

## Comoros

### Basic statistics

Current diversification (number of products)	322	Potential new products more complex (percentage)	67
Potential new products	2,806	Export opportunity in more complex products (percentage)	28
Potential new products more complex than the country's average	1,874	Import replacement opportunity in more complex products (percentage)	31

### Potential new sectors for diversification (All products)

Sectors with higher export opportunities (percentage of export opportunities)

Product	Percent
Electrical, electronic equipment	11
Plastics and articles thereof	10
Machinery & mech appliance etc	8
Paper & paperboard, articles of pulp, paper and board	5
Optical, photo, technical, medical, etc apparatus	5
Articles of iron or steel	4
Organic chemicals	3
Articles of apparel, accessories, knit or crochet	3
Articles of apparel, accessories, not knit or crochet	3
Iron and steel	3
Sum of others with smaller share	45

Top markets for potential new products (percentage of export opportunities)

By countries

Country	Percent
USA	16
France	8
Germany	5
China	5
United Kingdom	4
Thailand	4
Russian Federation	3
Japan	3
Italy	3
Netherlands	3
Others	28

By regions

Region	Percent
Asia	35
Western Europe	20
Northern America	17
Eastern Europe	8
Northern Europe	7
Southern Europe	6
South America	3

Potential new sectors for diversification (Agri-business products)

Sectors with higher export opportunities (percentage of export opportunities in agri-business)

Product	Percent
Cocoa and cocoa preparations	14
Edible fruit, nuts, peel of citrus fruit, melons	13
Vegetable, fruit, nut, etc food preparations	12

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Cereal, flour, starch, milk preparations and products	11
Dairy products, eggs, honey, edible animal products	10
Animal, vegetable fats and oils, cleavage products, etc	9
Sugars and sugar confectionery	6
Miscellaneous edible preparations	6
Cereals	4
Residues, wastes of food industry, animal fodder	4
Meat, fish and seafood food preparations	3
Live trees, plants, bulbs, roots, cut flowers etc	3
Oil seed, oleaginous fruits, grain, seed, fruit, etc, nes	2
Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers	2
Sum of others with smaller share	2

### Top markets for potential new agri-business products (percentage of export opportunities)

By countries

Country	Percent
USA	13
France	9
United Kingdom	8
Germany	5
China, Hong Kong SAR	4

By regions

Region	Percent
Asia	32
Western Europe	21
Northern America	14
Northern Europe	13
Eastern Europe	8

Japan	4	Southern Europe	5
Netherlands	4		
Spain	3		
Russian Federation	3		
China	3		
Others	27		

## Potential new products for diversification

Potential new products with higher export opportunity and top 3 growing markets

Product category	(HS code) Product description, unit price range	Top growing markets (USD million)			Export opportunity (USD million)
		#1	#2	#3	
Organic chemicals	(293490) Heterocyclic compounds, nes, \$25-326	US 658.4	IT 252.8	CN 107.6	1664.8
	(290220) Benzene, \$0-13	BE 331.1	ES 233.1	SA 56.2	706.8
	(290919) Acyclic ethers nes, derivatives of acyclic ethers, \$0-1	FR 260.9	MT 78.9	CN 45.8	638.0
	(292910) Isocyanates, \$1-5	IT 137.1	DE 134.3	ES 65.8	528.2
	(293369) Heterocyclic compds with an unfused triazine ring nes, \$2-15	BR 133.5	KR 117.8	IN 83.1	421.9
Plastics and articles thereof	(390110) Polyethylene - specific gravity <0.94 in primary form, \$1-1	SG 1067.1	CN 508.3	EG 226.5	2620.5
	(390190) Polymers of ethylene nes, in primary forms, \$0-1	CN 774.1	BR 202.9	MY 159.3	1671.2

