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1 Europe

Smallest onion harvest in the EU since 2006

At 5.15 Mio. T, the onion harvest in the EU 2018/19 is approx. 16 % smaller than in the previous season, due to lower yields in almost all countries except Spain. Because of unfavorable weather conditions this was the smallest harvest since 2006. Almost everywhere, after a wet and cold spring in April, the necessary precipitation was lacking. The area under cultivation also declined slightly in most countries, but the overall decline in area was only just under 3 %. A striking feature is a very uneven distribution of crop losses.

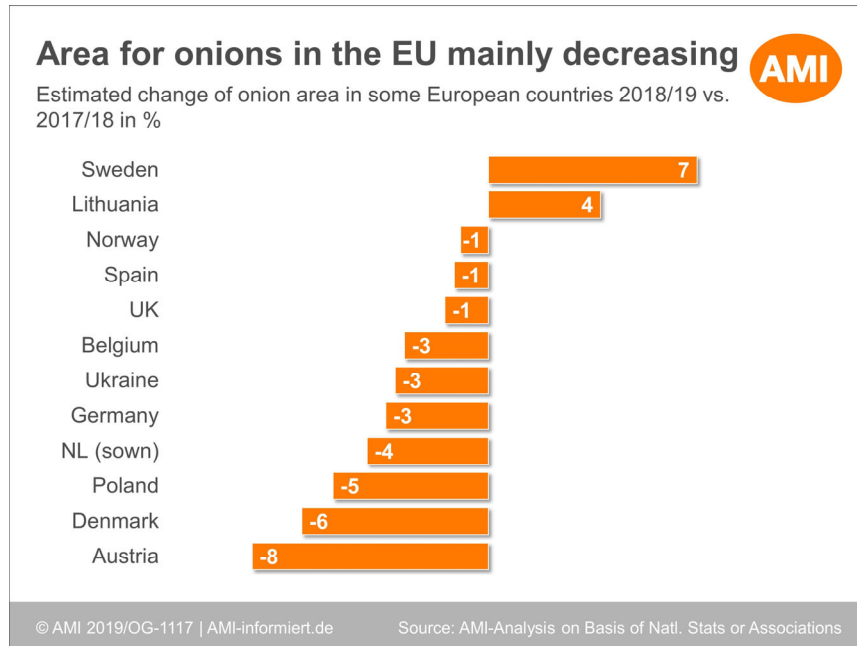


Figure 1 Change of planted area with onions in some European countries 2018/19 vs. 2017/18

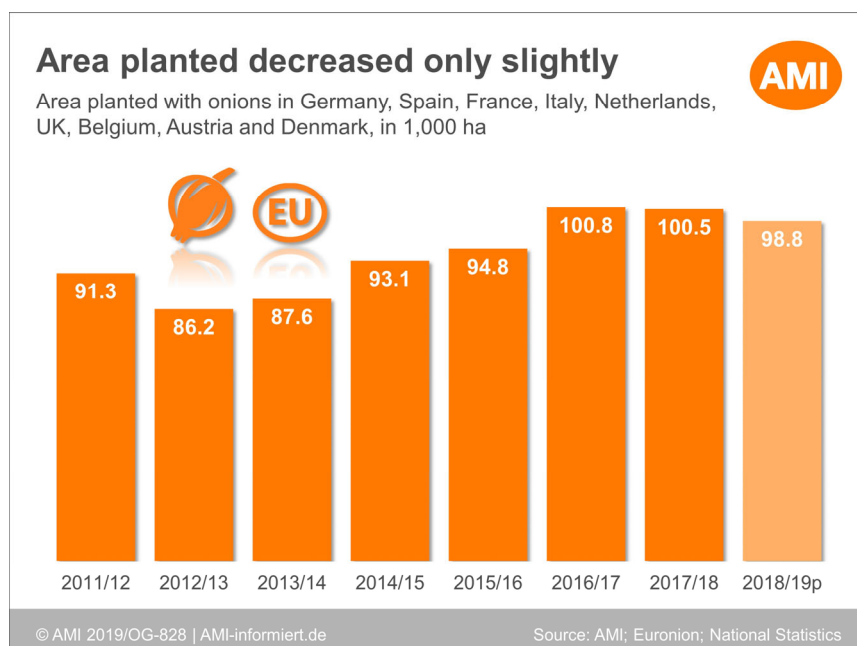


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