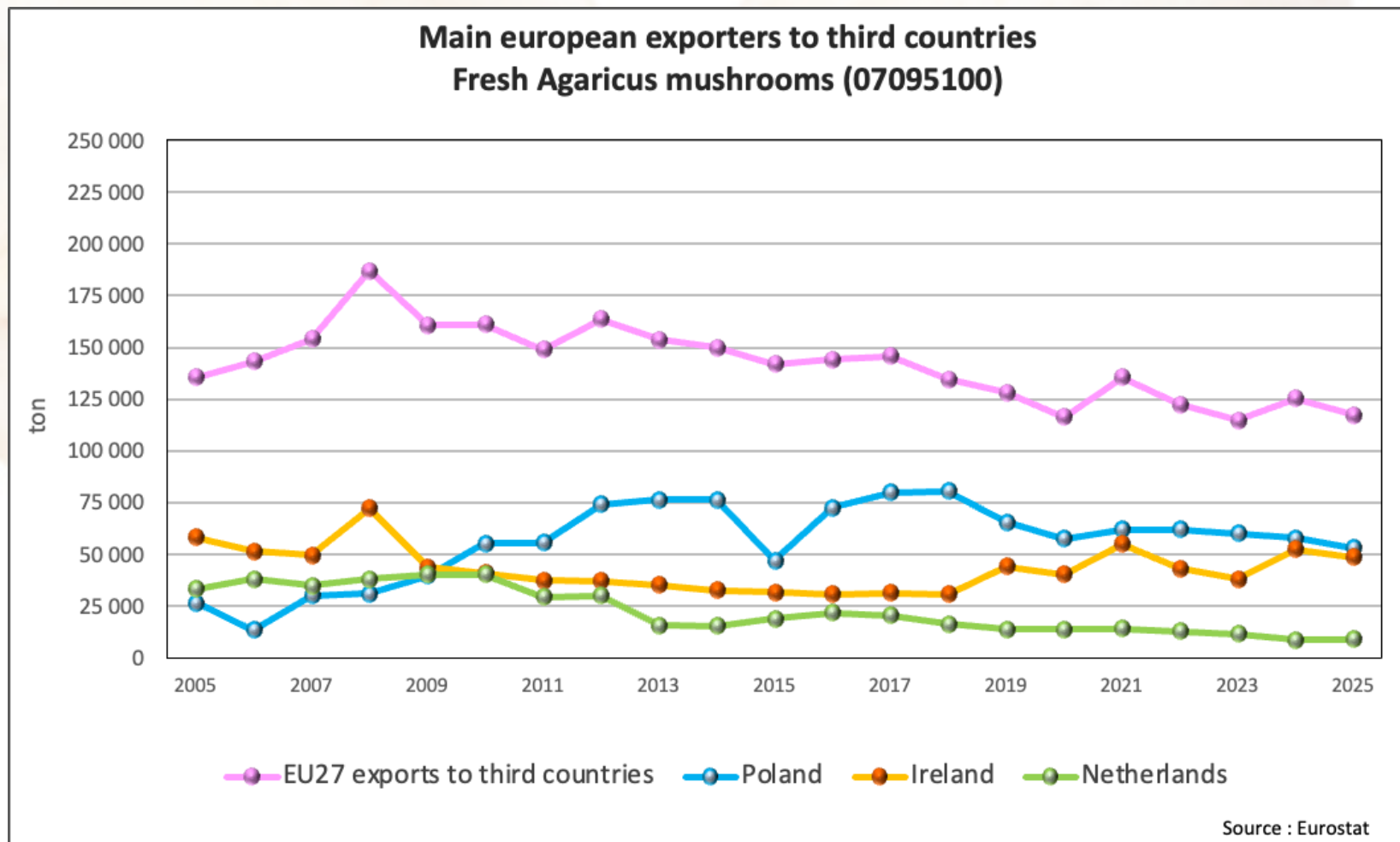
- Poland is by far the 1st exporter of fresh Agaricus mushrooms inside EU27 (intra-European trade).



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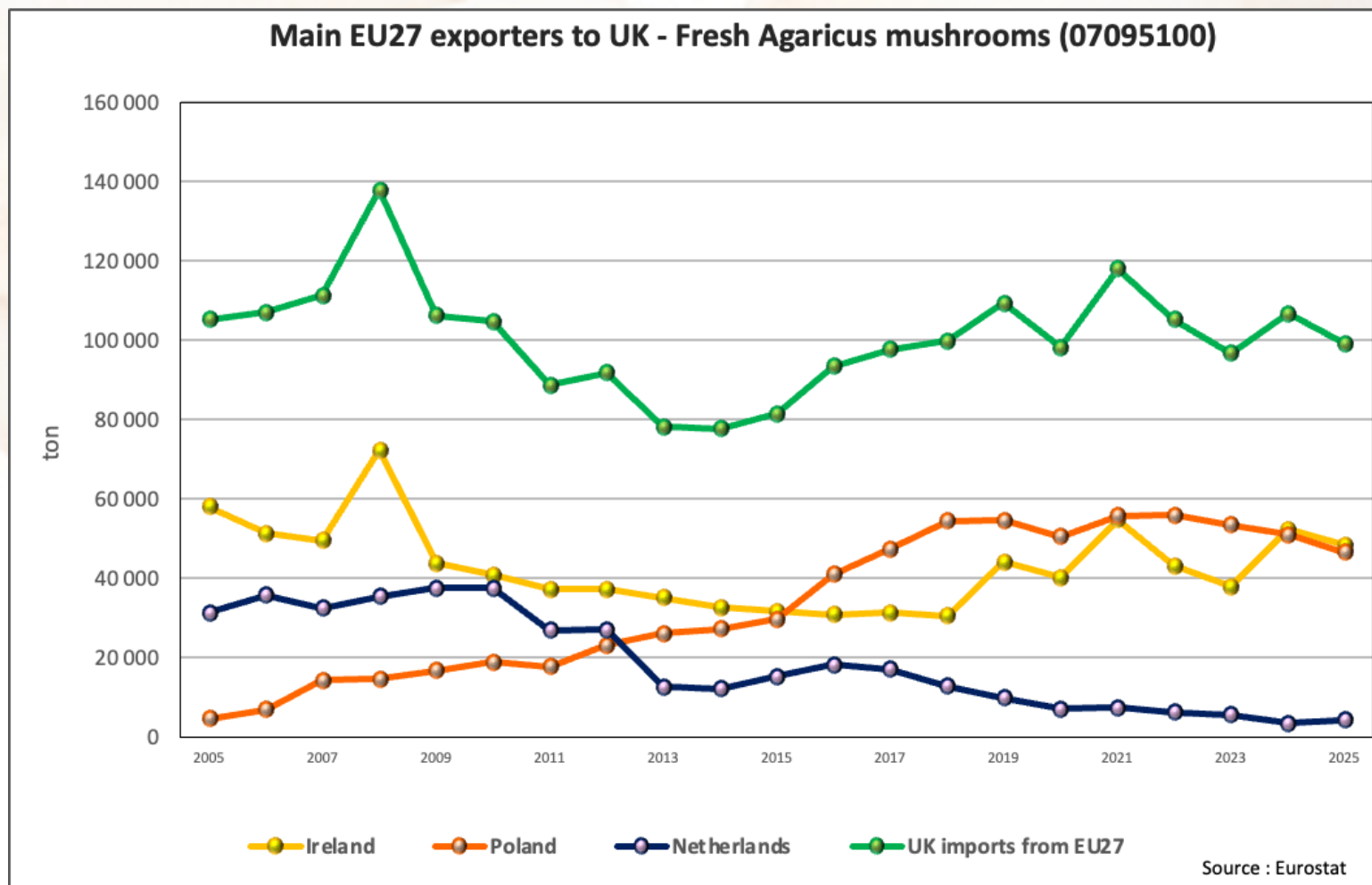
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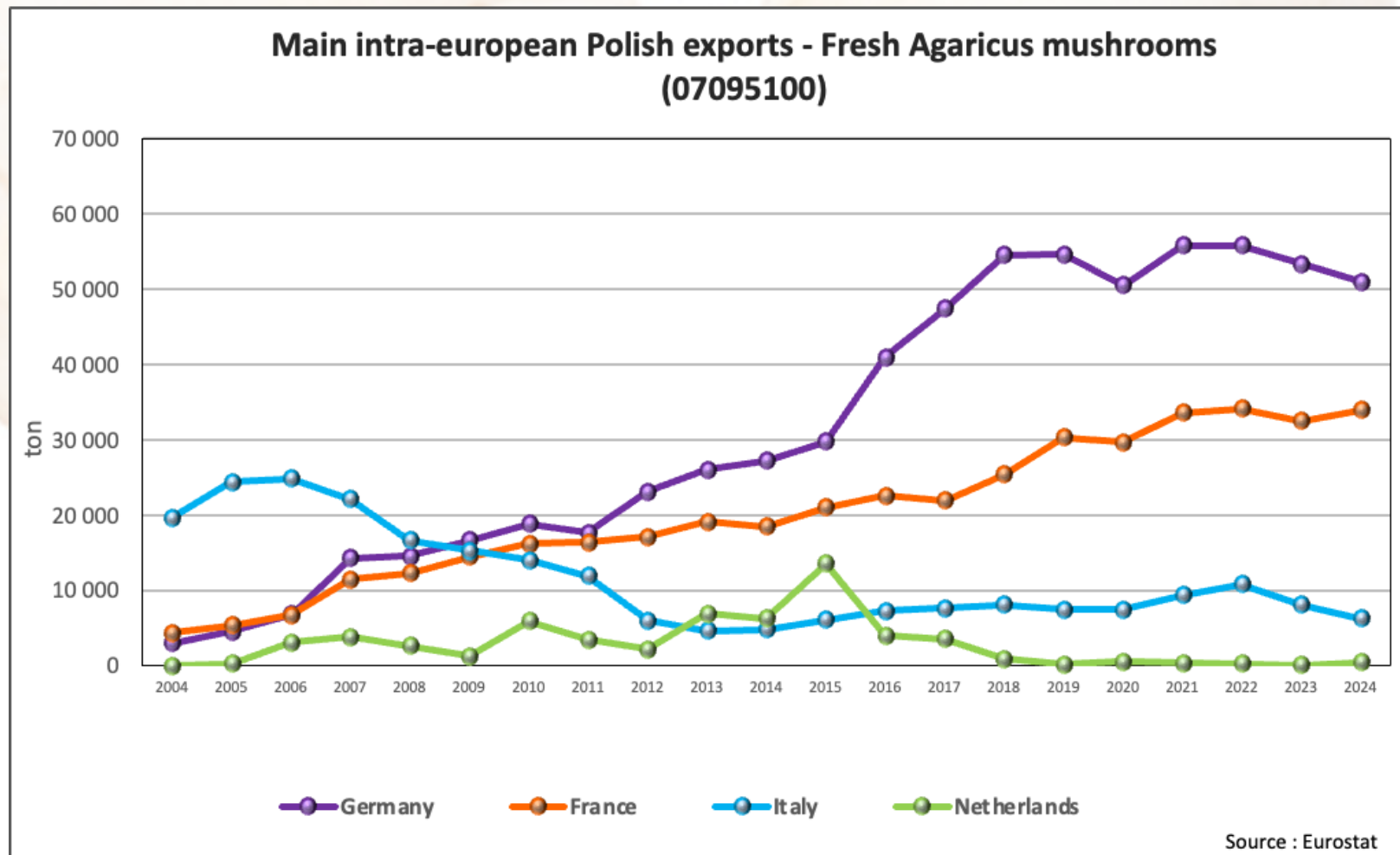
- **The UK is by far the 1st customer** of EU27 for fresh Agaricus mushrooms.
- **Russia** was a large customer of EU exports of fresh Agaricus mushrooms until the Russian ban in 2014.





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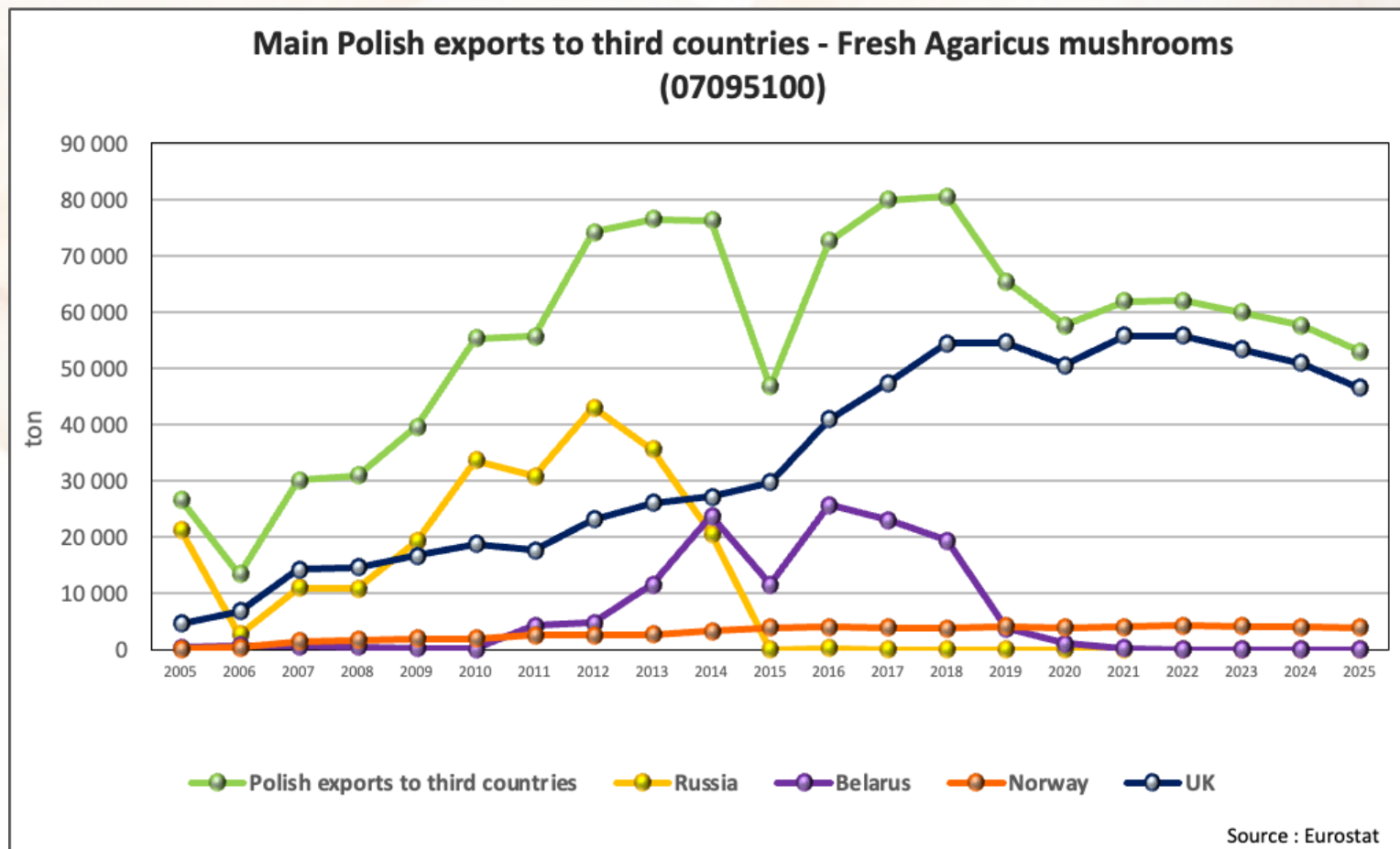
- **Polish exports** of fresh Agaricus mushrooms are mainly towards Germany, France and the Netherlands. These last years, the exported volumes by Poland seem to reach a plateau but remain at a high level.



