

Monthly dashboard – Eggs

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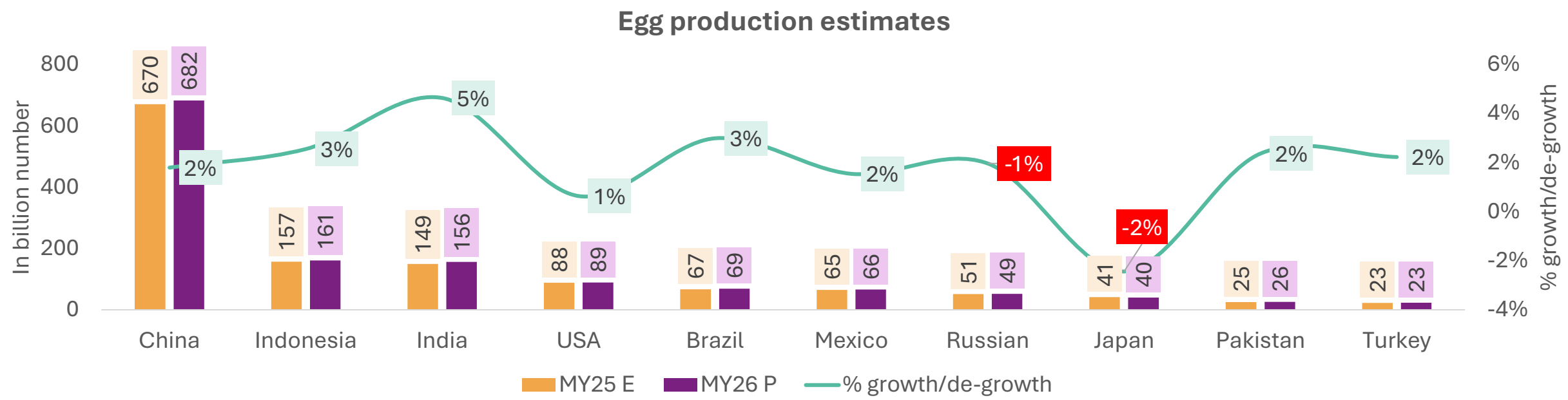
April -2026





Egg production estimates

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P – Projected value; E – Estimated value; MY – Marketing year (Jan-Dec)

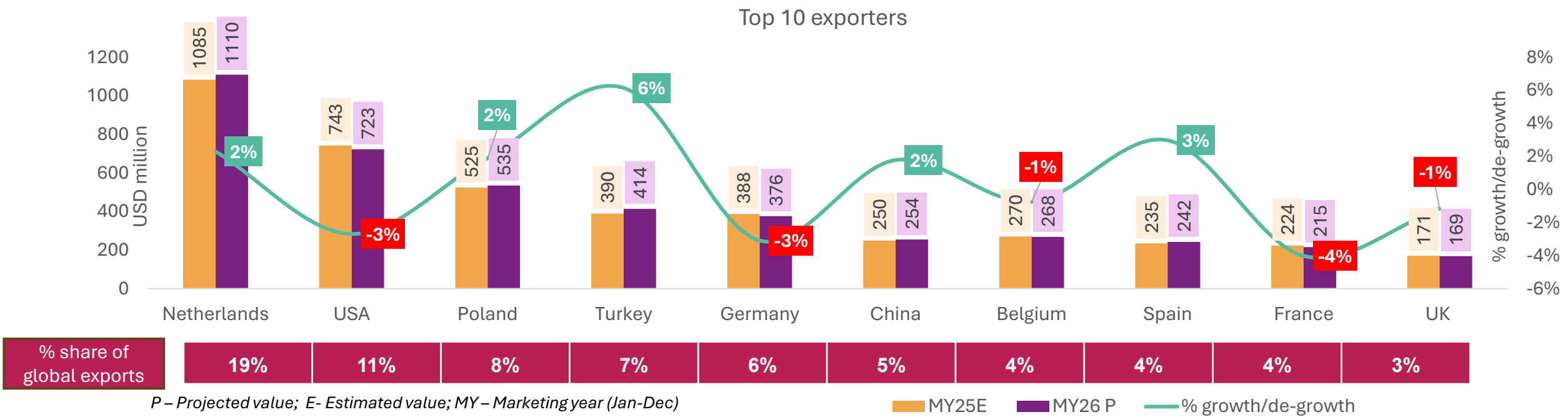
- **Global egg production is projected to witness moderate growth in MY26P**, supported by strong demand for affordable protein, though expansion is expected to remain uneven due to disease risks and cost pressures.
- China is expected to maintain its leading position with steady growth of approximately 2%, supported by large-scale production systems. However, increasing supply is likely to keep prices stable.
- **India is likely to emerge as a key growth market** (4–5% on year in MY26P), supported by ongoing investments in layer farming, government-led nutrition programs, and rising domestic consumption.
- **The USA and Brazil are expected to see steady growth** (1–3%) and gradual flock recovery, though expansion may be cautious due to ongoing disease risks.
- Russia’s poultry sector downturn in Q1 2026 is likely to place downward pressure on egg production, as producers face mounting financial stress. Declining profitability is being driven by a combination of rising electricity and logistics costs, weak domestic prices, and increasing import competition from China.

