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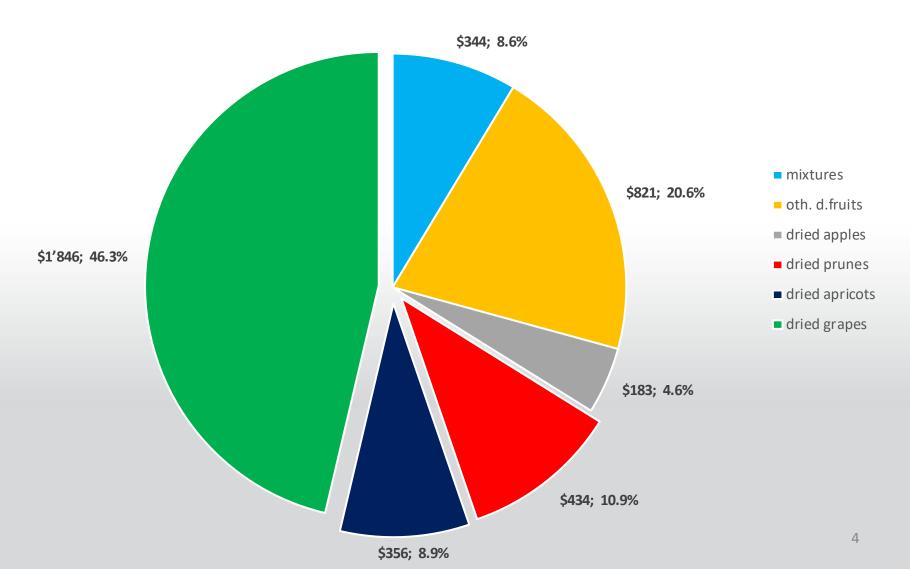


Content of the presentation

- How is the fruit market split by fruit type?
- Who are the importers and exporters of dried fruit?
- What does Uzbekistan export and where?
- Which are the high-price markets?
- Which are the most dynamic markets?
- What are the takeaway points from this analysis in term of policy implications?