Fresh Agaricus mushrooms



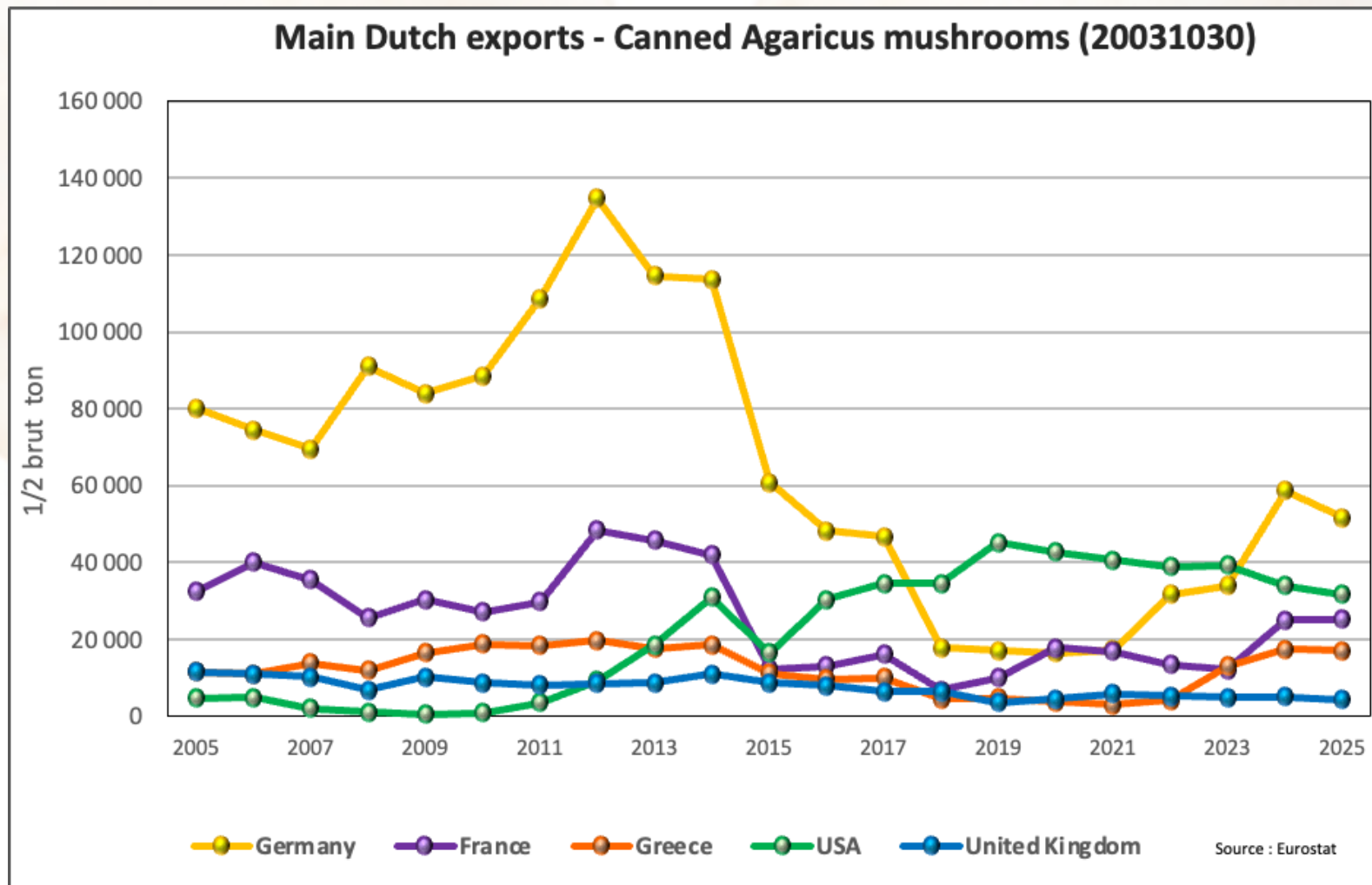
- **Polish exports to the UK** seem to reach a plateau these last years but remain high.
- Polish exports to Russia stopped since the Russian ban in 2014.



Fresh Agaricus mushrooms



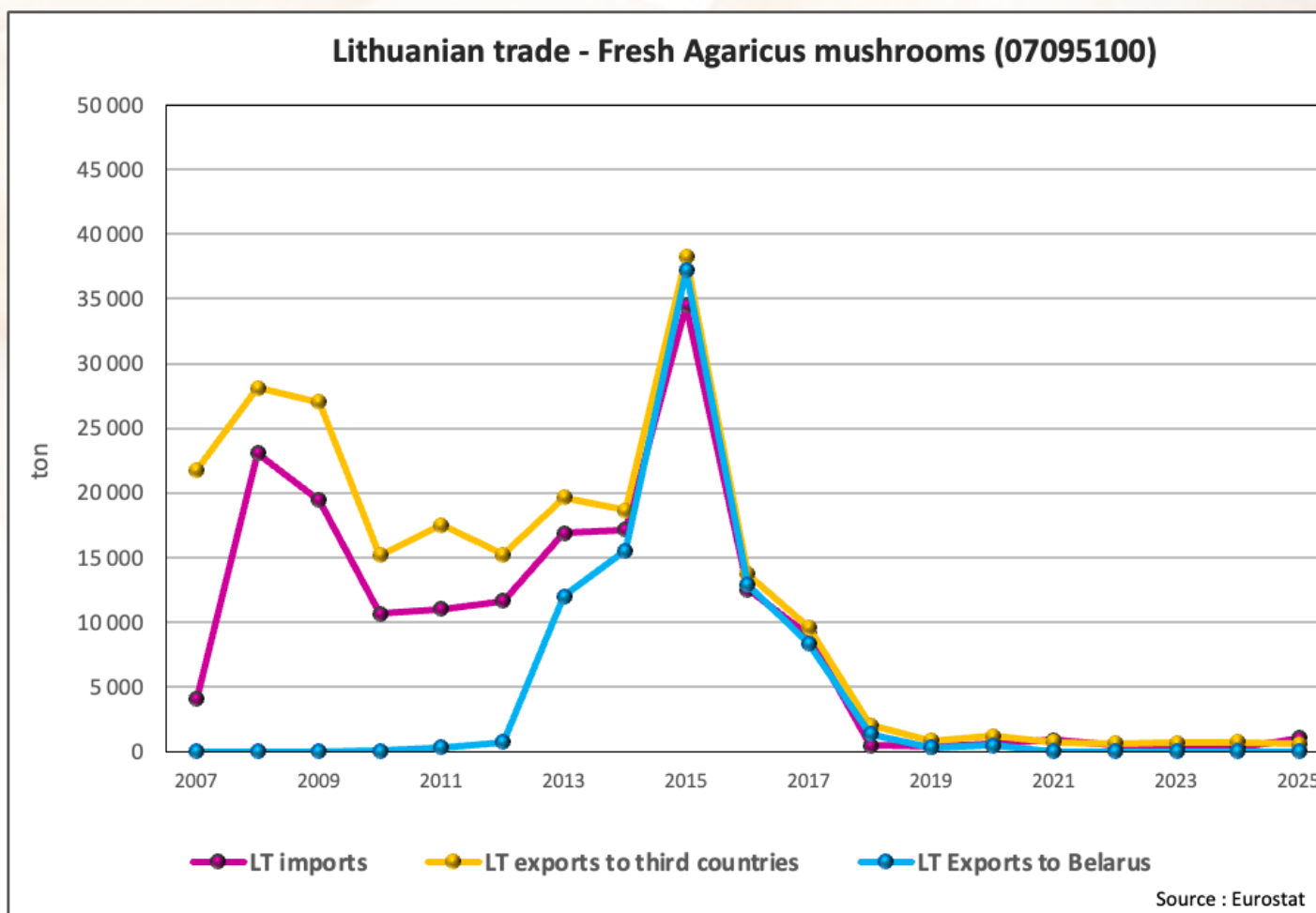
- **Dutch intra-European** exports of fresh Agaricus mushrooms tend to decrease for all main partners these last years.



Fresh Agaricus mushrooms



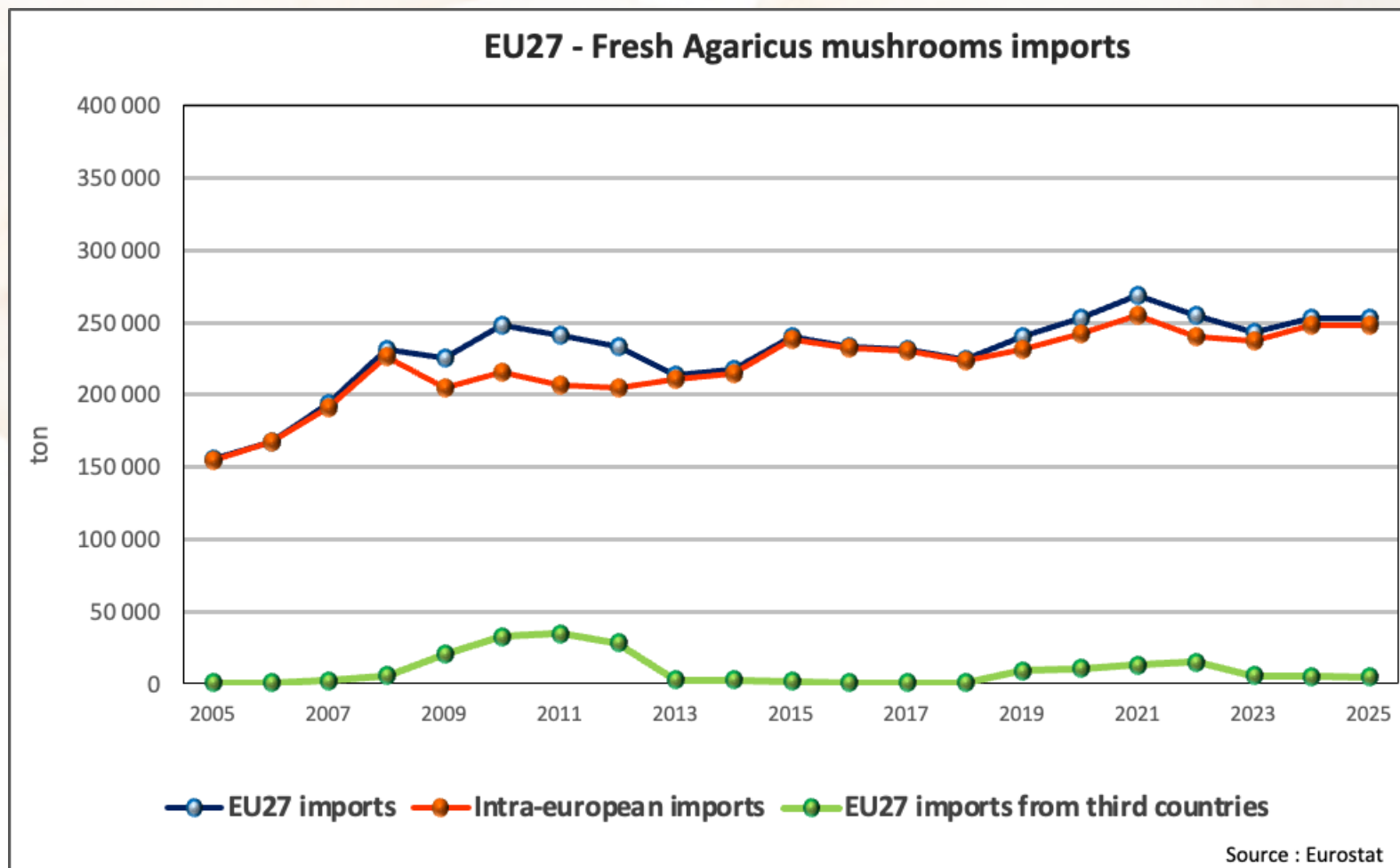
- **After the Russian ban in 2014, Lithuania** used to be a transit country for European exports of fresh Agaricus mushrooms to Belarus: Lithuanian imports of fresh mushrooms are globally at the same level as Lithuanian exports to Belarus. This situation stopped since 2018.



Fresh Agaricus mushrooms



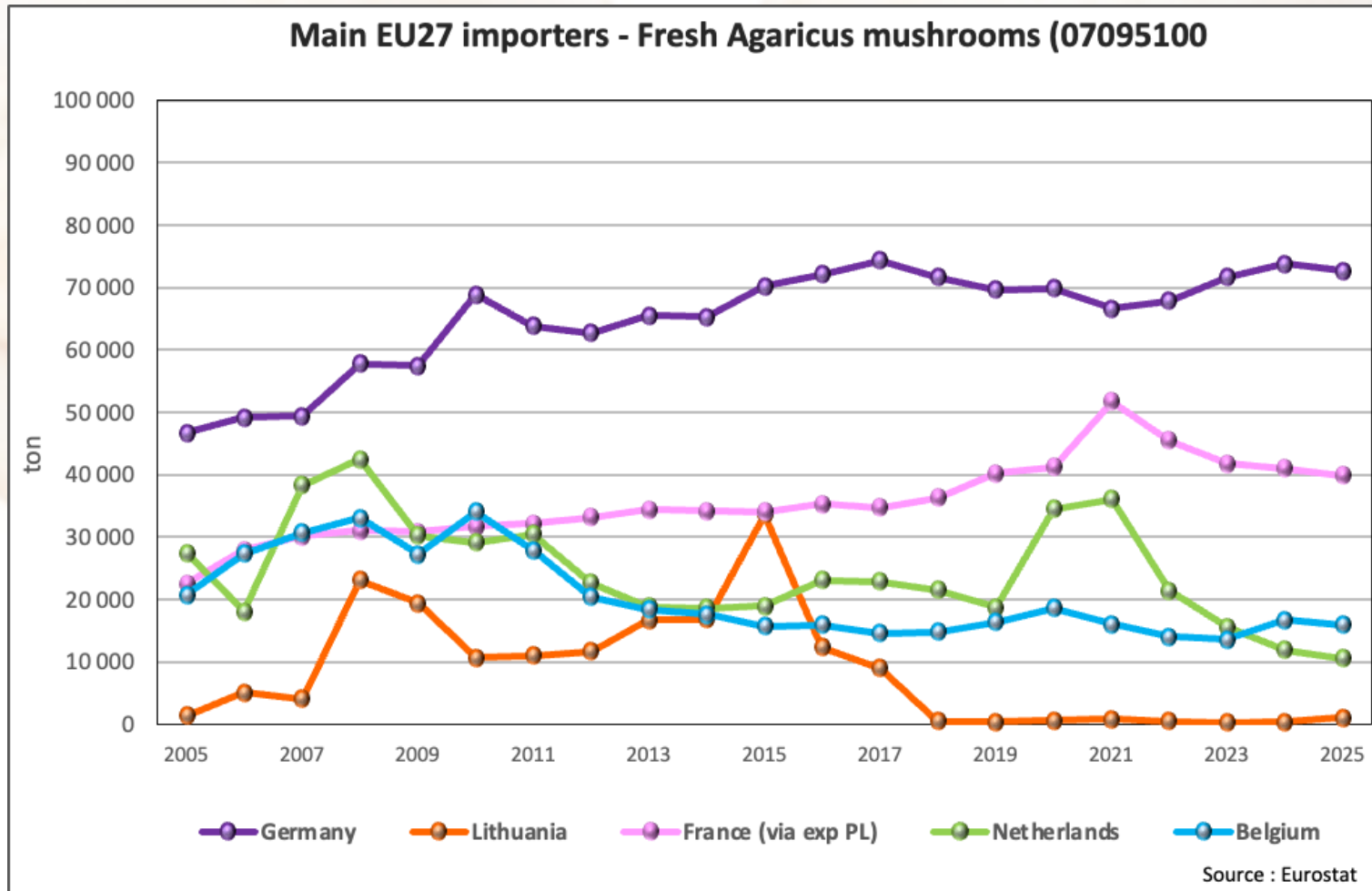
- There are very few European imports of fresh Agaricus mushrooms from third countries. The EU27 is self-sufficient for the consumption of fresh Agaricus mushrooms.