Source: Production for MY 25 and MY 26 is estimated and projected, respectively, based on historical trends from FAOSTAT; and secondary research



Export trends and price outlook

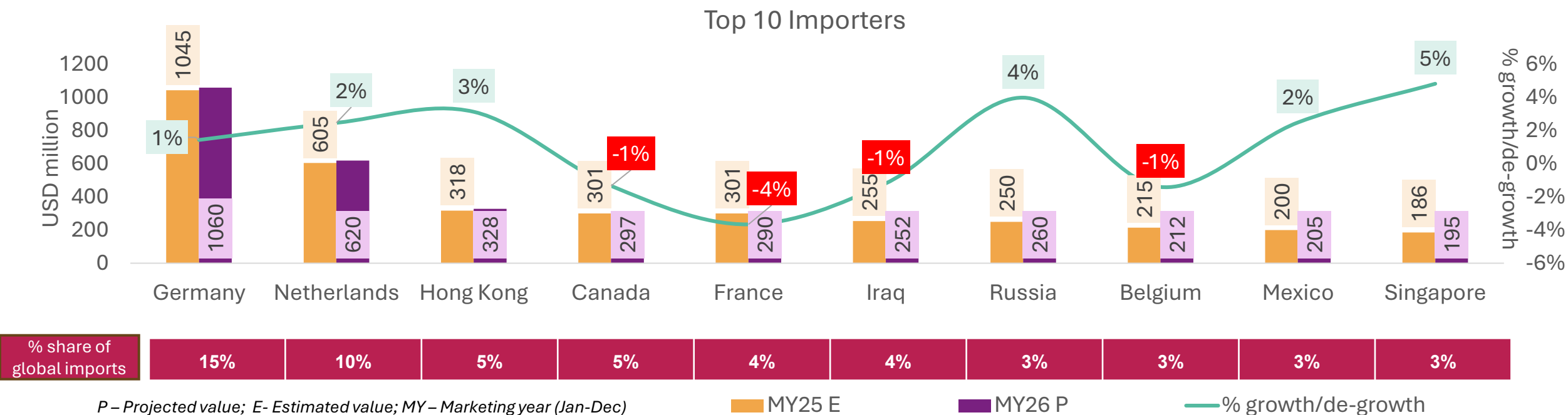
Major exporters of Eggs



- **The top exporters account for ~70% of global egg exports**, with overall exports in MY26P expected to grow by 3–4%, driven by steady import demand from US, Africa, and parts of Asia.
- The Netherlands is expected to maintain its leadership position, supported by its strong re-export hub role within Europe, while the USA may see a moderate decline due to severe domestic shortage caused by avian flu and culling of millions of hens.
- Turkey is expected to become a major exporter, with an estimated 5-6% increase in MY26P. It will leverage logistical advantages, such as road connectivity to Middle Eastern markets during disruptions, to support higher export volumes and gain a pricing edge over competitors like India.
- The UK is projected to witness a decline in exports during MY26P due to the ban on poultry and egg product imports by Saudi . Saudi caters to about 4% of UK exports.