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	(390690) Acrylic polymers nes, in primary forms, \$0-1	FR 334.1	NL 198.2	ES 191.5	1294.5
	(390110) Polyethylene - specific gravity <0.94 in primary form, \$0-1	BR 184	CL 131	NG 126.3	1139.5
	(390410) Polyvinyl chloride in primary forms, \$0-1	KW 218.2	IN 142.5	TR 101.4	1128.0
Paper & paperboard, articles of pulp, paper and board	(480100) Newsprint, \$0-3	US 1748.1	IT 250.9	DE 221.2	2871.7
	(480252) Paper, fine, woodfree, 40 - 150 g/m2, uncoated, \$0-2	US 455.5	JP 208.2	PE 120.7	1572.6
	(480100) Newsprint, \$0-0	IN 372.1	HU 21.5	TH 19.5	491.8
	(481091) Paper, multi-ply, clay coated, nes, \$0-1	DE 136.5	CA 72.6	TR 57	475.1
	(481190) Paper, coated/impregnated/covered/coloured/printed ne, \$2-9	US 107.5	GB 93.6	RO 28.6	417.5
Articles of apparel, accessories, knit or crochet	(610712) Mens, boys underpants or briefs, manmade fibre, knit, \$3-12	JP 207.4	US 80.2	FR 44.1	377.0
	(611130) Babies garments, accessories of synthetic fibres, kni, \$21-51	US 260.1	ES 16.5	GB 6	302.6
	(610822) Womens, girls briefs or panties, manmade fibre, knit, \$0-2	KR 81.7	AT 49	RU 37.5	275.6
	(611010) Pullovers, cardigans etc of wool or hair, knit, \$64-126	GB 122.4	DE 81.2	US 15.5	246.2
	(610831) Womens, girls nightdress or pyjamas, of cotton, knit, \$4-12	FR 87	JP 49.5	AE 40.4	244.1

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Articles of apparel, accessories, not knit or crochet	(620192) Mens, boys anoraks etc, of cotton, not knit, \$20-58	FR 81	US 66.5	JP 61.6	316.1
	(620444) Womens, girls dresses, of artificial fibres, not knit, \$0-12	ES 87.3	RU 52.9	US 33.4	293.8
	(620610) Womens, girls blouses & shirts, of silk, not knit, \$37-136	US 110.3	FR 67	GB 44.8	274.4
	(620113) Mens, boys overcoats of manmade fibres, not knit, \$0-32	KR 80.8	RU 48	IT 18	274.3
	(620333) Mens, boys jackets, blazers, synthetic fibre, not kni, \$0-24	KR 117.8	AT 42.2	US 17.7	254.5
Iron and steel	(721049) Flat rolled iron or non-alloy steel, coated with zinc, width >600mm, ne, \$0-1	TH 558.3	JP 485.6	IT 161.7	1586.8
	(720824) Hot rolled iron or non-alloy steel, coil,width >600mm, t <3mm thick, ne, \$0-0	VN 655.6	JP 268	PH 69.7	1370.0
	(722590) Flat rolled alloy-steel, width >600mm, nes, \$0-2	TH 391.9	GB 141.3	NL 128.1	1181.5
	(721420) Bar/rod, iron or non-alloy steel, indented or twisted, nes, \$0-1	BO 128.9	GB 103	CA 96.8	1037.5
	(721070) Flat rolled iron or non-alloy steel, painted/plastic coated,width>600mm, \$0-1	US 102.9	GB 86.3	CZ 47.1	478.0
Articles of iron or steel	(730820) Towers and lattice masts, iron or steel, \$1-7	US 266	PH 107.1	LA 68.2	891.4
	(732290) Non-electric heaters (with fan), parts, of iron/steel, \$10-37	US 629.5	KZ 5.6	NL 4.8	677.7
	(730610) Pipe (oil/gas line) iron or steel nes, diameter <406m, \$1-9	EG 340.1	CA 30.2	NO 12	471.8
	(730630) Pipes etc nes, iron/steel welded nes,diameter <406.4m, \$0-1	FR 206.4	CZ 37.6	ES 34.1	468.6

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	(730410) Pipes, line, iron or steel, for oil or gas pipelines, \$0-1	AE 171.9	VN 65.1	CO 34.4	449.3
Machinery & mech appliance etc	(841850) Refrigerator/freezer chests/cabinets/showcases, \$450-1594	FR 439.5	PL 54	AU 31.4	905.4
	(842810) Lifts and skip hoists, \$10135-20661	RU 278.1	SG 55.5	FR 43.4	848.3
	(848071) Moulds, injection & compression, for rubber or plasti, \$18-94	TH 196.8	CZ 160.8	IN 96.4	823.2
	(847780) rubber or plastic working machines, nes, \$395-20232	IN 223.1	US 149.1	PL 80.6	711.8
	(842720) Self-propelled works trucks, non-electric, \$12020-40163	RU 204.1	FR 73.7	GB 53.6	684.3
Electrical, electronic equipment	(854290) Parts of electronic integrated circuits etc, \$415-947	TH 2040.7	MY 301.3	HK 75.9	2481.0
	(851290) Parts of cycle & vehicle light, signal, etc equipment, \$0-14	US 1677.9	FR 98.9	DE 62	1985.9
	(854290) Parts of electronic integrated circuits etc, \$61-415	MY 759.2	PH 474.3	ID 136.6	1654.7
	(850720) Lead-acid electric accumulators except for vehicles, \$62-181	RU 212.5	DE 203.9	US 177.6	1322.0
	(850910) Domestic vacuum cleaners, \$65-158	FR 592.1	RU 177.6	HK 92.7	1322.0
Optical, photo, technical, medical, etc apparatus	(901839) Needles, catheters, cannulae etc, (medical), \$0-28	US 1319.4	CN 444.9	TH 61.5	1964.2
	(902130) Artificial body parts, aids and appliances, etc, \$1093-2367	DE 668.3	JP 115.7	KR 88.2	1011.2
	(900130) Contact lenses, \$0-1	US 445.7	JP 124.8	BE 79.7	886.2