Fresh Agaricus mushrooms



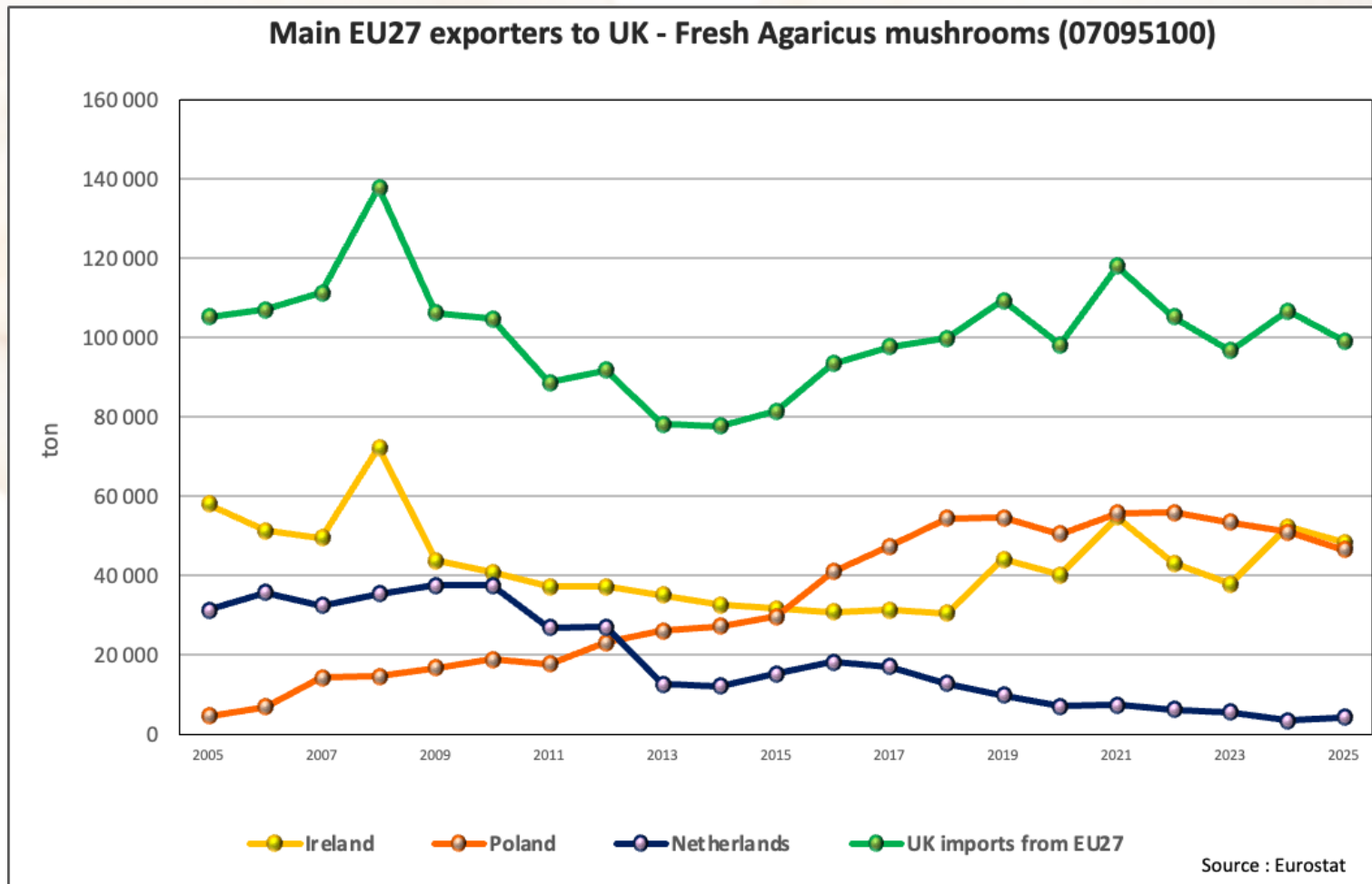
- Germany and France are the main European importers of fresh Agaricus mushrooms.



Fresh Agaricus mushrooms



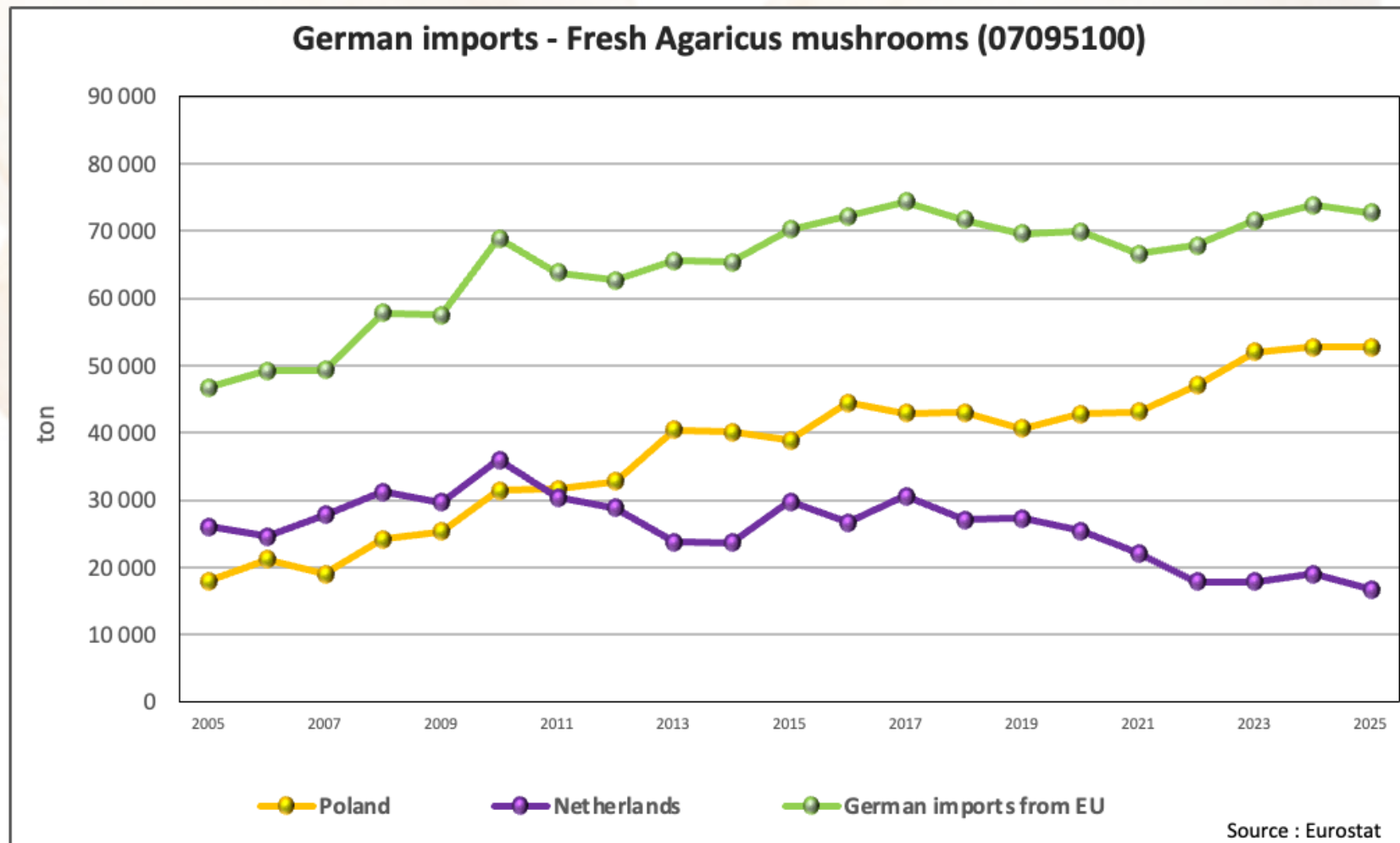
- UK is the main third country importer of EU27 fresh Agaricus mushrooms, coming essentially from Poland and Ireland.



Fresh Agaricus mushrooms



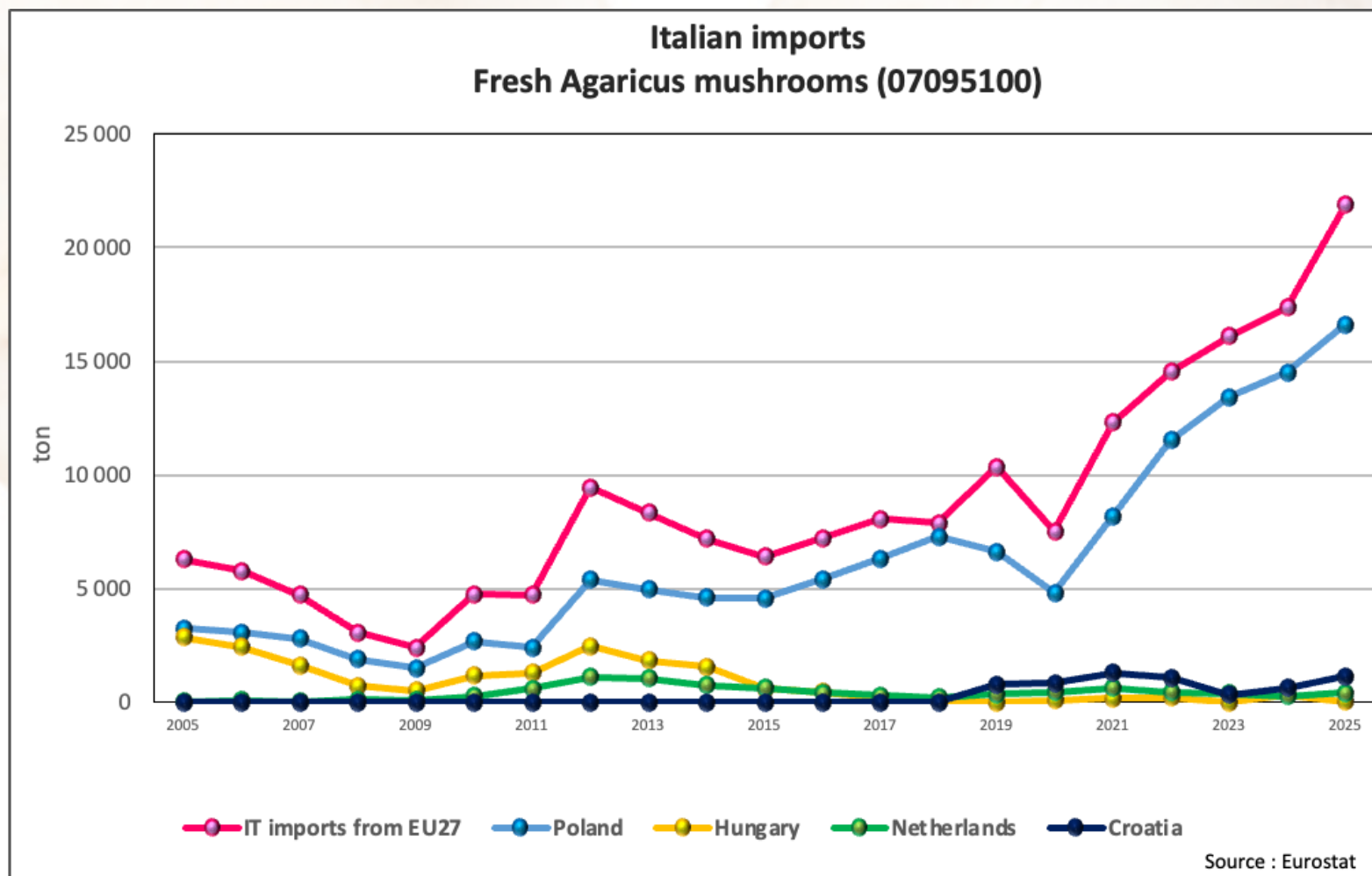
- **The majority of fresh Agaricus mushrooms imported by Germany comes from Poland.**



Fresh Agaricus mushrooms



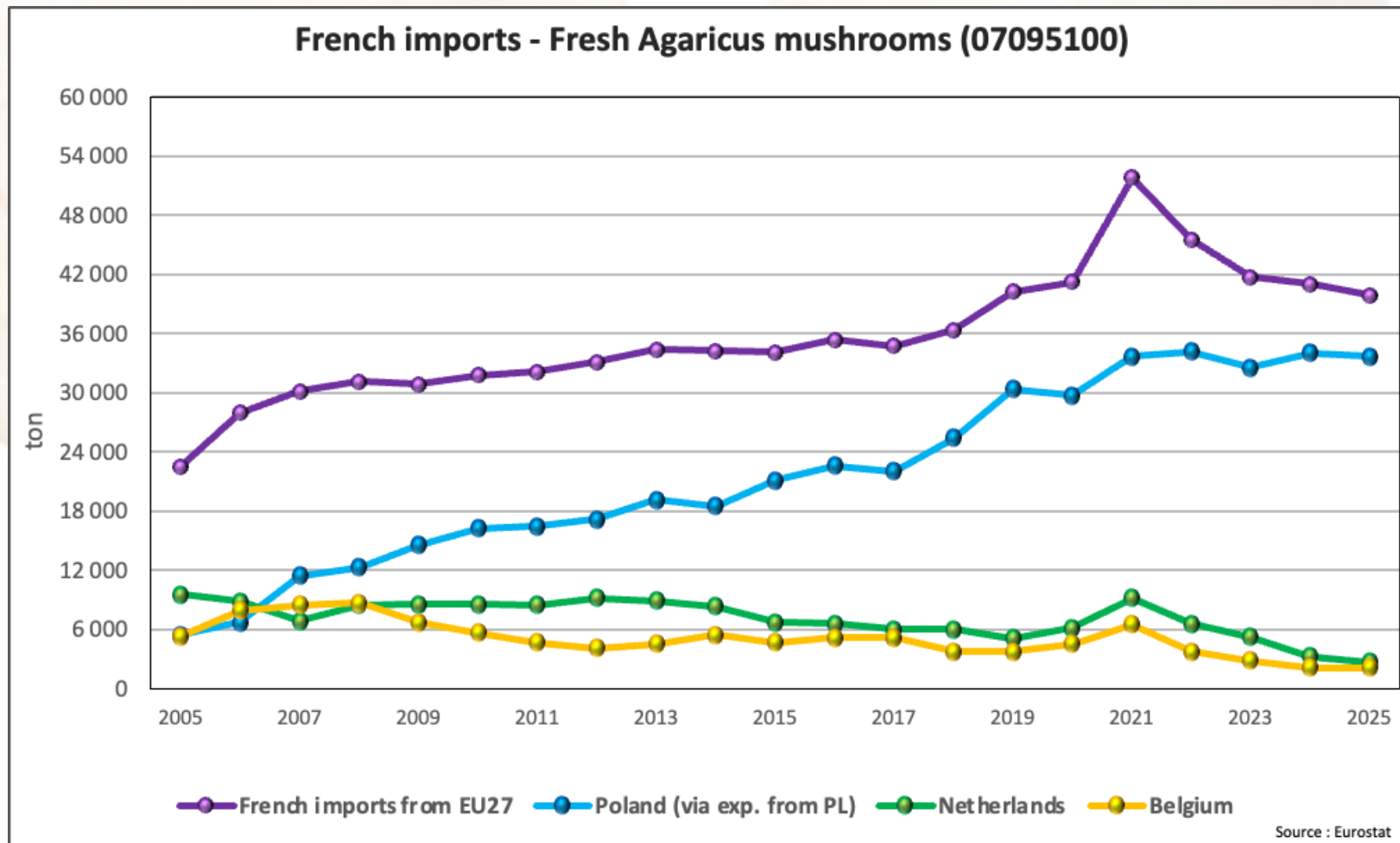
- **Italian imports** of fresh Agaricus mushrooms kept on increasing in 2025. They mainly came from Poland.



Fresh Agaricus mushrooms



- **French imports** of fresh Agaricus mushrooms tend to decrease these last years yet remaining at a high level. Poland is by far the main supplier.