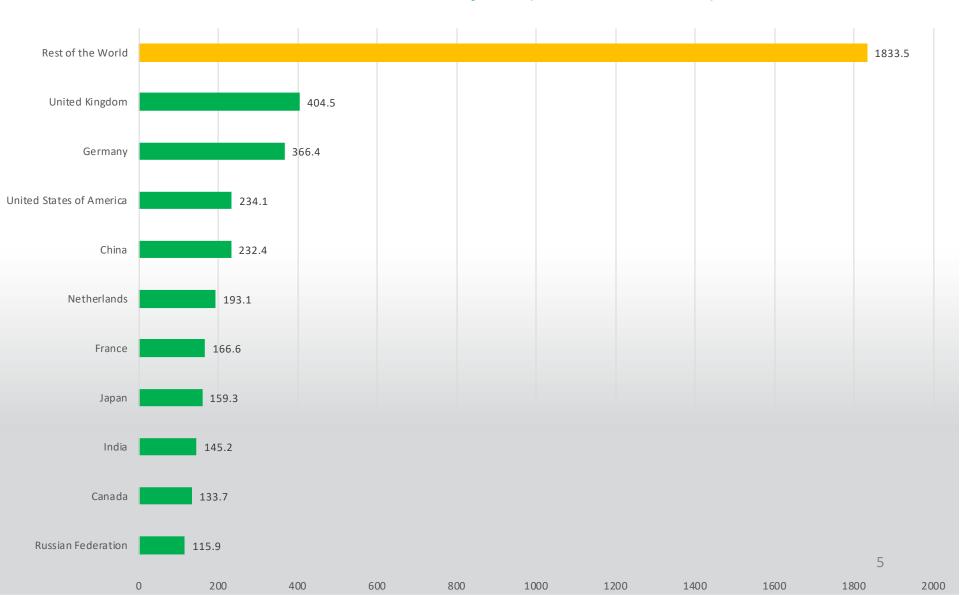


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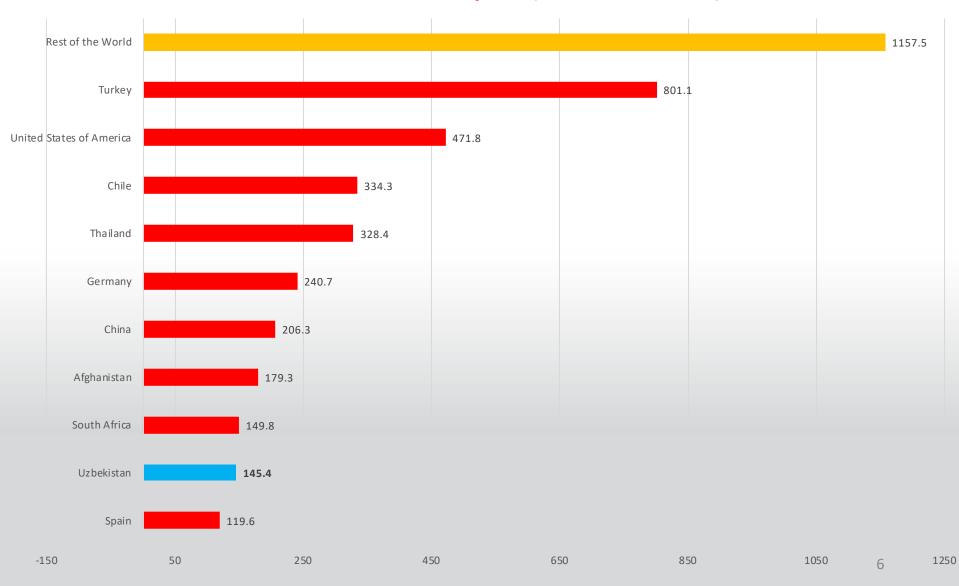


Value of World Dried Fruit Imports (in millions of US\$), 2019



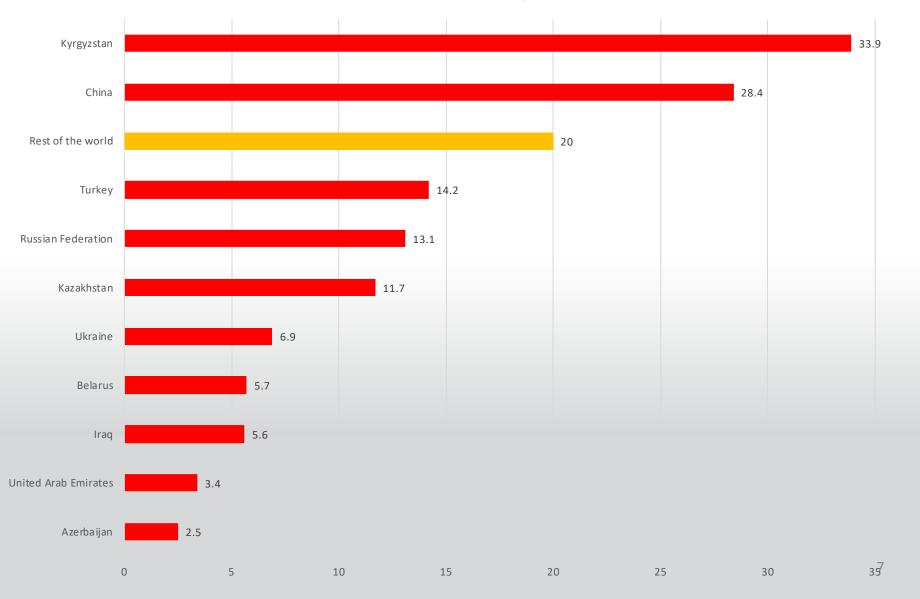


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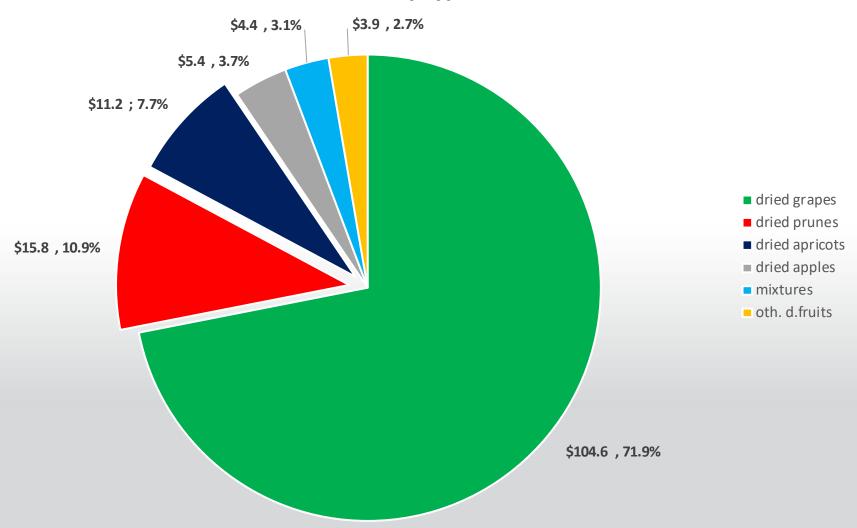