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	(902130) Artificial body parts, aids and appliances, etc, \$0-243	IT 247.9	GB 228.5	FR 80.4	677.4
	(902119) Orthopaedic/fracture appliances, nes, \$35-397	US 186	GB 127.3	NL 57.4	605.5

Potential new agri-business products with higher export opportunity and top 3 growing markets

Product category	(HS code) Product description, unit price range	Top growing markets (USD million)			Export opportunity (USD million)
		#1	#2	#3	
Dairy products, eggs, honey, edible animal products	(040690) Cheese except fresh, grated, processed or blue-veined, \$8-14	FR 267	US 206.6	DE 75.8	745.8
	(040500) Butter and other fats and oils derived from milk, \$4-6	RU 237.4	JP 34.3	ID 22.2	490.6
	(040130) Milk and cream not concentrated nor sweetened < 6% fa, \$1-3	CN 95.9	GB 60.7	RU 50.7	294.5
	(040299) Milk and cream nes sweetened or concentrated, \$1-3	RU 67.9	PH 48.1	SA 28.7	232.1
Live trees, plants, bulbs, roots, cut flowers etc	(060299) Plants, live (including their roots),nes, \$0-1	DK 156.3	FR 143.7	IE 22.6	408.5
	(060499) Foliage,branches, for bouquets, etc. - except fresh, \$4-13	DE 14.3	US 2.3	KR 2.2	30.1
Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers	(071080) Vegetables, frozen nes, uncooked steamed or boiled, \$1-3	US 75.1	JP 54.4	GB 23.9	227.5
	(070690) Beetroot,salsify,celeriac,radishes etc. fresh, chille, \$0-3	DE 8.9	KR 8.2	PL 6.6	52.0
	(071022) Beans, frozen, uncooked steamed or boiled, \$0-2	DE 3.7	IT 2.4	BE 2	18.3



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Edible fruit, nuts, peel of citrus fruit, melons	(080250) Pistachios, fresh or dried, \$7-19	HK 478.7	TR 95.8	ES 34	835.6
	(081190) Fruits and nuts (uncooked, steamed, boiled) frozen, ne, \$1-4	US 281.9	DE 81.9	CN 28.7	579.6
	(081010) Strawberries, fresh, \$2-7	US 293.1	GB 18.6	NL 18.2	427.7
	(080810) Apples, fresh, \$0-1	VN 46	PE 35.3	LK 22.6	317.3
	(080232) Walnuts, fresh or dried, shelled, \$5-10	GR 15.7	US 8.2	SA 5.5	60.6
Cereals	(100300) Barley, \$0-1	DE 178.4	JO 131.5	QA 76	743.2
Oil seed, oleagic fruits, grain, seed, fruit, etc, nes	(120100) Soya beans, \$0-2	IN 96	NP 71.6	US 43.4	320.4
	(120810) Soya bean flour or meal, \$0-3	AU 3.7	SE 2.8	CA 1.5	16.9
	(120890) Flour or meal of oil seed, fruit, except mustard, soy, \$1-8	IT 1.2	PL .7	DK .5	5.0
Animal, vegetable fats and oils, cleavage products, etc	(151800) Processed animal, vegetable oils, industrial preps ne, \$0-0	NL 205.8	SG 86.9	ES 55.9	564.0
	(151800) Processed animal, vegetable oils, industrial preps ne, \$0-4	SG 158.4	GB 88.1	AT 32	384.2
	(151790) Edible mix & preparations of animal & veg fat, oil ne, \$1-5	IE 36.4	KZ 26.7	BE 19.6	194.6
	(150790) Refined soya-bean oil, not chemically modified, \$0-2	IN 54.7	SA 8.8	NZ 8.3	124.6
	(150910) Olive oil, virgin, \$3-8	CH 47.1	JP 32.4	CN 9.7	117.1