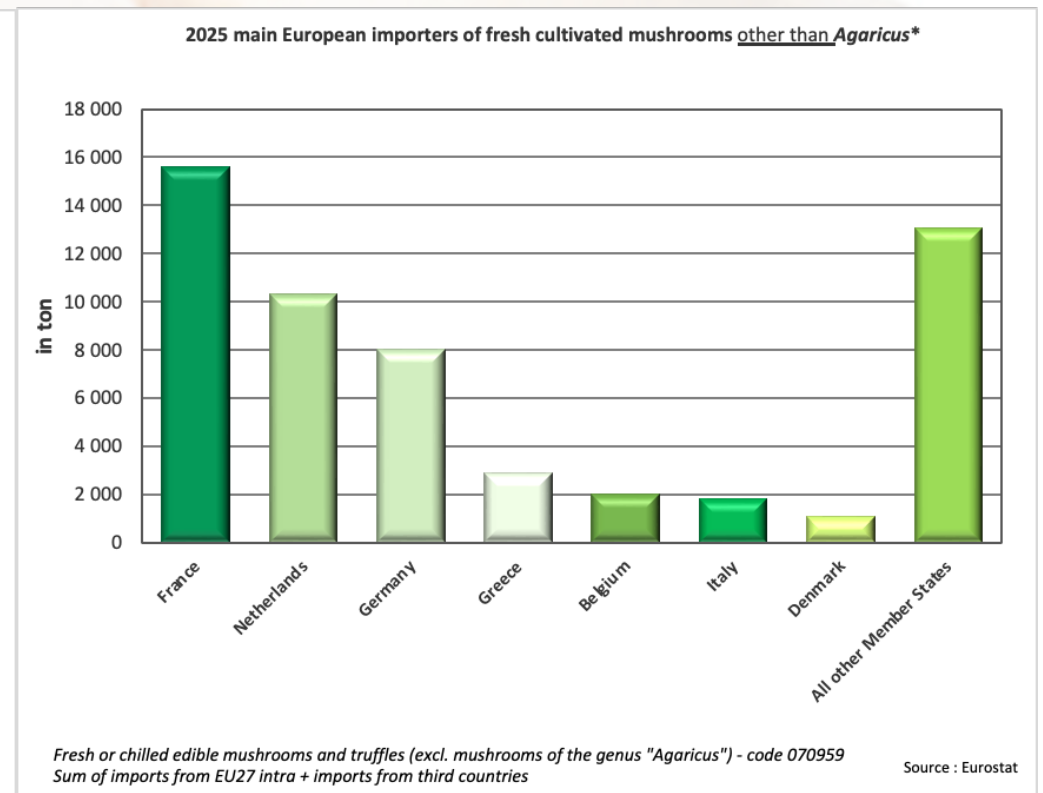
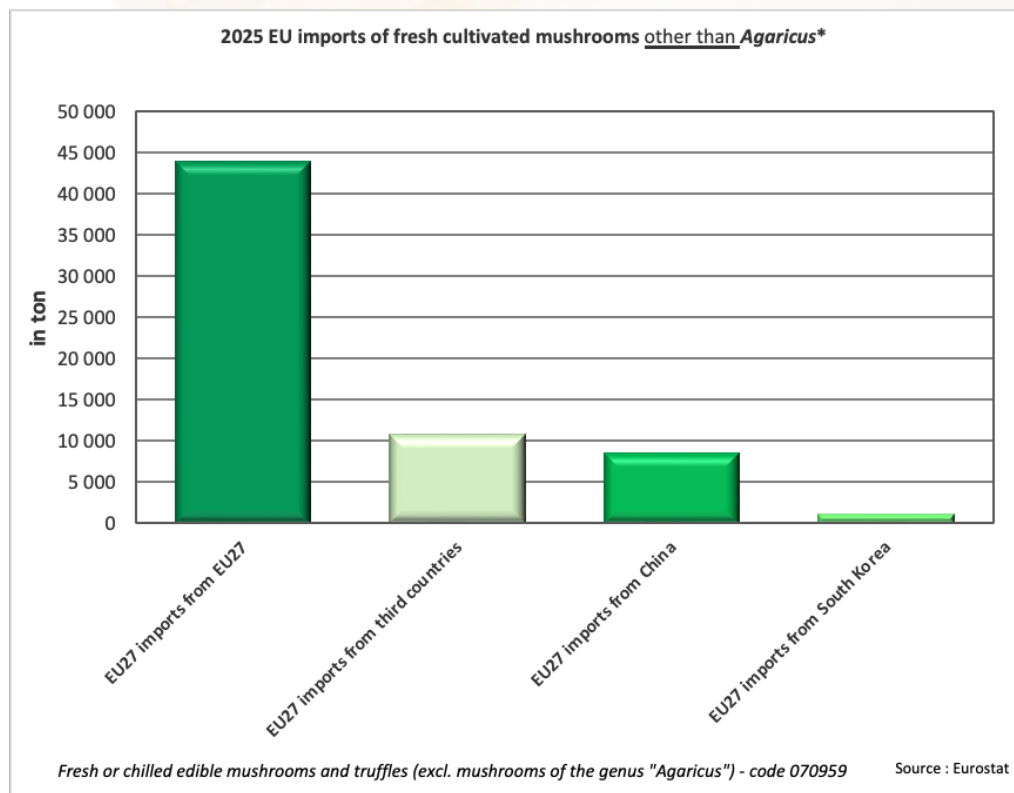
Fresh mushrooms other than Agaricus

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EU imports of fresh mushrooms other than Agaricus

- **EU27 imports** of fresh mushrooms other than Agaricus (Eurostat code 070959) are essentially intra-European. The volumes imported from third countries come mainly from China.





Mushroom spawn

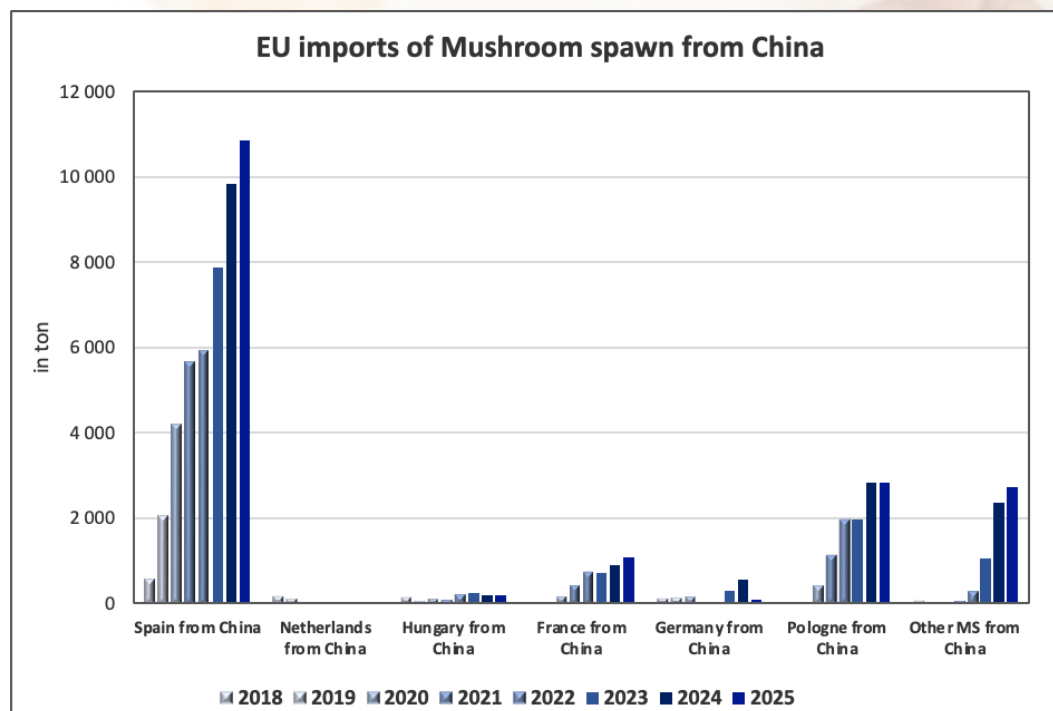
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EU imports of mushroom spawn from China



- **EU27 imports** of mushroom spawn from China kept on developing. They are mainly imported by Spain.

<i>Imports of mushroom spawn in ton</i>	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Intra-European EU27 imports	480 004	452 696	356 447	371 589	369 034	247 271	255 894	242 993	273 870
EU27 imports from third countries	5 863	6 199	8 582	10 229	13 038	16 602	21 202	23 266	25 457
EU27 imports from China	564	1 201	2 564	5 190	7 552	9 308	12 153	16 692	17 762



What is the mushroom spawn Eurostat code 06029010?

Mushroom spawn is the term given to a net of fragile threads (*Thallus* or *Mycelium*), often found underground, which lives and grows on the surface of decomposing animal or vegetable matter and develops in the tissues themselves and produces mushrooms.

Mushroom spawn bred for commercial purposes is sold in the form of squares, comprising fragments of half-decomposed straw on which are deposited layers of mycelium.

This subheading also includes a product consisting of mushroom spawn, not fully developed, placed in microscopic amounts on a layer of cereal grains enclosed in a compost of sterilised horse manure (a mixture of straw and horse dung).



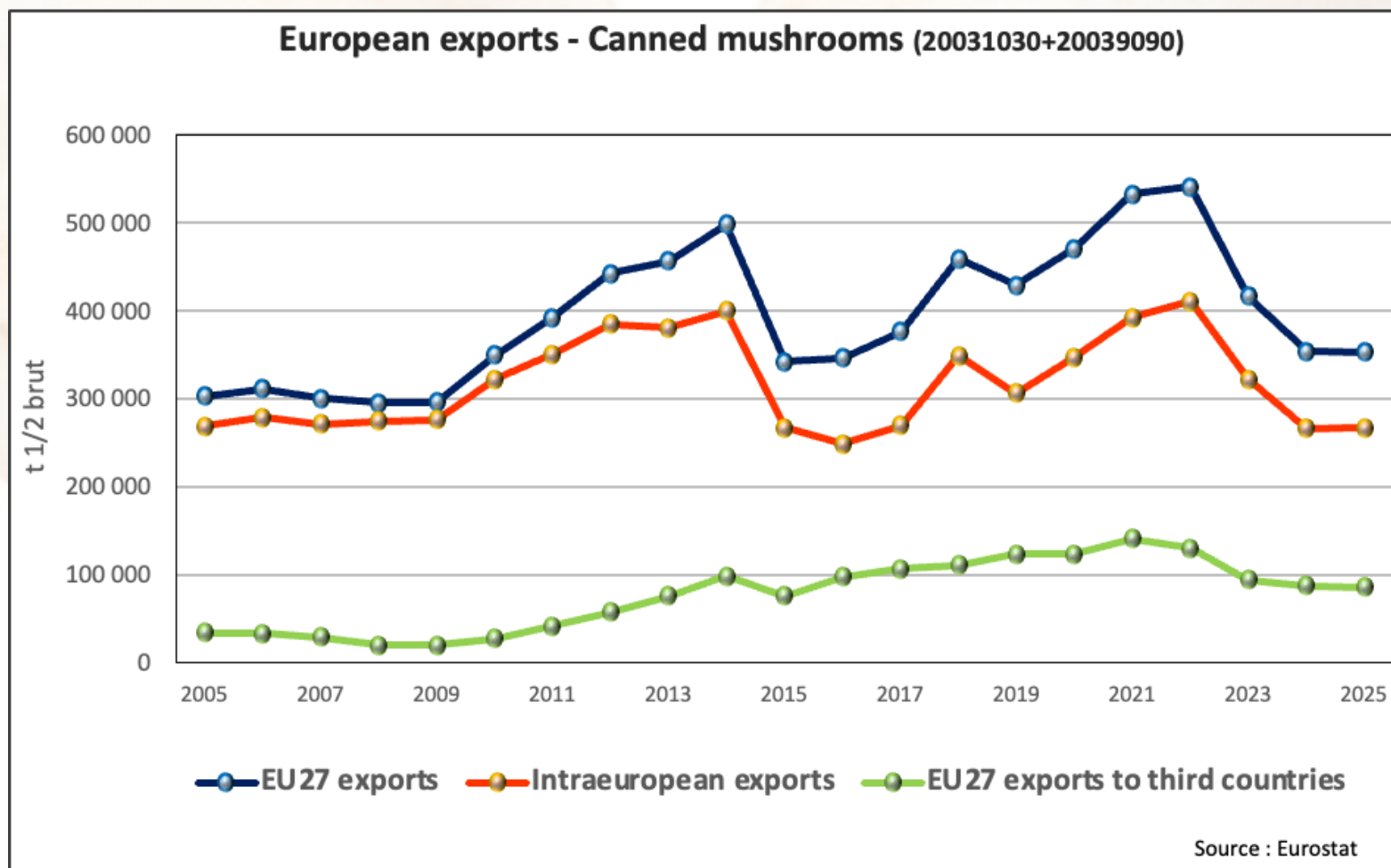
Canned mushrooms

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Canned mushrooms



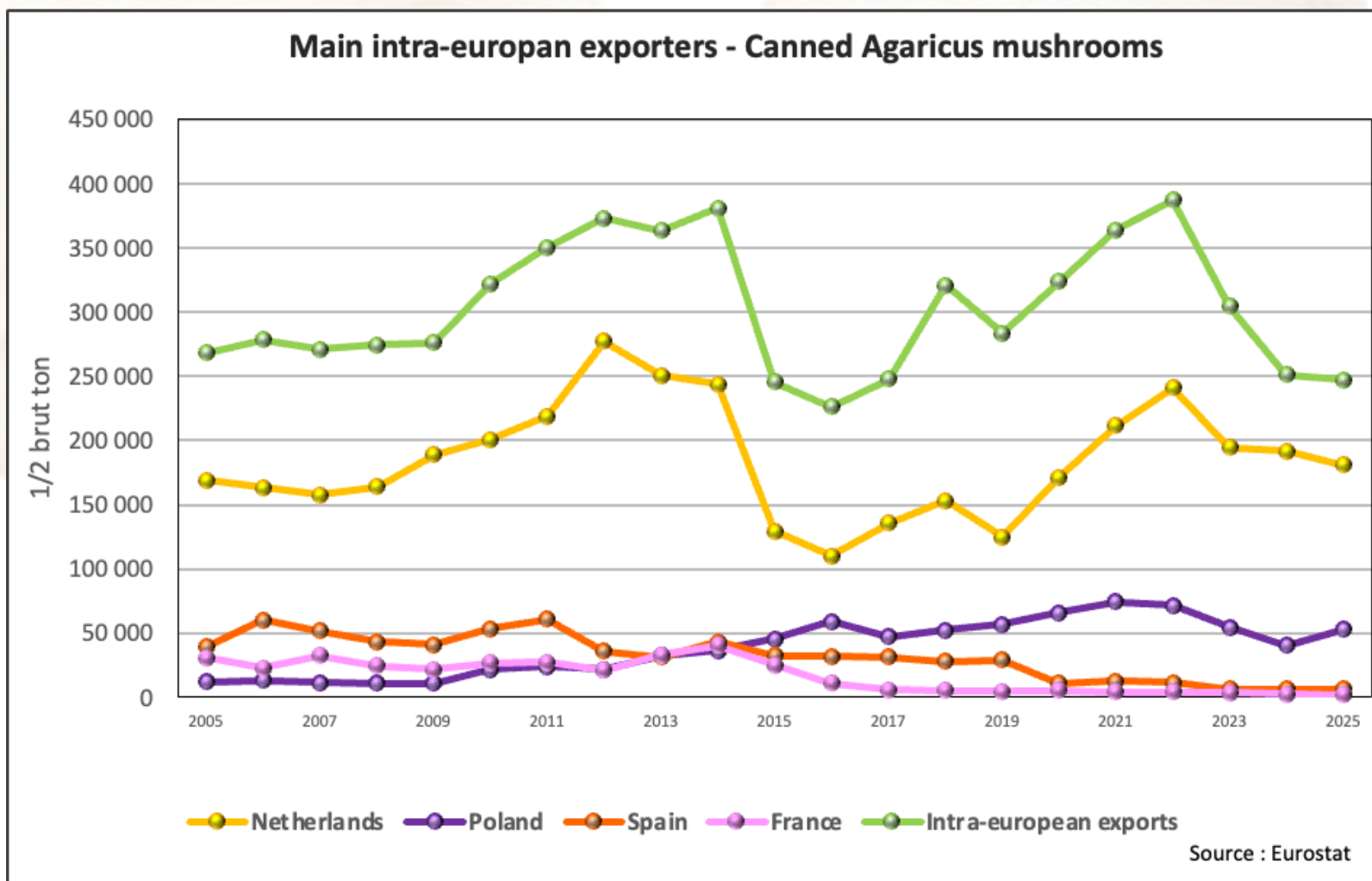
- **EU27 exports** of canned mushrooms are mainly intra-European.
- **EU27 exports to third countries were stable in 2025** compared to 2024.