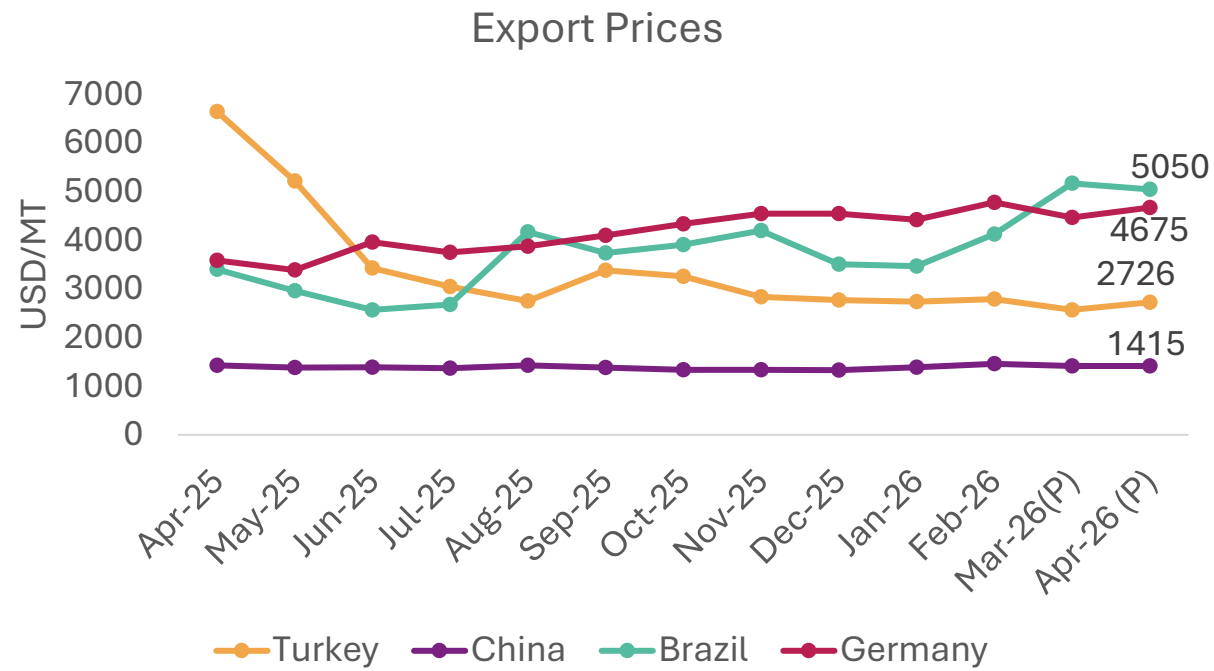
Source: MY25E export volumes are from ITC Trade Map, with estimates used where recent data is unavailable; MY26P figures are based on trade estimates & export trends and secondary research. (HS Code: 0407)

Major Importers of Eggs



- **The countries in the chart account for around 56% of global egg imports**, with overall imports projected to increase by 5-6% in MY26P, driven by increased imports from Germany, Netherlands, Hong Kong, Russia, Singapore and Mexico.
- Avian flu outbreaks and EU-wide supply shortages driven by changing consumption patterns and increased free-range egg production are supporting higher intra-EU egg prices and keeping import demand strong in Germany & Netherlands.
- The Middle East conflict has severely disrupted egg supplies in Iraq, which relies on imports from Turkey and Iran, causing domestic egg prices to increase from \$39.80 to \$57.40 per carton in last week of March, however the trade expects the prices to be subdued in Q2 MY26P with lifting of import ban.
- Mexico is expected to see moderate import growth (~2%) in MY26P, driven by diversification strategies to ensure supply stability and manage price volatility.
- In Singapore, ongoing diversification of import sources post supply shocks is favoring certified exporters & stabilizing premium priced demand.