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Meat, fish and seafood food preparations nes	(160239) Fowl, duck,goose, offal, prepared, preserved not live, \$3-6	JP 140.7	NL 48.3	IE 39.7	480.1
Sugars and sugar confectionery	(170111) Raw sugar, cane, \$0-2	EG 218.8	US 43.7	VN 27.3	328.1
	(170210) Lactose and lactose syrup, \$1-5	IE 21.2	IN 19.7	BE 13.4	184.2
	(170490) Sugar confectionery not chewing gum, no cocoa content, \$7-14	CN 36.3	FR 19.6	FI 18.5	137.1
	(170230) Glucose, glucose syrup < 20% fructose, \$0-2	DE 35	US 15.4	FI 10.7	121.0
	(170290) Sugar nes, invert sugar, caramel and artificial honey, \$1-5	NL 20	SA 8.2	NZ 5.7	74.7
Cocoa and cocoa preparations	(180632) Chocolate, cocoa prep, block/slab/bar, not filled,>2k, \$0-4	FR 206	GB 79.4	BE 78.7	646.4
	(180620) Chocolate and other food preps containing cocoa > 2 k, \$2-7	JP 120.9	US 103.2	GB 67.4	550.4
	(180631) Chocolate, cocoa preps, block, slab, bar, filled, >2k, \$4-12	AE 137.6	GB 89.1	US 30.5	492.9
	(180632) Chocolate, cocoa prep, block/slab/bar, not filled,>2k, \$4-12	US 43.9	RO 29.3	PL 29.1	359.9
	(180620) Chocolate and other food preps containing cocoa > 2 k, \$0-2	US 59.1	ES 36.1	FR 34.1	250.0
Cereal, flour, starch, milk preparations and products	(190190) Malt extract & limited cocoa pastrycooks products nes, \$1-4	TH 119.8	US 89.3	SN 65.7	668.0
	(190530) Sweet biscuits, waffles and wafers, \$5-11	FR 138.5	US 88.8	CN 53.4	387.3
	(190190) Malt extract & limited cocoa pastrycooks products nes, \$0-1	FR 78.8	PH 24.5	LK 16.9	309.2
	(190190) Malt extract & limited cocoa pastrycooks products nes, \$4-8	NL 91.7	CN 32.5	HK 10.3	203.1

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	(190120) Mixes and doughs for bread, pastry, biscuits, etc., \$0-1	FR 43.7	NL 36.2	CA 27	202.2
Vegetable, fruit, nut, etc food preparations	(200520) Potatoes, prepared or preserved, not frozen/vinegar, \$0-2	FR 195.9	IE 41.2	DE 21.5	336.9
	(200210) Tomatoes, whole/pieces, prepared/preserved, no vinega, \$0-2	GB 244.9	CZ 6.7	BE 5.1	282.1
	(200520) Potatoes, prepared or preserved, not frozen/vinegar, \$2-6	NL 30.7	HK 23.5	US 21.1	213.1
	(200919) Orange juice, not fermented, spirited, or frozen, \$0-2	PL 69.2	AT 26.3	SA 15.7	156.8
	(200190) Veg, fruit, nuts nes prepared or preserved by vinegar, \$1-3	US 49.2	DE 32.4	GB 12.9	152.0
Miscellaneous edible preparations	(210500) Ice cream and other edible ice, \$0-2	GB 86.7	FR 32.9	ES 32.4	259.1
	(210610) Protein concentrates and textured protein substances, \$2-13	DE 32.2	CA 30.6	GB 26	227.4
	(210410) Soups and broths and preparations thereof, \$2-6	US 41.3	IT 19.8	NE 17.5	193.6
	(210220) Yeasts, inactive, dead unicellular organisms nes, \$2-17	US 52.6	NL 15.4	KR 5.7	115.1
	(210210) Yeasts, active, \$2-17	LK 10.4	US 9.8	UZ 9.4	94.9
Residues, wastes of food industry, animal fodder	(230910) Dog or cat food (retail), \$0-1	GB 167.5	FR 54.4	SE 34.5	480.5
	(230990) Animal feed preparations nes, \$4-9	ES 50.4	IN 37.4	PL 15.9	199.7