Colombia

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

Top-ten producer of

Commodity	World rank	Share of world	Year
Avocados	2	11%	2024
Coffee	3	7.5%	2024
Palm oil	4	2.3%	2023
Palm kernel oil	5	1.4%	2023
Plantains	6	6%	2024
Yams	8	0.4%	2024
Cocoa	10	1.3%	2024
Pineapples	10	3.1%	2024

Top-ten exporter of

Commodity	World rank	Share of world exports	Export value
Bananas	2	10%	$1.6 billion
Coffee	3	10%	$3.4 billion
Plantains	3	14%	$152.3 million
Palm kernel oil	4	7.7%	$83.9 million
Avocados	6	3.7%	$348.5 million
Yams	7	4.5%	$11.4 million
Coal	8	3.8%	$6.8 billion

Commodity	World rank	Share of world exports	Export value
Coconut oil	8	1.3%	$103 million

Of $25.8 billion of tracked-commodity exports, 47% is crude oil, then coal (27%).

Top-ten importer of: corn (#9).

What it uses (FAO food balances, 2023)

Commodity	Domestic supply	kg per person	Self-sufficiency	Imported
Corn	8.4 million tonnes	51	24%	77%
Milk	8.1 million tonnes	117	90%	11%
Potatoes	3.4 million tonnes	57	92%	8.6%
Rice	3.3 million tonnes	47	94%	5.7%
Plantains	2.5 million tonnes	37	104%	0.5%
Wheat	2.0 million tonnes	37	0.5%	106%

Single-supplier import markets

Colombia buys half or more of its imports from one country in 5 of 7 import markets of $250 million or more: corn from United States (97%); natural gas from United States (82%); wheat from Canada (61%); crude oil from United States (70%); pork from United States (78%).

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