Export prices of Eggs



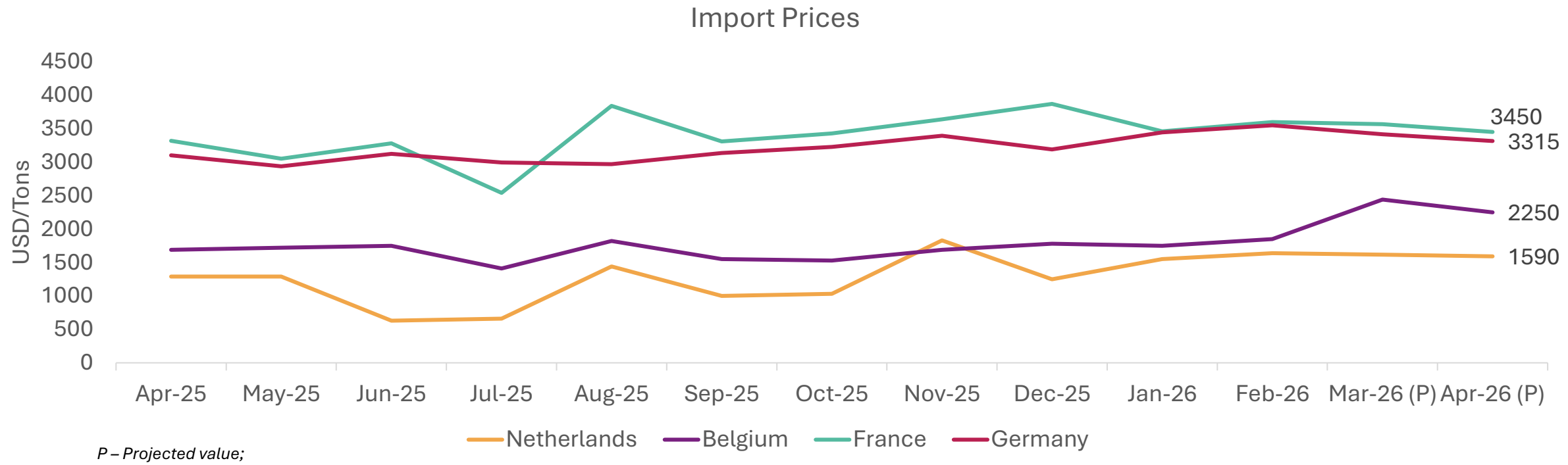
Price outlook for next quarter (MJJ) 2026					
Countries	Apr'26 P Price (USD/MT)	Apr'25 Price (USD/MT)	%age change	Price direction	Average price range for MJJ (USD/MT)
Turkey	2726	6650	-59%	Bullish	3100-3400
China	1415	1430	-1%	Bullish	1450-1480
Brazil	5050	3400	49%	Bearish	4600-4800
Germany	4675	3585	30%	Sideways	4600-4800

- **Global egg export prices are expected to remain firm through the upcoming quarter**, supported by avian influenza detection in India & Western African countries (Ivory Coast), resilient global protein demand, and higher logistics & compliance costs in premium markets.
- China is expecting a nominal uptick trend in export prices supported by improved demand from South-eastern countries such as Philippines, Malaysia & Cambodia.
- Reduced demand from US which caters to almost ~70% of Brazilian egg exports is expected to put downward pressure on prices for the upcoming quarter after US tariffs reduced the exports in Q1 CY 26.
- Germany's export prices are expected to stay steady with a positive outlook, driven by rising demand for protein sources in the EU and growing consumer interest in white egg-laying hens.

Source: Prices are from ITC Trade Map (till Feb 2025); Mar & Apr 2026 figures are seasonality and trend-based estimates (HS Code: 0407)

Note: Price forecasting is based on the fundamental analysis. **MJJ stand for May June & July**

Import prices of Eggs



- Egg import prices across key EU markets is expected to witness a declining trend in April 2026 after elevated prices during Q1 MY 26. The correction is primarily driven by post-Easter demand normalization, improved regional supply availability.
- While avian influenza concerns continued to restrict aggressive price decline, the overall market sentiment shifted from bullish to stable across most European importing countries.
- France is expected to witness a softness in prices (~3% mom in April '26) after the incremental increase post easter demand.
- Belgium egg prices are expected to ease in the month of April with Hungary (largest exporter to Belgium) setting up new poultry plants to cater to domestic demand.

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Methodology for Price Forecasting

Our methodology combines comprehensive secondary research, targeted stakeholder consultations, and rigorous analytical techniques to ensure accuracy and actionable insights. The methodology comprises three key stages: Data Collection, Data Analysis & Interpretation, and Price Forecasting.