Value of Uzbekistan's Dried Fruits Exports (in US\$ millions), 2019



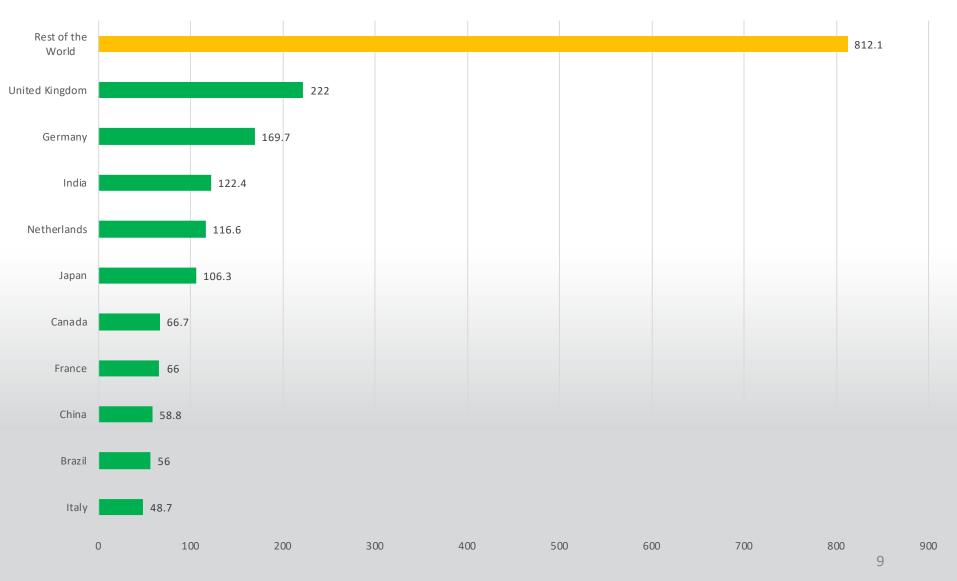


Value (in US\$ millions) and Share (in %) of Uzbekistan's Dried Fruit Exports in 2019, by Type of Fruit





Value of World Dried Grapes Imports (in millions of US\$), 2019





Growth Markets for Dried Grapes 2015-2019

	Imports (in US\$ million)		Growth (in	Growth rate	Growth
Country	2015	2019	US\$ million)	(in per cent)	Ranking
India	53.2	122.4	69.2	130	1
Russian Federation	29.5	47.4	17.9	60.7	2
Brazil	40.6	56	15.4	37.8	3
Japan	93.4	106.3	12.9	13.8	4
France	57.1	66	8.9	15.6	5
Morocco	0.5	9.4	8.9	1910.5	6
Viet Nam	5.8	14.5	8.7	151.2	7
Germany	161.4	169.7	8.3	5.1	8
China	51	58.8	7.9	15.4	9
Colombia	10.4	17.6	7.2	68.9	10
Saudi Arabia	17.7	24.9	7.2	40.5	11
Poland	25.9	32.6	6.6	25.5	12



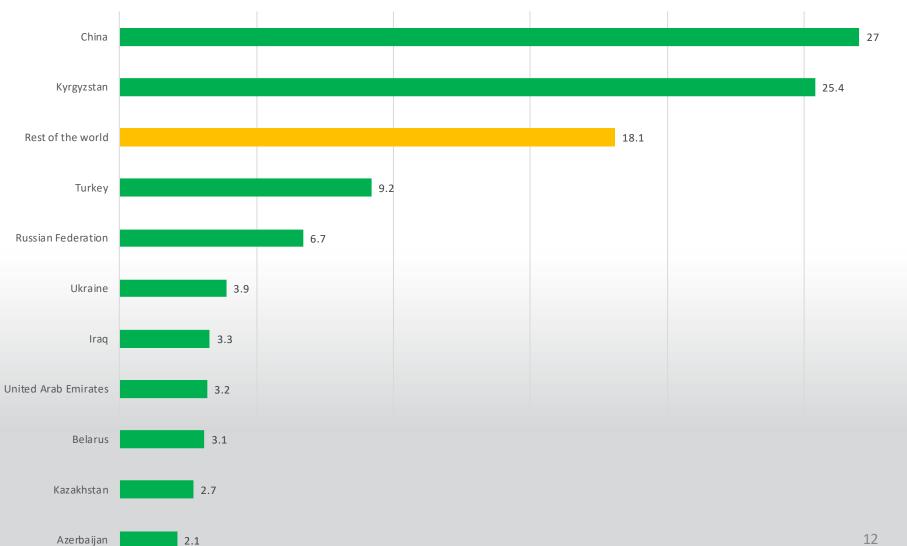
Dried Grapes: Value, Volumes and Implicit Prices

