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Agricultural Statistics

2016

Decreases in fruits, wine, olive oil, milk and eggs and increases of beef and poultry meat

In the crop year 2015/2016, crop production was affected by climatic conditions, with impacts on prices of production products (price index of crop output, including fruits and vegetables, increased by 11.6%) and on imports, namely from the group "fruits, citrus fruits and melons", whose value increased by 21.9%. The animal production activity recorded increases on beef (+2.3%) and poultry meat (+4.9%) and decreases on milk (-4.4%) and eggs (-2.9%) production. In the forestry sector, the size of the burning area is more than doubled compared to 2015 (160.7 thousand hectares), the highest since the large fires of 2005.

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