Canned mushrooms



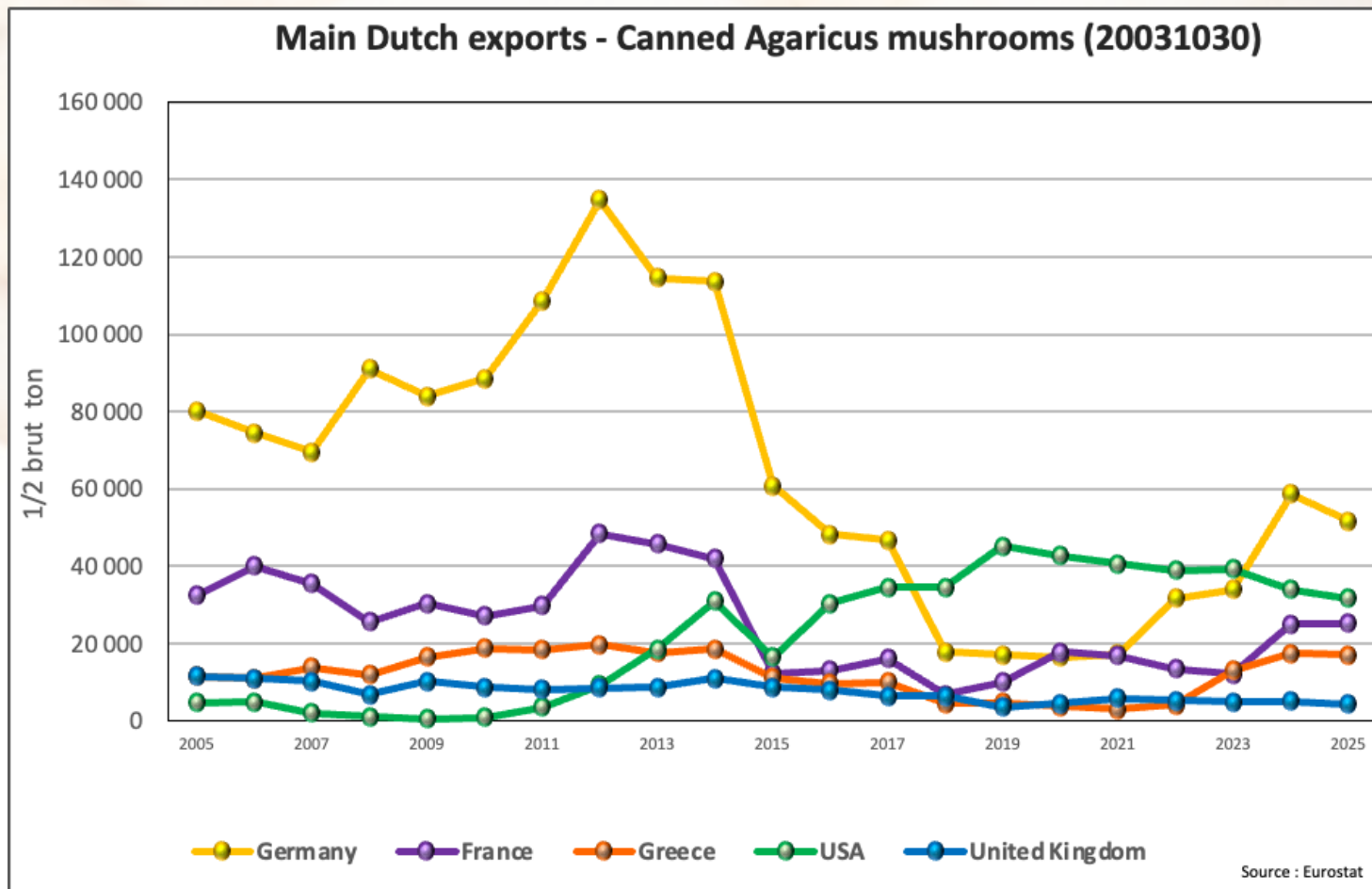
- **The Netherlands is by far the 1st exporter** of canned Agaricus mushrooms to EU27 countries, ahead of Poland, Spain and France.



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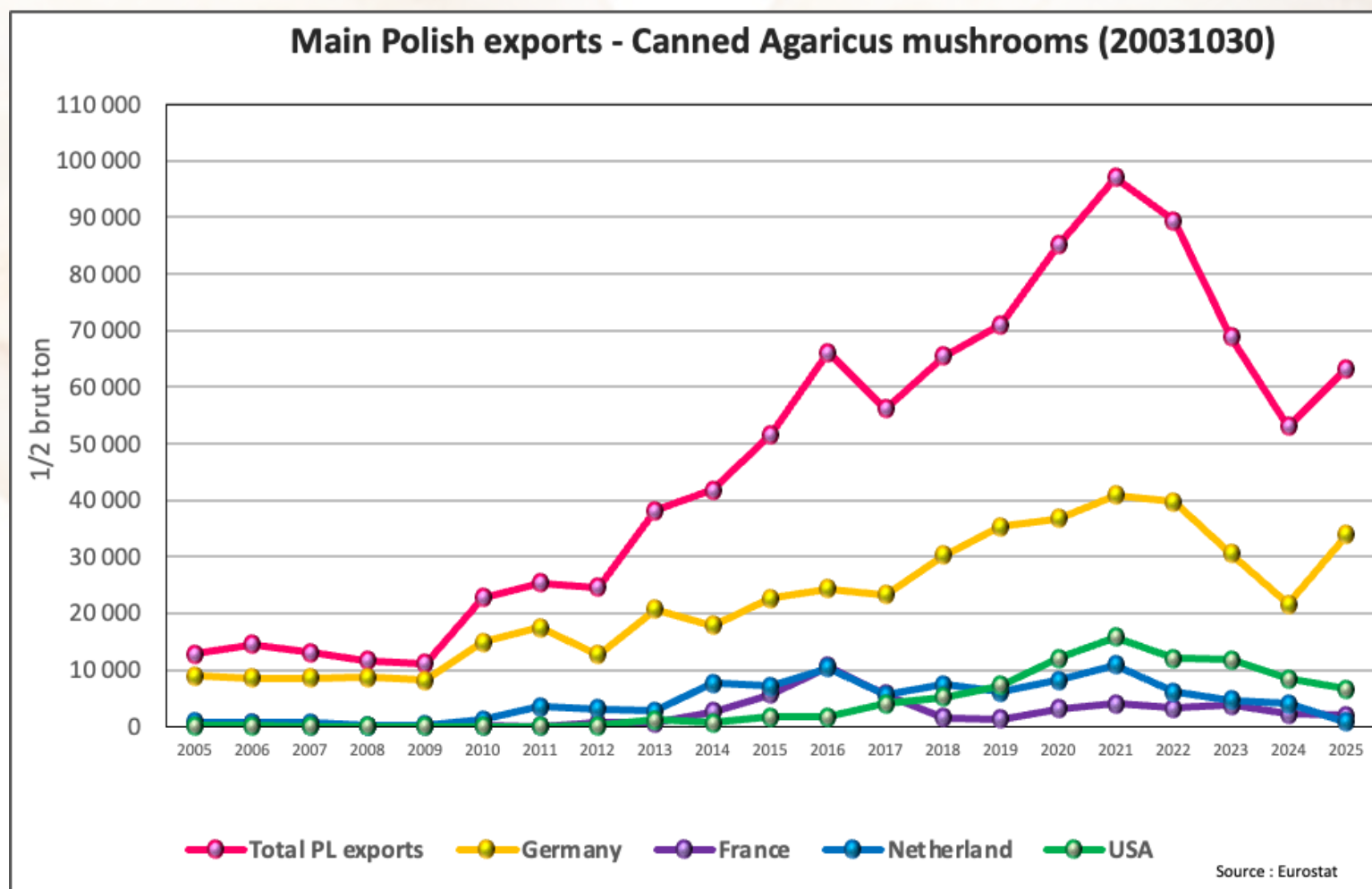
- **Total Dutch exports** of canned Agaricus mushrooms tend to decrease these last years.
- Germany remains the 1st customer of Dutch exports after the USA put antidumping taxes on EU canned Agaricus mushrooms in 2022.



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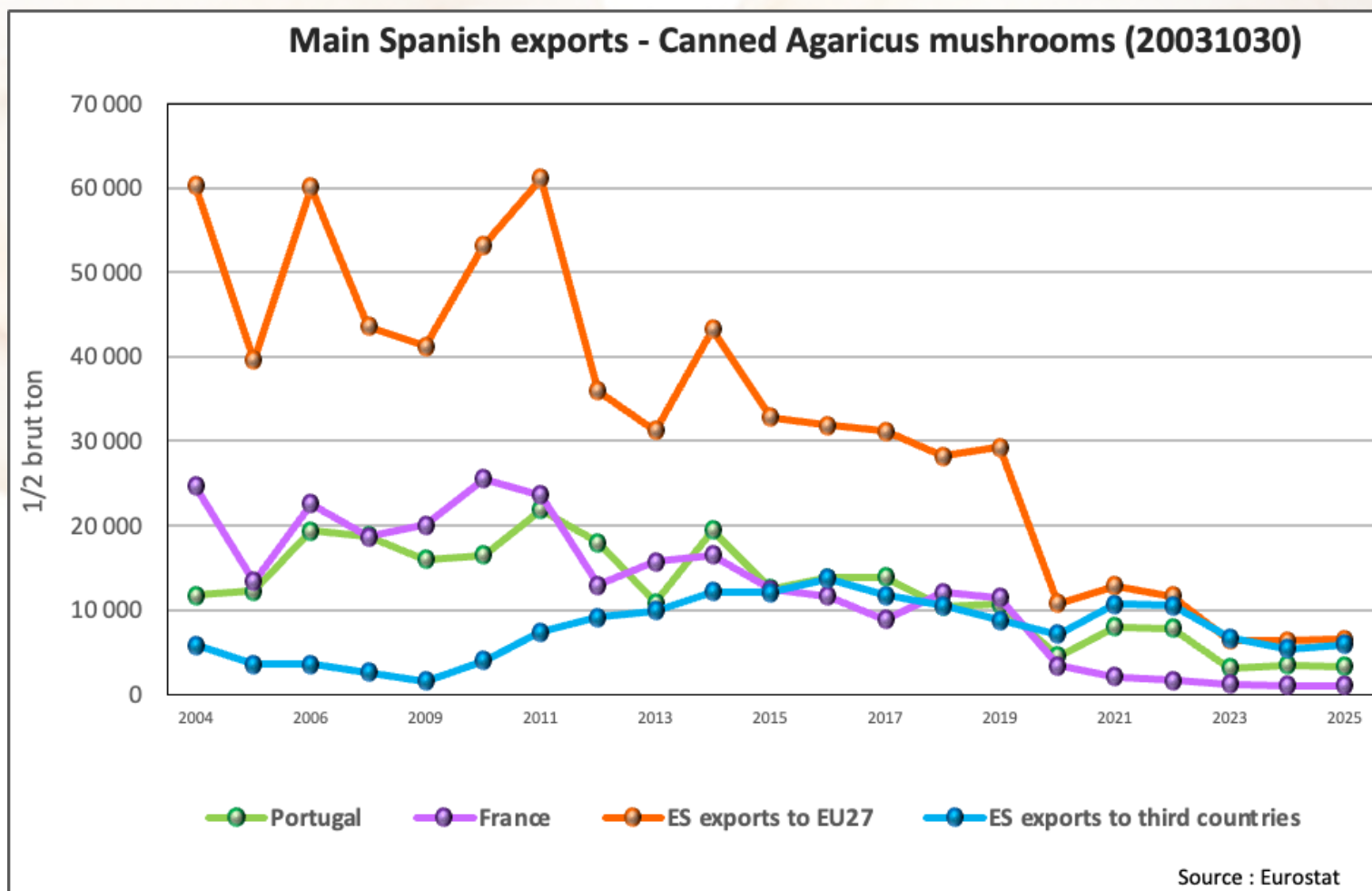
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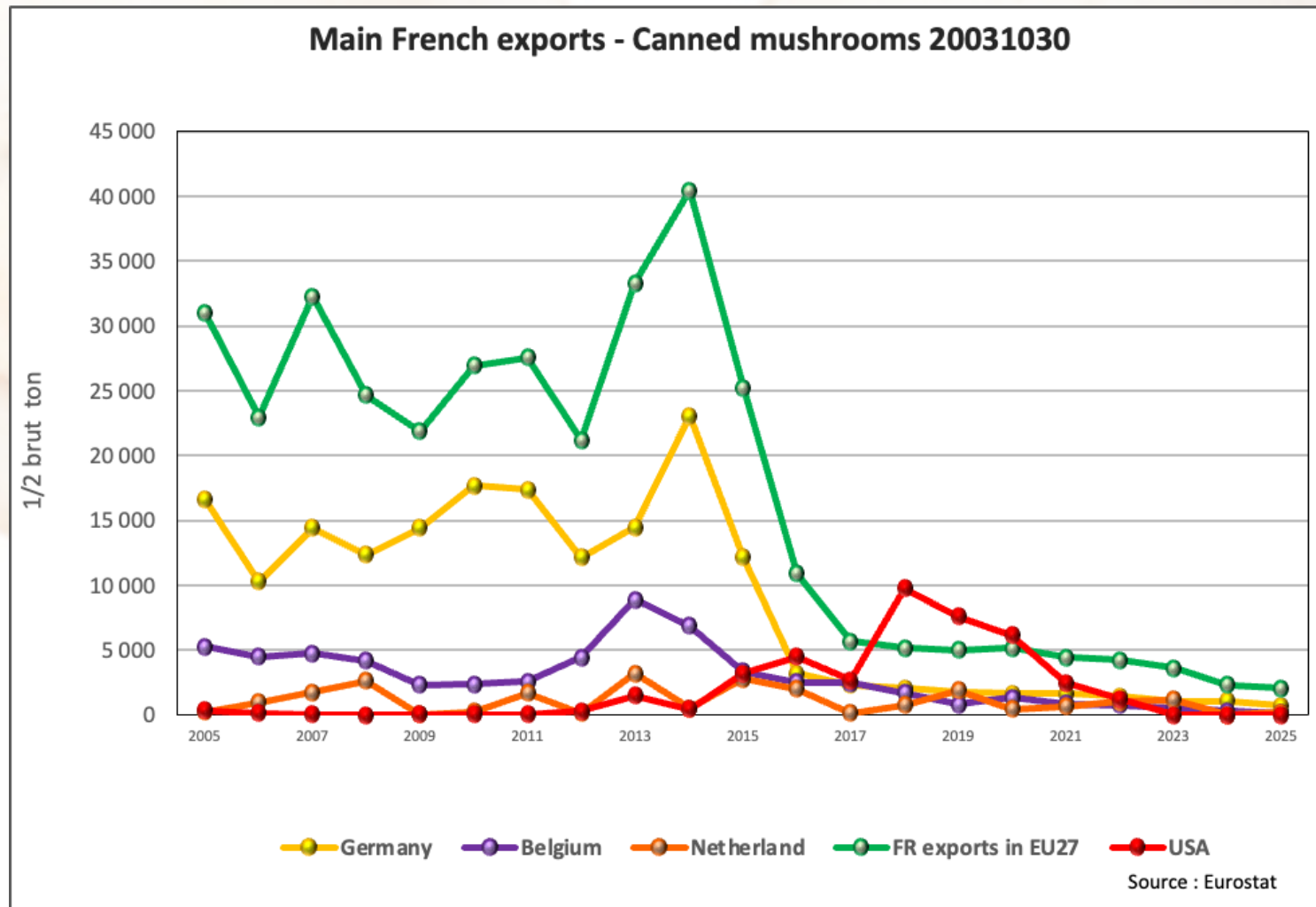
- **Spanish exports** of canned Agaricus mushrooms to EU27 countries and third countries tend to decrease since 2021. Portugal, USA and France are its main customers.



