



Food Loss in Norway

Data

Under the FOLU project, data on food loss were collected for each member state of the European Union. The bellow tables and graphs provide an overview of the data in Austria. The years of observation are ranging from 2011 to 2024. The numbers bellow represent averages per commodity. More information can be found in the Food Loss Repository¹.

Table 5: Data on the food loss ratio per commodity in Norway

Commodity	Commodity Category	NACE	FL% average	Quantification Method
Apple	Fruits and Vegetables	01.24	5.5	Literature / Experts
Barley	Cereals and Pulses	01.11	4	Literature / Experts
Beef	Meat and Dairy Products	01.42	10	Literature / Experts
Cabbage	Fruits and Vegetables	01.13	10.66	Literature / Experts
Carrot	Roots, Tubers and Oil Crops	01.13	22	NA
Cauliflower	Fruits and Vegetables	01.13	8.55	NA
Cucumber and Gherkin	Fruits and Vegetables	01.13	2.5	Literature / Experts
Currants	Fruits and Vegetables	01.25	13	Literature / Experts
Egg	Meat and Dairy Products	01.47	1	Literature / Experts
Farmed fish	Fish and Fisheries Products	03.11	14	Literature / Experts
Fish caught	Fish and Fisheries Products	03.11	3.6	Literature / Experts
Iceberg	Fruits and Vegetables	01.13	2.6	NA
Lettuce and chicory	Fruits and Vegetables	01.13	0.7	Literature / Experts
Milk (cow)	Meat and Dairy Products	01.41	4	
Mushroom and truffle	Fruits and Vegetables	01.13	17	Literature / Experts
Oat	Cereals and Pulses	01.11	0.3	Literature / Experts
Offal	Meat and Dairy Products		0.01	Literature / Experts
Onion	Roots, Tubers and Oil Crops	01.13	4	NA
Onion and shallot, green	Roots, Tubers and Oil Crops	01.13	4	Literature / Experts / Surveys / Records
Pea, green	Fruits and Vegetables	01.11	7	Literature / Experts / Surveys / Records
Pear	Fruits and Vegetables	01.24	8.10	Literature / Experts
Pork	Meat and Dairy Products	01.46	8.8	Literature / Experts
Potato	Roots, Tubers and Oil Crops	01.13	10	Literature / Experts
Poultry	Meat and Dairy Products	01.47	3	Literature / Experts
Raspberry	Fruits and Vegetables	01.25	10	NA
Rye	Cereals and Pulses	01.11	3	Literature / Experts
Salmon	Fish and Fisheries Products	03.11	1	Weighing / Observation
Strawberry	Fruits and Vegetables	01.25	4	Literature / Experts
Sugar beet	Roots, Tubers and Oil Crops	01.13	2.5	Literature / Experts
Table swede	Fruits and Vegetables	01.13	5.33	NA
Tomato	Fruits and Vegetables	01.13	5	Literature / Experts
Wheat	Cereals and Pulses	01.11	15.5	Literature / Experts / Surveys / Records