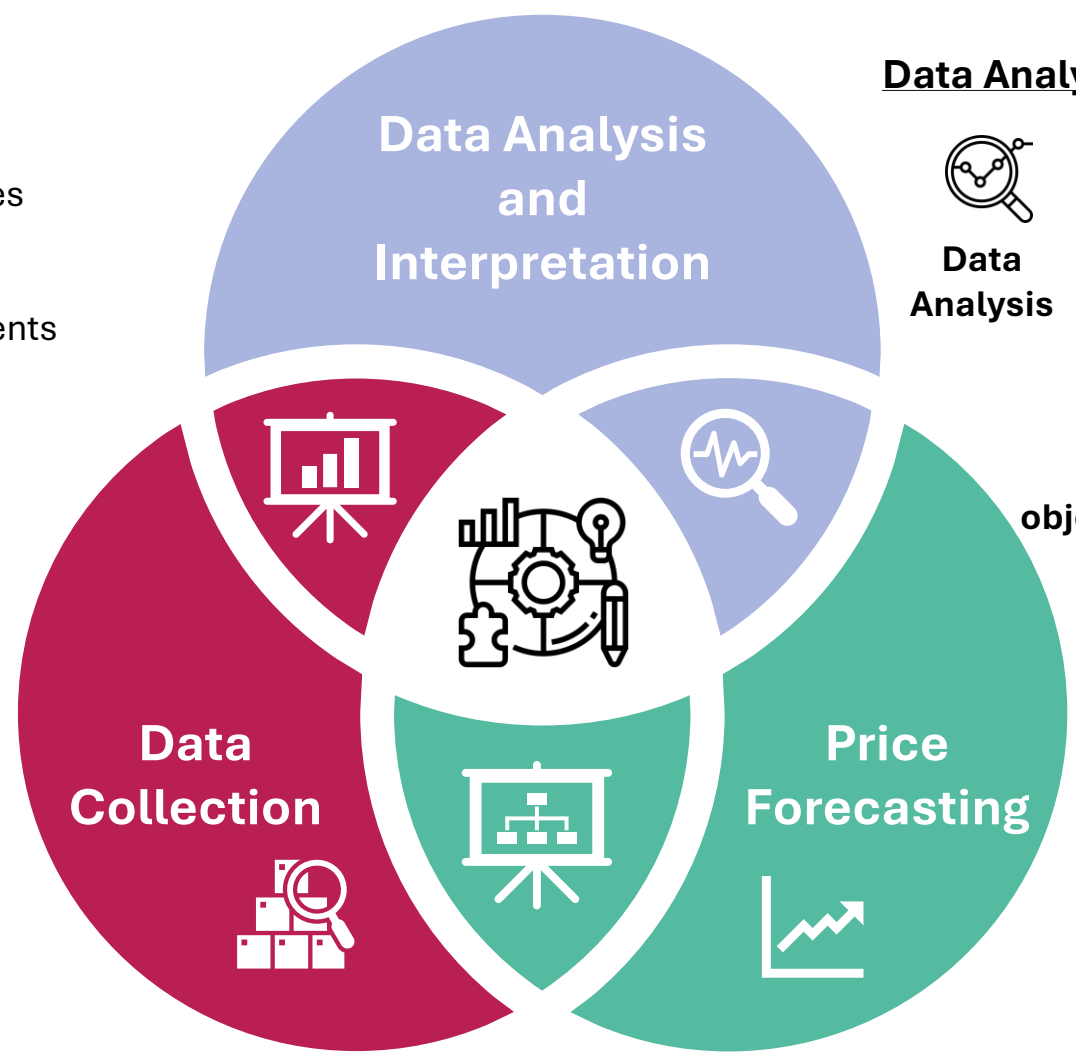
Data Collection

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Sources
- Global agricultural databases (USDA, FAO, etc.)
 - Country-wise statistics from official agriculture departments
 - Industry publications and research reports

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Policy Updates
- Detailed review of Production policies & trade barriers for each country
 - Data from government websites & official publications



Data Analysis and Interpretation

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Data Analysis
- Supply-demand assessment
 - Policy impact analysis
 - Stakeholder consultations
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Key objectives
- Production trends
 - Trade dynamics
 - Policy implications

Price Forecasting

- Historical Trend & Seasonality
 - Macro-Economic & Trade Variables
- Integration of commodity fundamentals to forecast future price ranges.

Structured consultations with Indian exporters and industry associations, cross-verifying secondary data and validating price forecasts to refine production, trade, and policy assessments.