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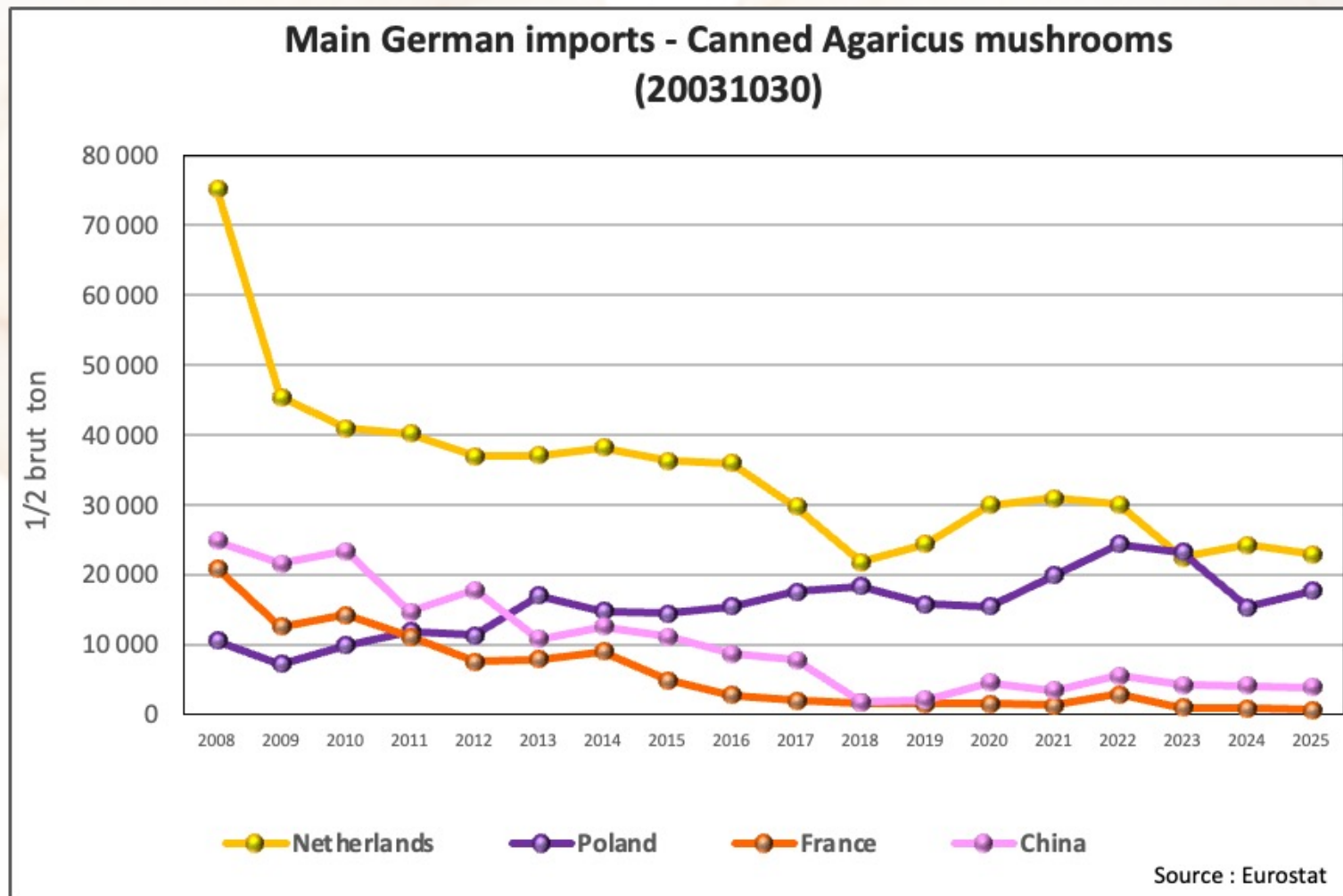
- **Total French exports** of canned Agaricus mushrooms tend to decrease these last years with no more volumes exported to the USA.



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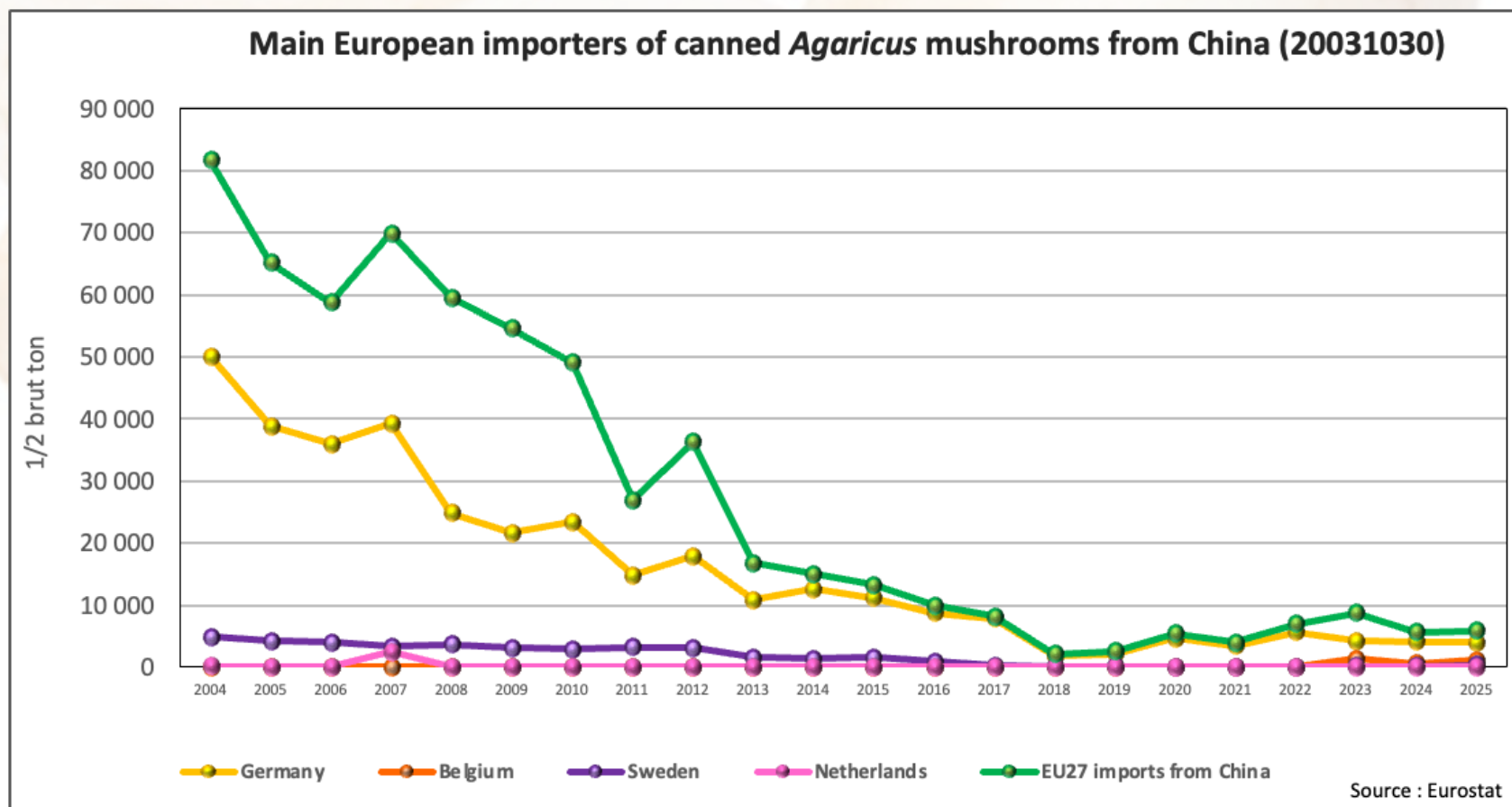
- **German is the 1st importer** of canned Agaricus mushrooms in the EU27. The German imports were globally stable in 2025 compared to the previous year.



Canned mushrooms



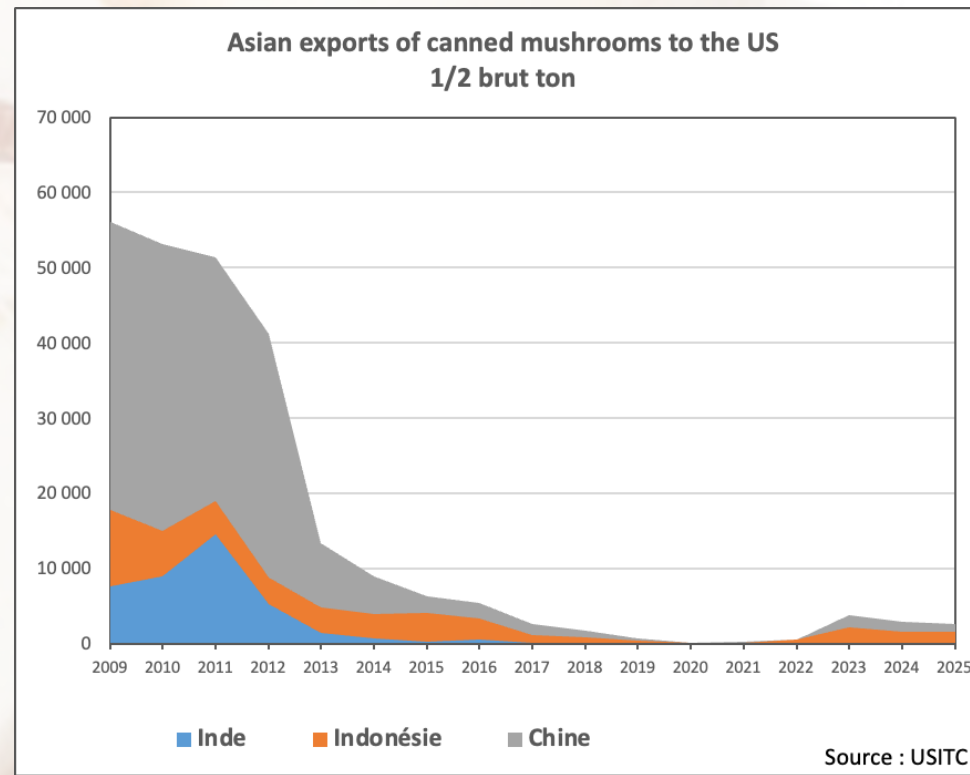
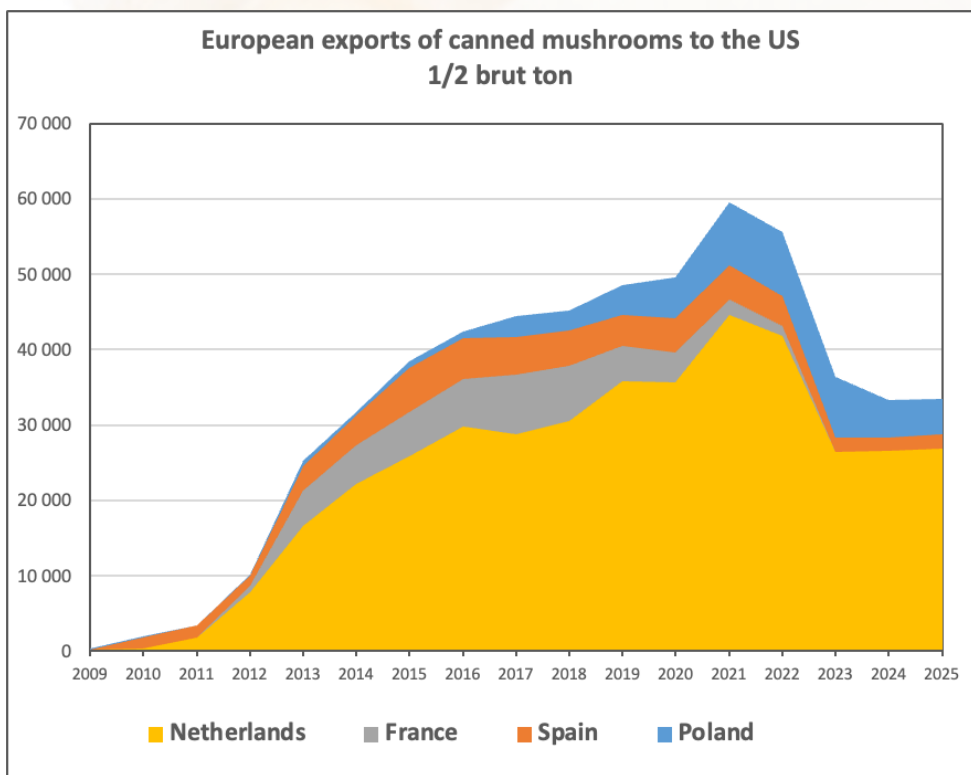
- **EU27 imports** of canned *Agaricus* mushrooms **from China** stopped from decreasing since 2018 and remain at a low level with Germany as 1st importer.



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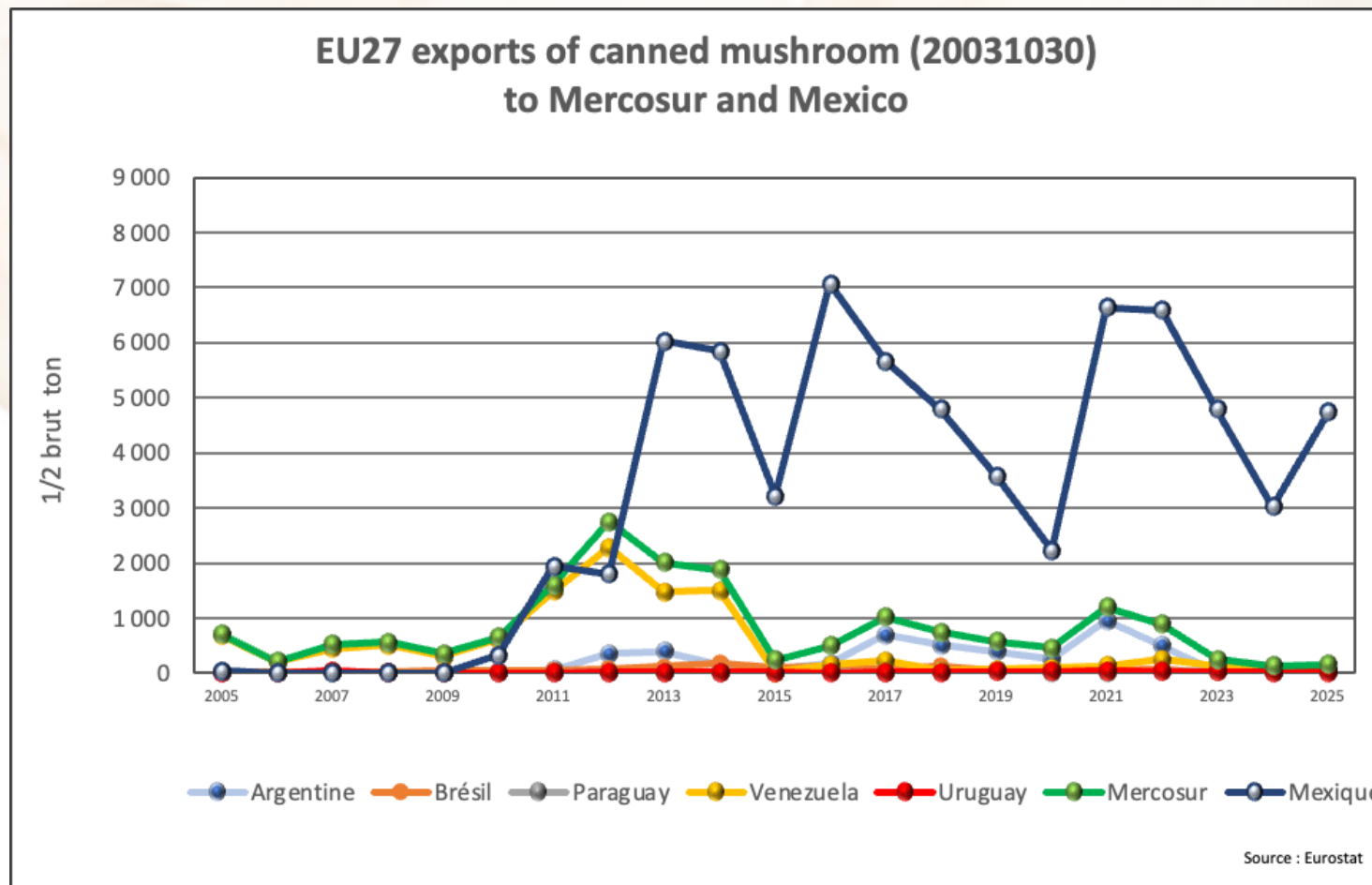
- **EU27 exports** of canned mushrooms to the USA dropped since 2022 mainly due to extra duty imports applied by the USA whereas the exports of the Asian countries to the USA kept on decreasing.





Canned mushrooms

- In 2025, EU27 exports of canned mushrooms to Mexico and Mercosur countries decreased and represent low volumes.