Country	World Import Share	Import Value (US\$	Volume	Implied Price (US\$)
	(per cent)	millions)	(Tons)	Τ 1100 (00φ)
United Kingdom	12	222	96,093	2.31
Germany	9.2	169.7	71,622	2.37
India	6.6	122.4	28,332	4.32
Netherlands	6.3	116.6	52,102	2.24
Japan	5.8	106.3	31,956	3.33
Canada	3.6	66.7	23,767	2.81
France	3.6	66	27,899	2.37
China	3.2	58.8	40,666	1.45
Brazil	3	56	27,809	2.01
Italy	2.6	48.7	21,671	2.25
Russian Federation	2.6	47.4	27,365	1.73
United States of America	2.3	42.5	18,265	2.33
Australia	2.1	37.8	18,162	2.08
Spain	2	36.7	16,047	2.29
Belgium	1.9	35.4	17,891	1.98
Poland	1.8	32.6	15,996	2.04
United Arab Emirates	1.6	29.9	23,573	1.27
Saudi Arabia	1.4	24.9	12,746	1.95
Sweden	1.3	24.1	6,516	3.71
Denmark	1.1	20	6,187	3.24

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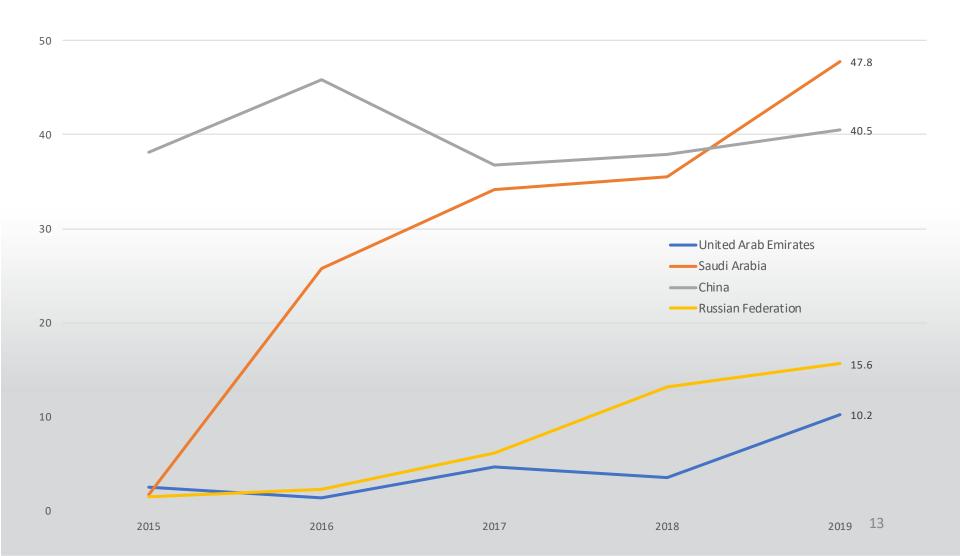


Dried Grapes Exports by Uzbekistan (in US\$ millions), 2019





Share of Dried Grape Imports from Uzbekistan, Selected Countries 2015-2019





Some Takeaways from the Analysis of Dried Fruit Trade

- Europe imports almost half of the dried fruits in the world.
- However, Uzbekistan's exports to Europe are very limited.
- India, Russian Federation, Japan and selected European countries like France and Germany are particularly interesting for raisins, as they have high demand growth, high prices or both.
- Exports of raisins to India, Japan, and other important markets still lag, despite being within Asia.
- Several of these markets have high mandatory and commercial standards of quality, and the latter are rising further.
- Significant penetration has been attained in some markets like China, and to a lesser extent, the Russian Federation.
- Key competitors have strong branding presence, strong phytosanitary controls and established business links that Uzbekistan should emulate.