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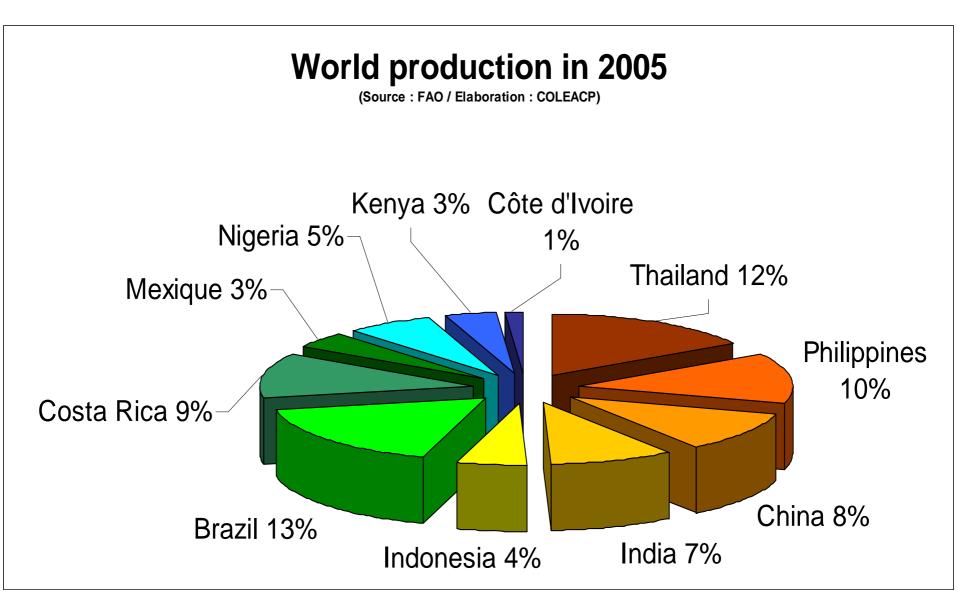


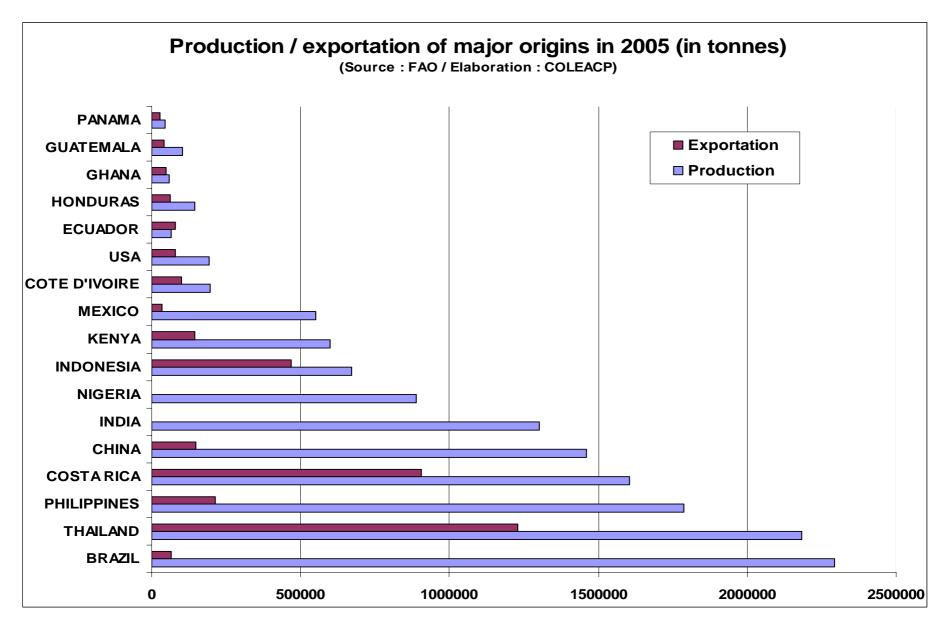
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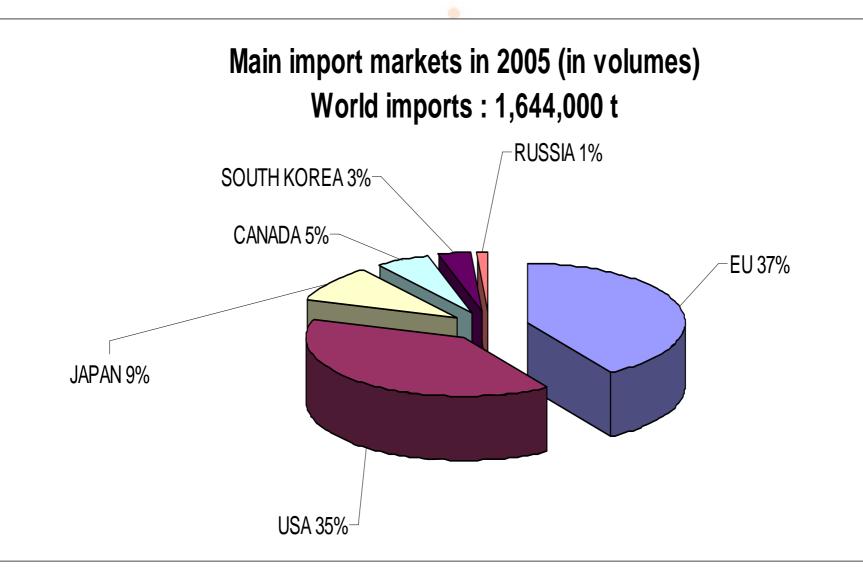
- World production in 2005 : 18 million tonnes
- 3.5 % of the total world fruit production
- 80 % of the pineapple production among 12 countries on three continents (Central & South Americas, Asia, Africa)
- 1 million tonnes exported in 1999.
- 2 million tonnes exported in 2005

• The world trade for fresh represents 11% of the total production.