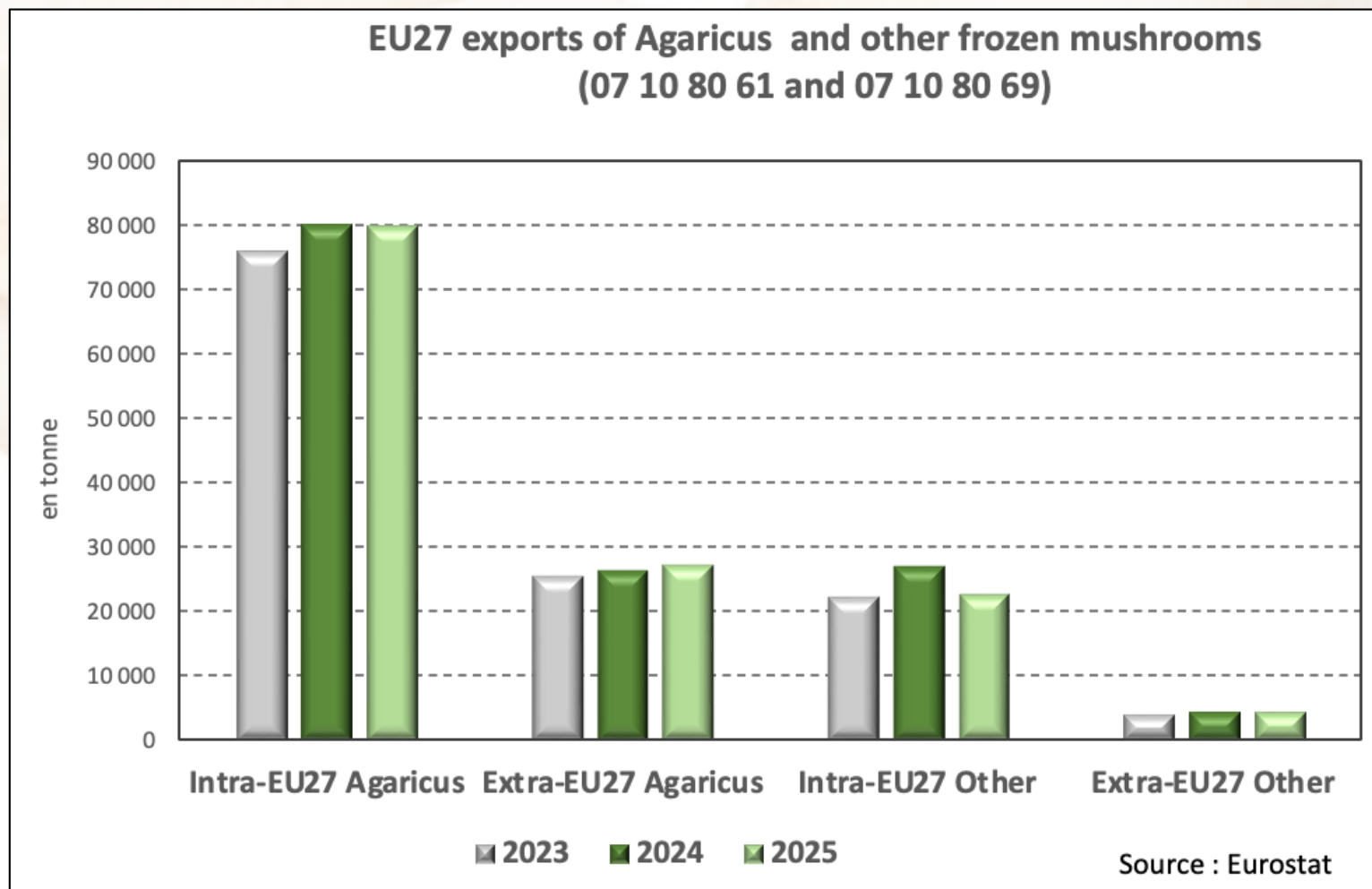


Frozen mushrooms

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EU exports of frozen mushrooms

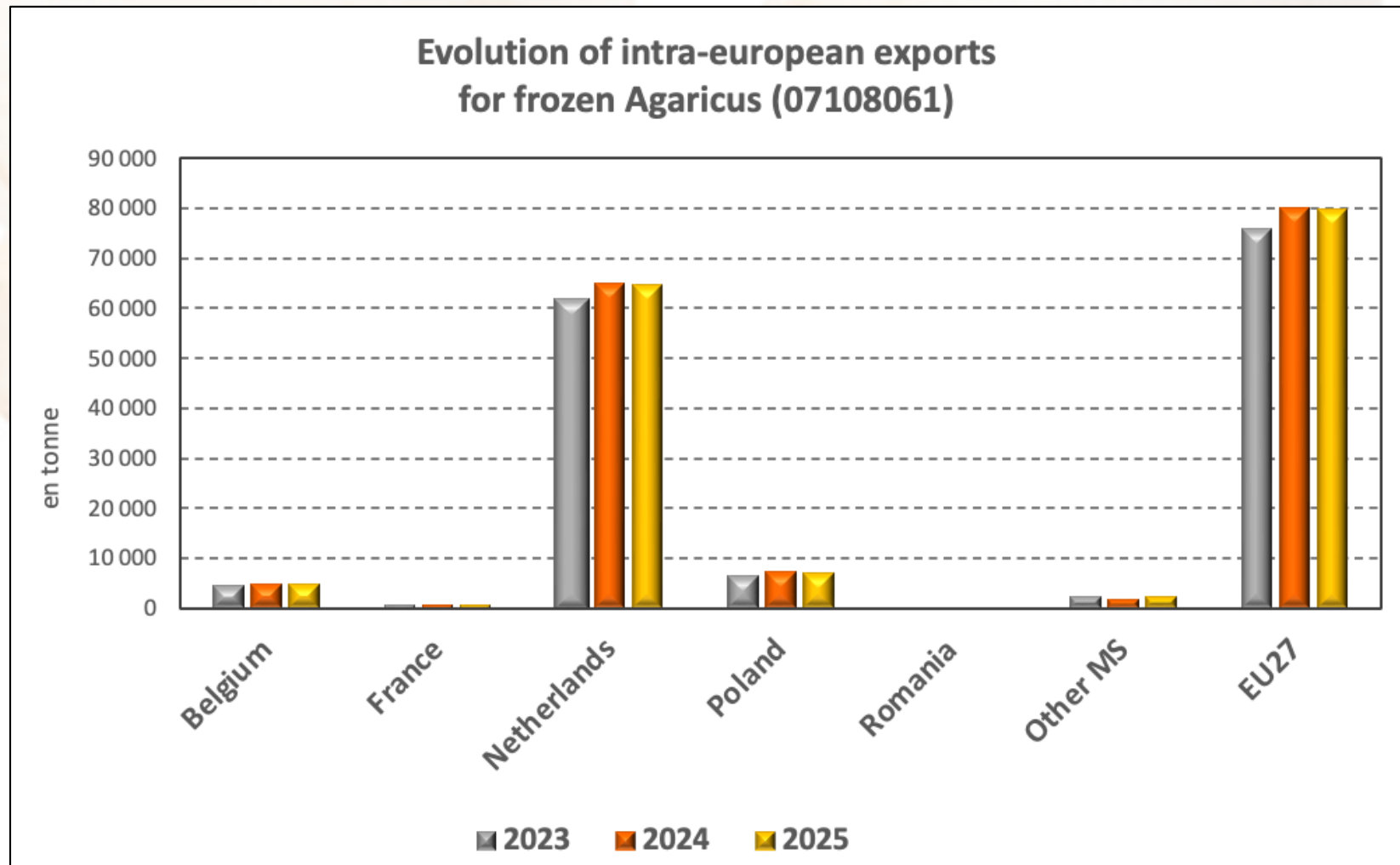
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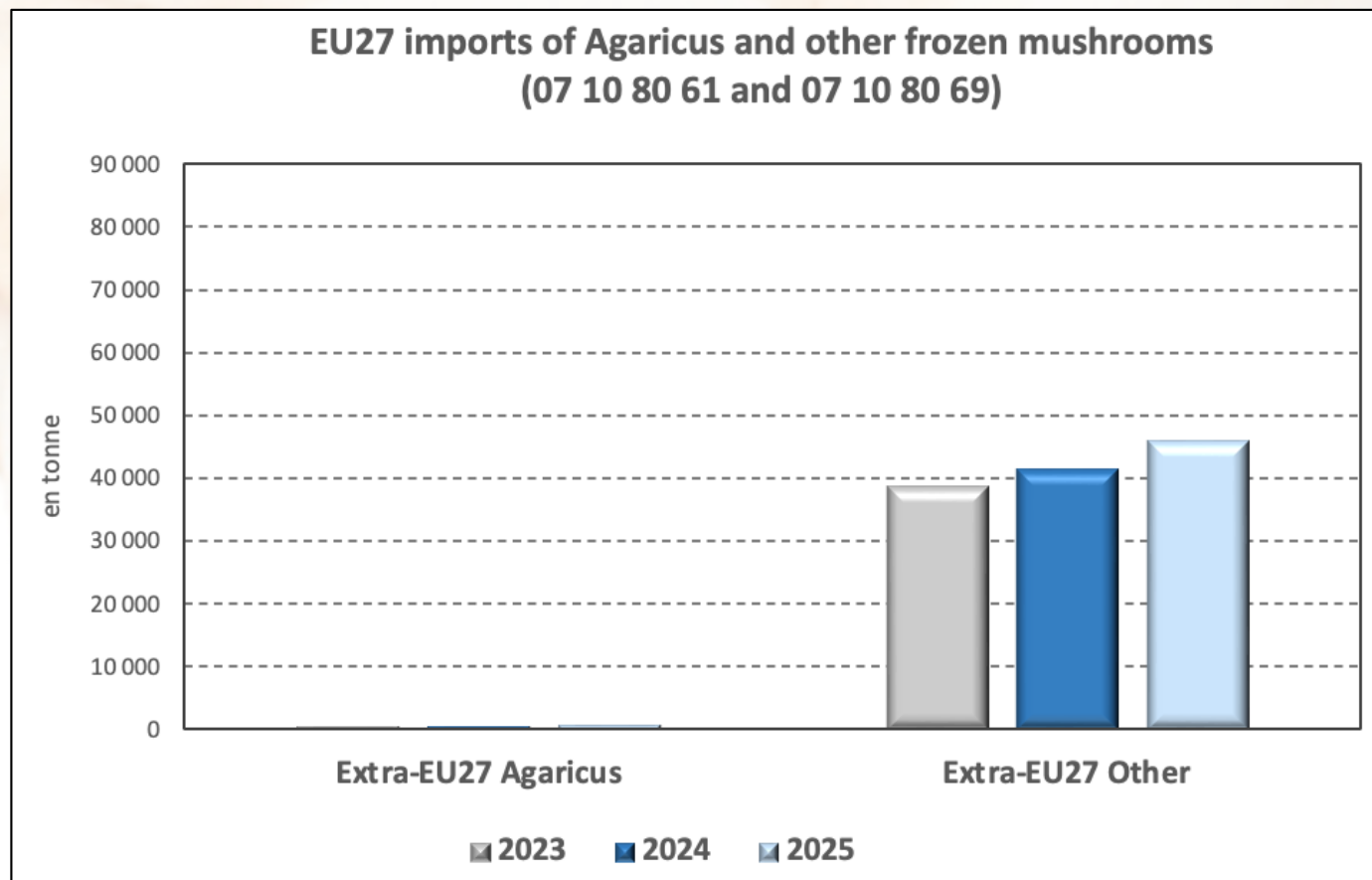
- The Netherlands is by far the 1st exporter of frozen Agaricus in the EU27.





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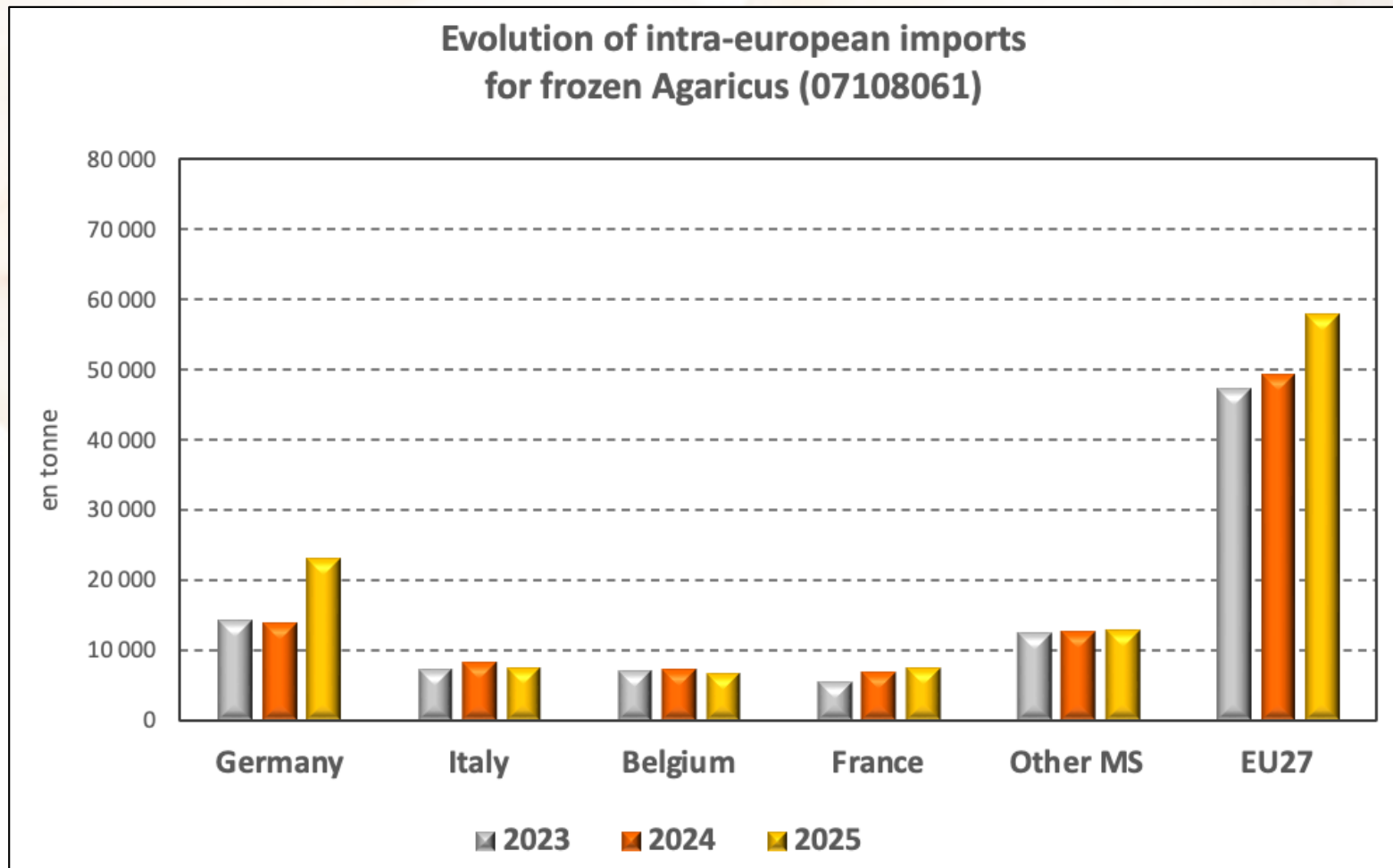
- EU27 imports of frozen Agaricus from third countries are insignificant.
- EU27 imports of frozen mushrooms other than Agaricus are essentially **provided by China**.





EU imports of frozen mushrooms

- The 4 main importers of frozen *Agaricus* in the EU27 **Germany/Italy/France/Belgium** represented 78 % of the total intra-European imports in 2025.