¹ <https://www.folou.eu/document/#databases-and-tools>

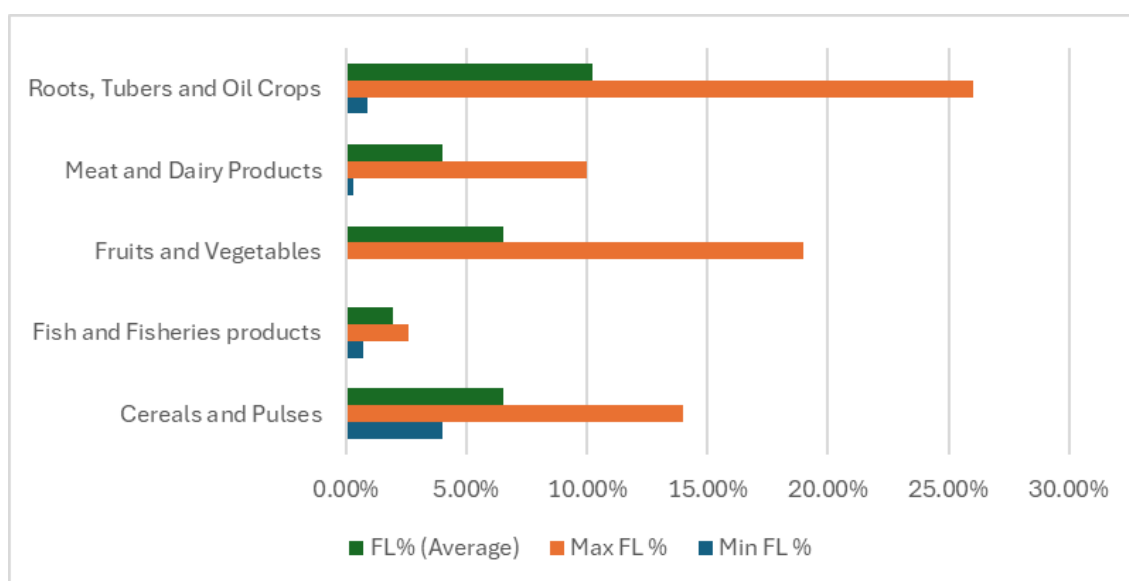


Figure 1: Minimum, maximum and average food loss ratio per commodity category in Norway

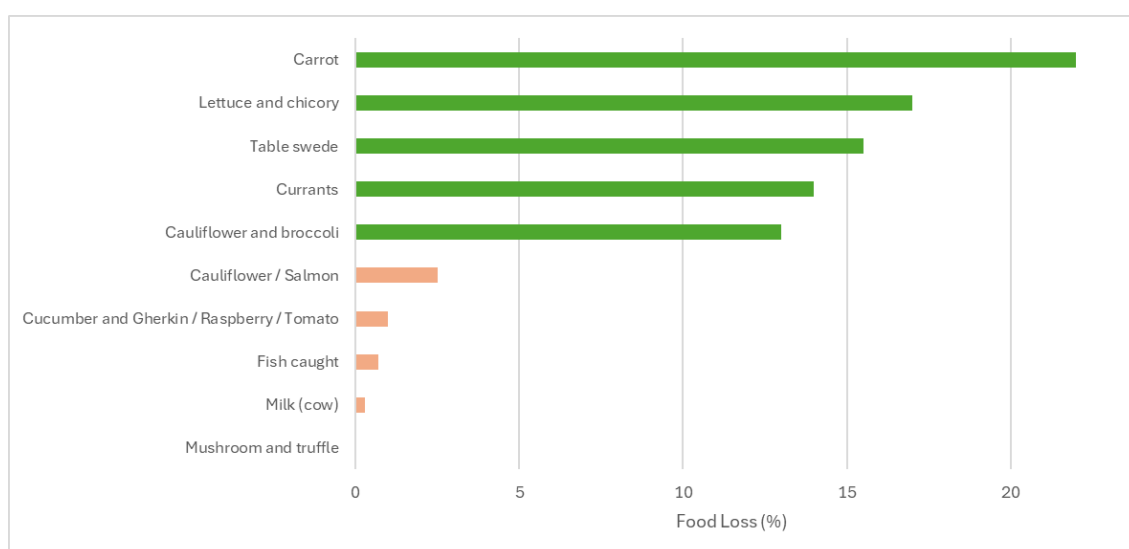


Figure 2: The top 5 and the bottom 5 commodities in terms of the average food loss ratio in Norway