 The world trade for processed fruit represents 32 % of the total production







Main suppliers of Major import markets

- EU : Costa Rica (65%), Côte d'Ivoire (12%), Ghana (5%)
- USA : Costa Rica (82%), Equateur (6%), Guatemala (5%)
- JAPAN: Philippines (99%)

Pineapple consumption per annum (kg / inh) :

- USA : 2,1
- EU : 1,5
- JAPAN : 1.3

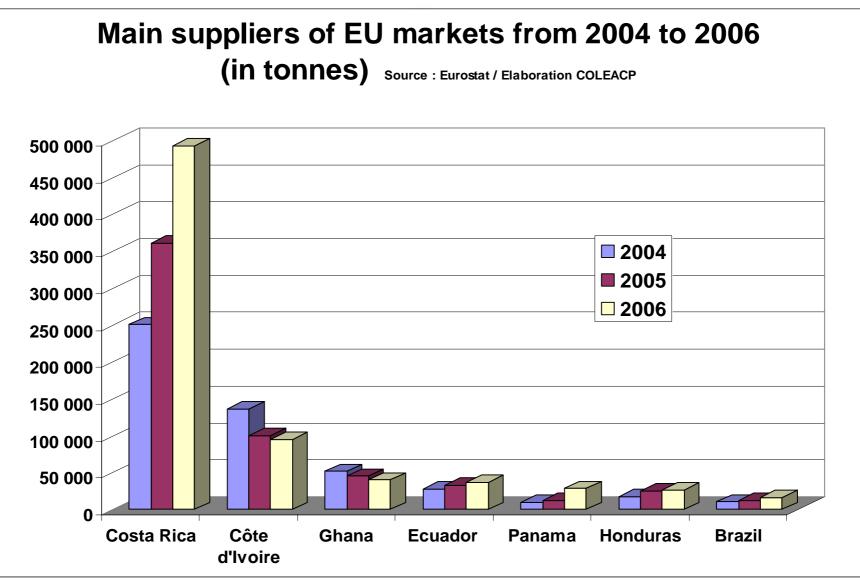
EU Market

Extra-EU imports :

- EU-15 : 607,028 tonnes (in 2005)
- EU-15 : 760,213 tonnes (in 2006) (+25%)

Intra-UE-10 : 24,068 t (in 2005)

- Czech Rep. : 7,700 t (from Germ, Fr..)
- Poland : 7,000 t (from Belg, NL...)
- Slovakia : 2,200 t (Czech Rep, Germ...)



Main EU import markets from 2003 to 2006 (in tonnes) Source Eurostat / Elaboration : COLEACP 300 000 250 000 200 000 2003 2004 150 000 **2005** 2006 100 000 50 000 Belgi Lux The Netherlands UK France traily cermany portugal spain

Fresh Pineapple world market Main varieties traded

Sweet (from South and Central America)

- Leaves without spine or at their extremity
- -External coloration : yellow-green
- -Flesh colour : yellow

-Brix rate : 12.8 – 13.7

- Sugar/acid rate : 1.31 - 2.11



Fresh Pineapple world market Main varieties traded Honey Gold (MA2 variety)

- External coloration :

dark green turning yellow

- Flesh colour : yellow
- Brix rate : 14.4 18.8
- Sugar/acid rate: 1.65-2.14

Fresh Pineapple world market Main varieties traded Smooth Cayenne (From Africa)

External coloration : green yellow

Flesh colour : yellow pale

Brix rate : 14.5-16.5

Sugar/acid rate : 1 – 1.2



Fresh Pineapple world market Main varieties traded Queen Group - Victoria (from South Africa,

Mauritius, Reunion Island, Zimbabwe,

Guinea,...)

- leaves with spines
- External color : yellow gold
- Flesh color : yellow
- Brix rate : 14.8
- Sugar/acid rate : 1.36



- COLEACP took part in the Codex Alimentarius and UNECE Working Group in 90's up to the adoption of UNECE standard in 2003.
- EU Mrl's : COLEACP through PIP (Pesticides Initiative Programme) promotes good agricultural practice in ACP countries.

COLEACP

(Liaison Committee Europe-Africa-Caribbean-Pacific)

- non-profit making organisation
- set up in 1973 and is historically located in the Rungis International Wholesale Market (France).
- The association gathers more than 100 Members from about 30 countries
- Members are : EU Importers and ACP exporters of horticultural products (i.e fresh fruit and vegetables, cut flowers, and plants) and also exporters' associations, parastatal bodies and transit operators.

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- Our main goal : promoting horticultural trade especially between ACP and EU countries and enhance its competitiveness.
- COLEACP provides services such as :
 - information and communication
 - market intelligence and analysis of regulatory changes

- technical advice, training and database on food safety and crop protection

- promotion and creation of partnership
- advocacy with development and financial agencies.

COLEACP/PIP (2001-2008)

- COLEACP has been entrusted by the ACP Group of States and the EU Commission to implement the Programme
- Programme dedicated to private companies and provides assistance through four components :
- Good Business Practices,
- Pesticides Regulations,
- Information
- Capacity Building Strengthening.

COLEACP/PIP

- Participate in the development and strengthening of the network of ACP-EU horticultural industry stakeholders,
- Encourage the development of added value products,
- Improve business environment,
- Initiate, maintain and improve effective public/private dialogue through national and regional Task Forces,
- Enhance market access by respecting regulatory and commercial changes specifically on SPS (Safety and Phytosanitary) issues.

Thank you

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