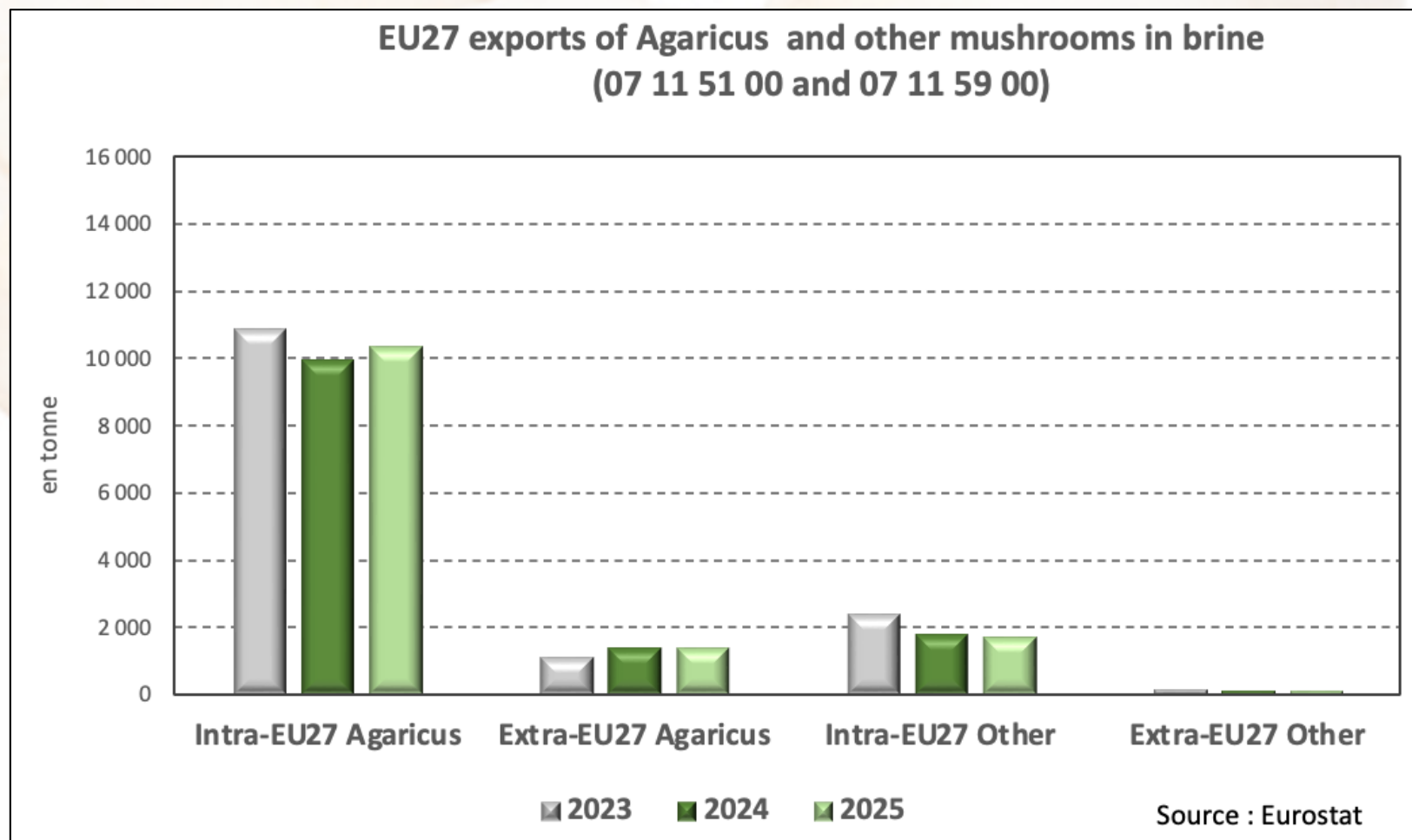
Mushrooms in brine

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EU exports of mushrooms in brine

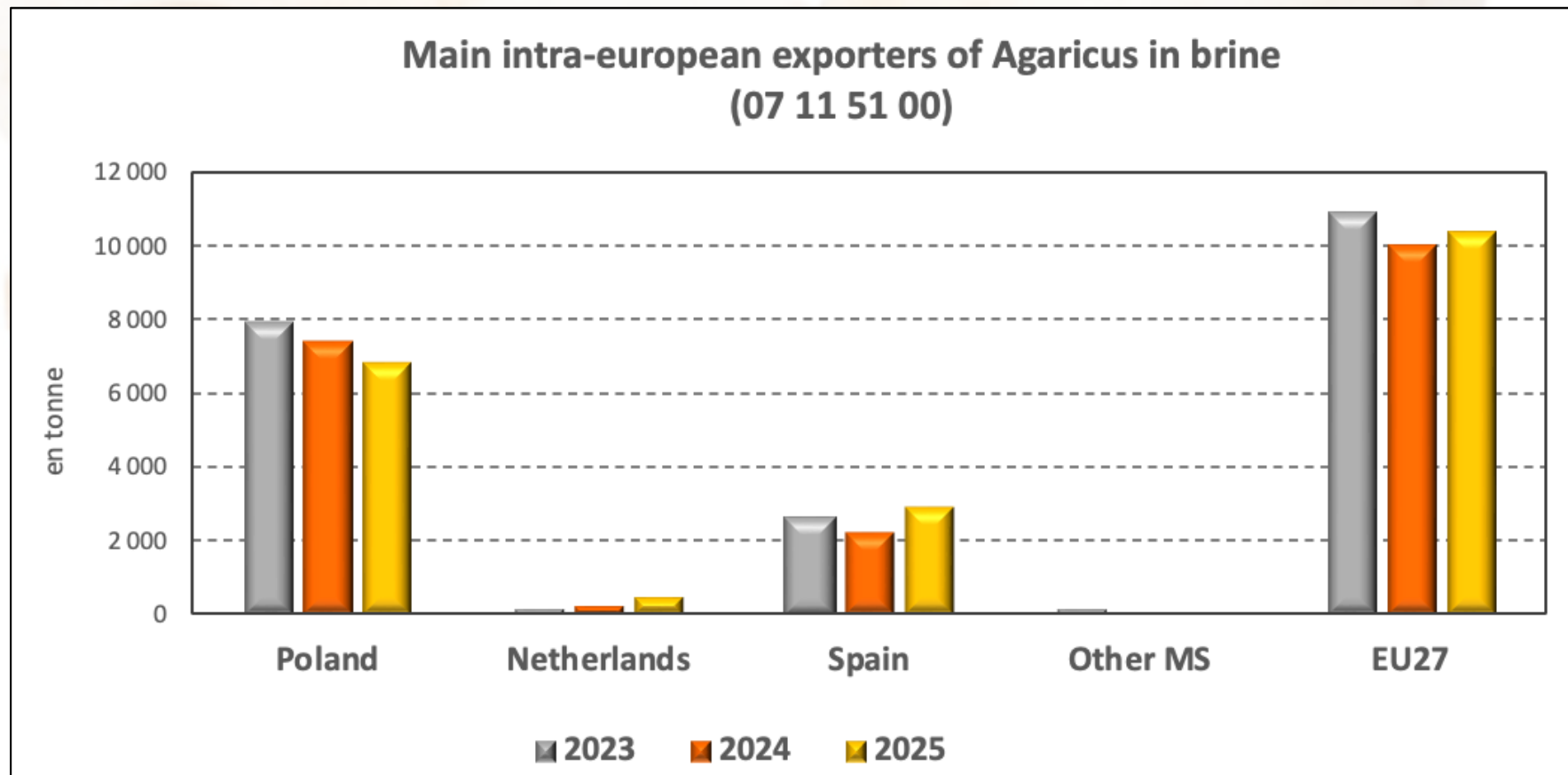
- EU27 exports of Agaricus and other mushrooms in brine are essentially **intra-european**.





EU exports of mushrooms in brine

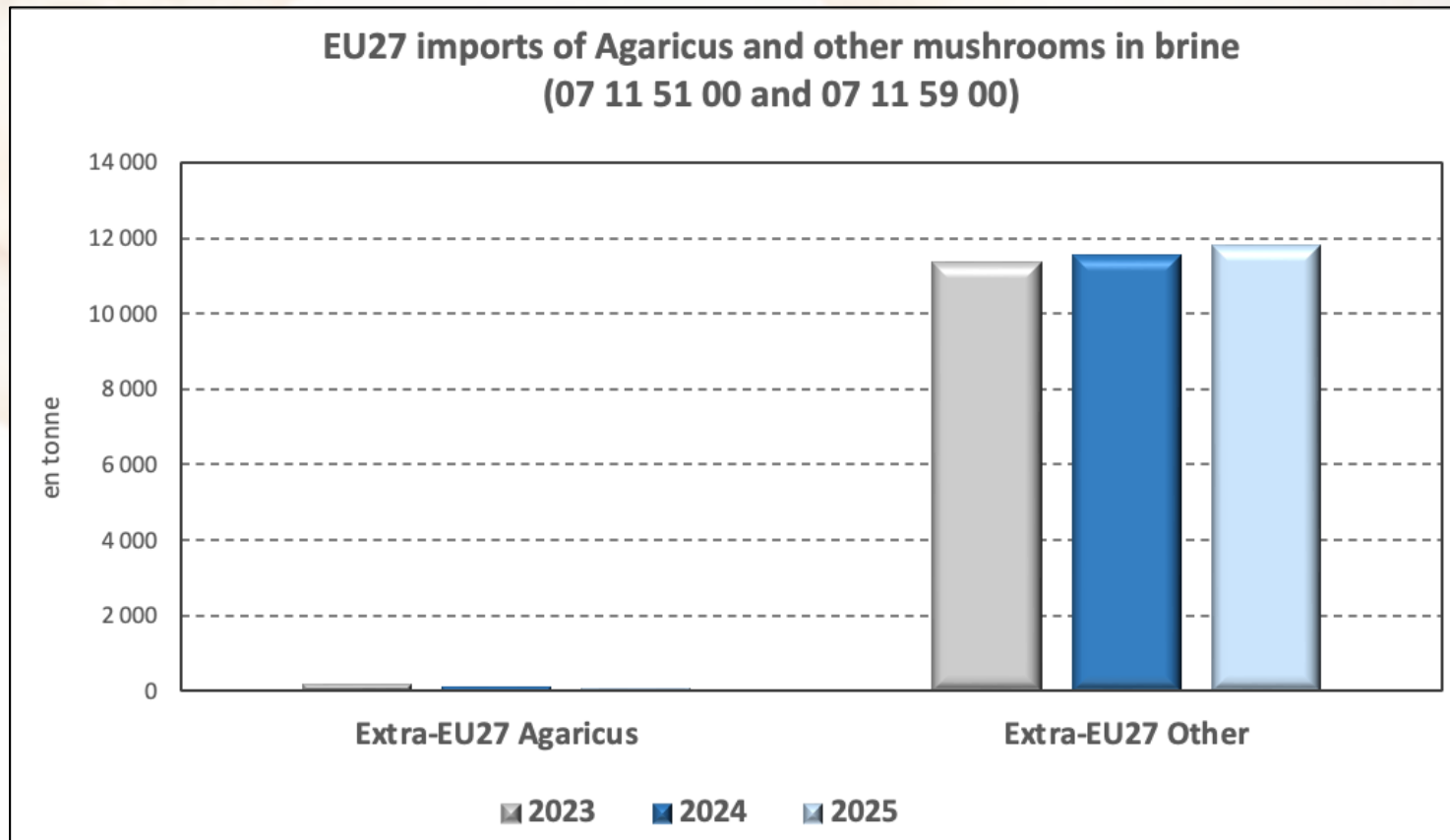
- Intra-European exports of Agaricus in brine slightly remained stable in 2025.
- **Poland is by far the 1st intra-European exporter of Agaricus in Brine.**





EU imports of mushrooms in brine

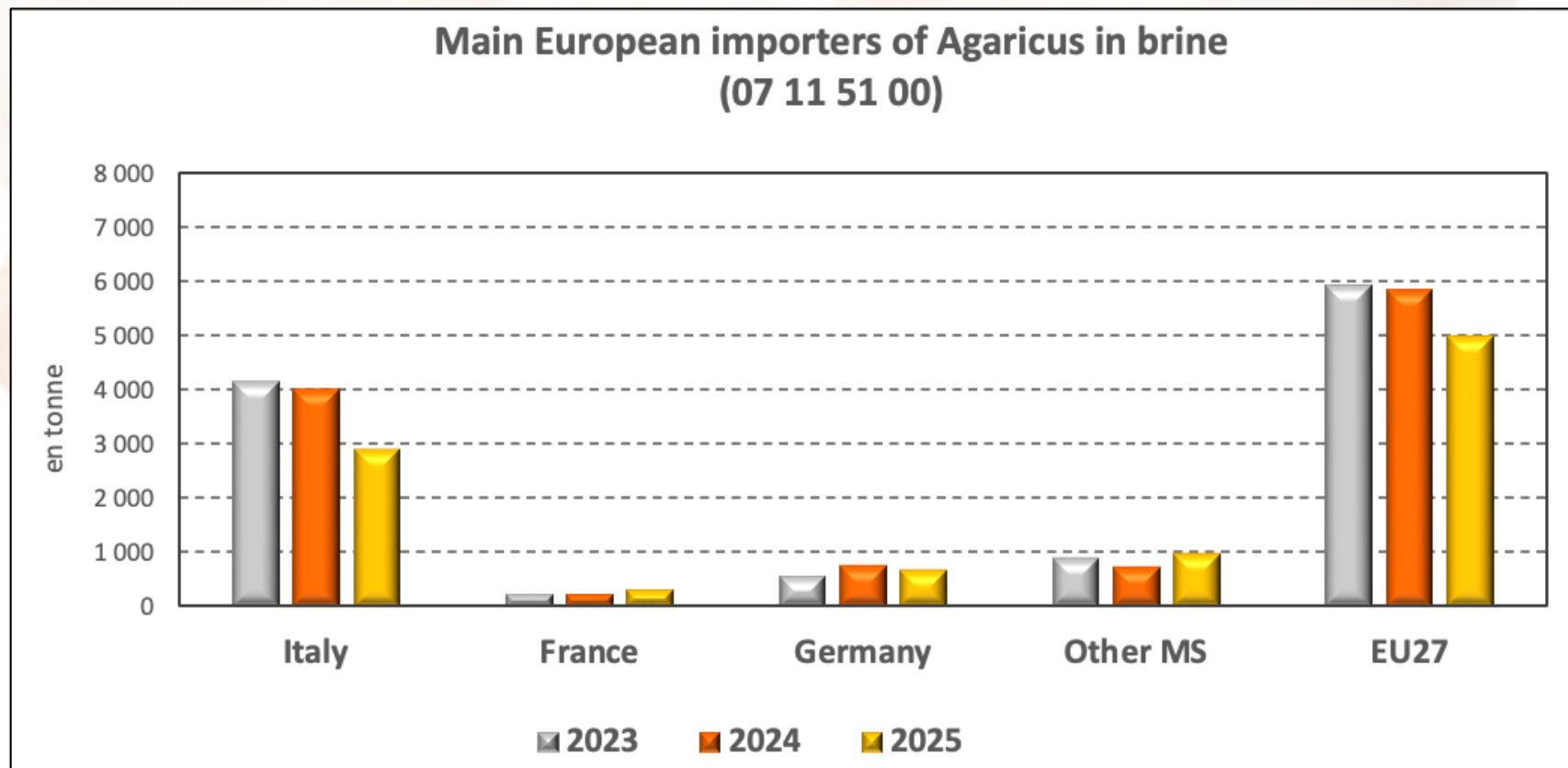
- EU27 imports of Agaricus in brine from third countries are insignificant.
- EU27 imports of mushrooms in brine other than Agaricus are essentially provided by China.





EU imports of mushrooms in brine

- Intra-European imports of Agaricus in brine are essentially imported by Italy.



Detailed codes used in this document



- 07 09 51 00** Fresh or chilled mushrooms of the genus "Agaricus"
- 07 09 59** Fresh or chilled edible mushrooms and truffles (excl. mushrooms of the genus "Agaricus")
- 20 03 10 30** Mushrooms of the genus Agaricus, prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid (excl. completely cooked mushrooms and provisionally preserved mushrooms)
- 20 03 90 90** Mushrooms, prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid (excl. mushrooms of the genus "Agaricus")
- 07 10 80 61** Frozen mushrooms of the genus Agaricus, uncooked or cooked by steaming or by boiling in water
- 07 10 80 69** Frozen mushrooms, uncooked or cooked by steaming or by boiling in water (excl. of the genus Agaricus)
- 07 11 51 00** Mushrooms of the genus "Agaricus", provisionally preserved, e.g., by sulphur dioxide gas, in brine, in sulphur water or in other preservative solutions, but unsuitable in that state for immediate consumption
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- 06 02 90 10** Mushroom spawn



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