

**Question for written answer E-008040/2014
to the Commission**
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Subject: EU/Ukraine free-trade agreement

The European Union recently signed an association agreement with Ukraine, aimed at gradually setting up a common free-trade area. As regards agricultural products and according to the available statistics, Ukraine produces a surplus of fruit and vegetables, meat products, particularly pork, dairy produce, wheat, oilseed rape and sunflower, to mention just the most important. All these products were exported to Russia.

With the signing of this agreement, which is due to come into full effect in 2016, all these products could be channelled towards the European Union, where most countries already have a surplus.

Can the Commission say whether it has any impact studies on the application of this association agreement that look at its consequences for both the EU and the Ukrainian productive sector?