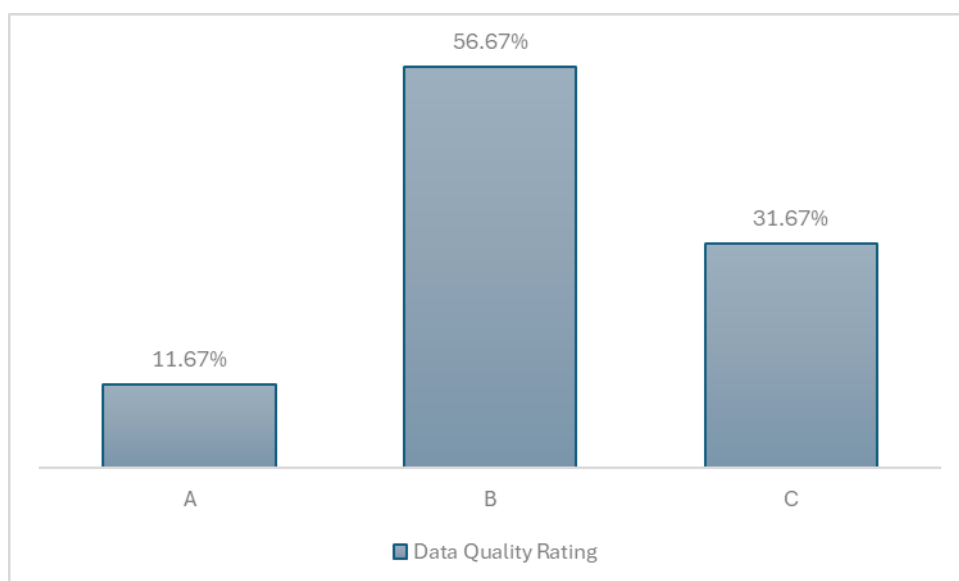


Figure 3: Data quality status for the Food Loss data in Norway

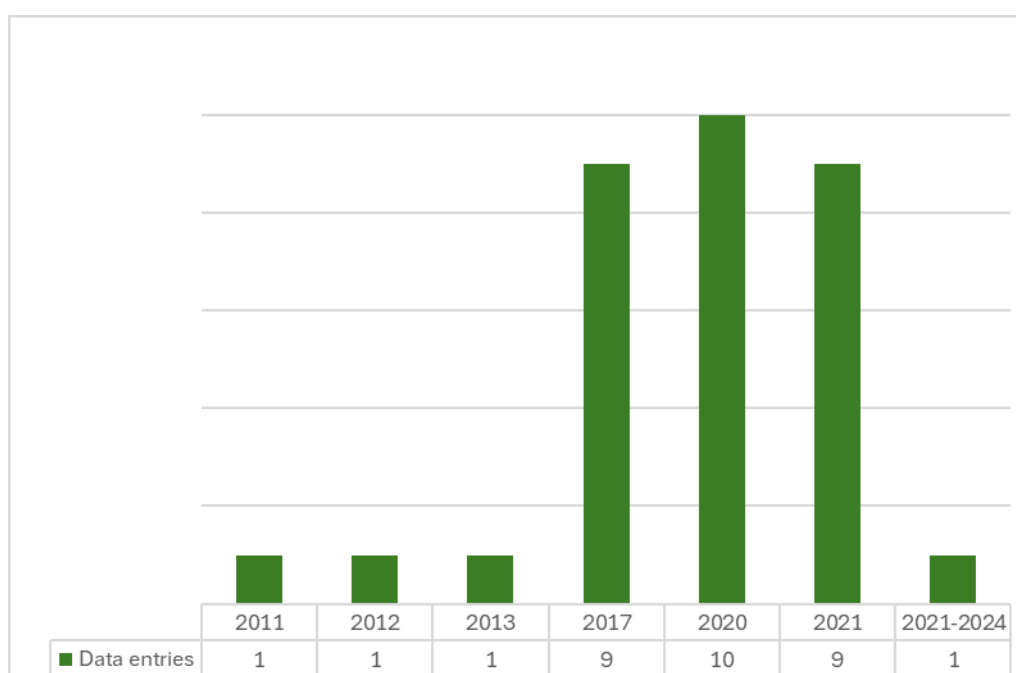


Figure 4: Number of data entries per year in Norway