



Food Loss in Great Britain

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 Great Britain. The years of observation are ranging from 2011 to 2018. The numbers bellow represent averages per commodity. More information can be found in the Food Loss Repository¹.

Table 4: Data on the food loss ratio per commodity in Great Britain

Commodity	Commodity Category	NACE	FL% average	Quantification Method
Apple	Fruits and Vegetables	01.24	13.6	Literature / Experts
Avocado	Fruits and Vegetables	01.22	30	Surveys / Records
Banana	Fruits and Vegetables	01.22	3	Literature / Experts
Barley	Cereals and Pulses	01.11	1.3	Literature / Experts
Blueberry	Fruits and Vegetables	01.25	5	Surveys / Records
Brussel sprout	Fruits and Vegetables	01.13	25	Literature / Experts
Cabbage	Fruits and Vegetables	01.13	19	Literature / Experts / Surveys / Records
Carrot	Roots, Tubers and Oil Crops	01.13	15.7	Literature / Experts
Carrot and Turnip	Roots, Tubers and Oil Crops	01.13	40	Literature / Experts / Surveys / Records
Cauliflower and broccoli	Fruits and Vegetables	01.13	9.2	Literature / Experts / Surveys / Records
Cider Apple & Perry Pear	Fruits and Vegetables	01.24	5	Literature / Experts
Lettuce	Fruits and Vegetables	01.13	21.9	Literature / Experts
Lettuce and chicory	Fruits and Vegetables	01.13	20	Literature / Experts / Surveys / Records
Milk (cow)	Meat and Dairy Products	01.41	0.8	Literature / Experts
Oilseed rape	Roots, Tubers and Oil Crops	01.11	3	Literature / Experts
Onion	Roots, Tubers and Oil Crops	01.13	17.3	Literature / Experts
Onion and shallot, green	Roots, Tubers and Oil Crops	01.13	9.25	NA
Other citrus	Fruits and Vegetables	01.23	3	NA
Parsnip	Roots, Tubers and Oil Crops	01.13	15.7	Literature / Experts
Pea, green	Cereals and Pulses	01.11	17	Literature / Experts
Pork	Meat and Dairy Products	01.46	2.7	Literature / Experts
Potato	Roots, Tubers and Oil Crops	01.13	5.08	Literature / Experts
Poultry	Meat and Dairy Products	01.47	3.5	Literature / Experts
Raspberry	Fruits and Vegetables	01.25	3	Literature / Experts / Surveys / Records
Sheep	Meat and Dairy Products	01.45	4.1	Literature / Experts
Strawberry	Fruits and Vegetables	01.25	5.21	Literature / Experts / Surveys / Records
Sugar beet	Roots, Tubers and Oil Crops	01.13	3.9	Literature / Experts
Tomato	Fruits and Vegetables	01.13	7.57	Literature / Experts
Wheat	Cereals and Pulses	01.11	1.3	Literature / Experts / Surveys / Records

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

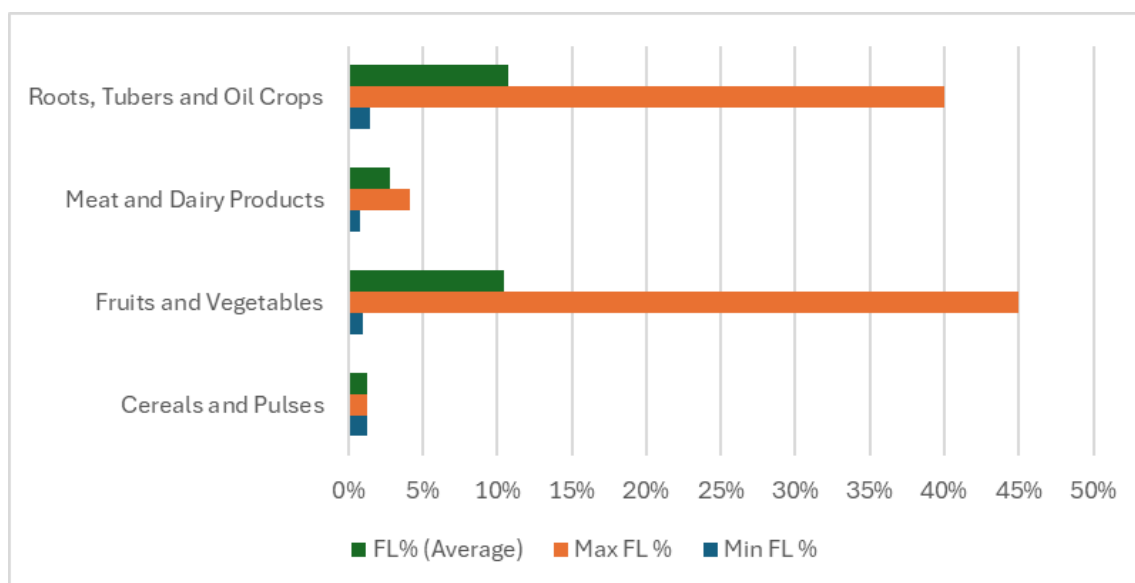


Figure 1: Minimum, maximum and average food loss ratio per commodity category in Great Britain

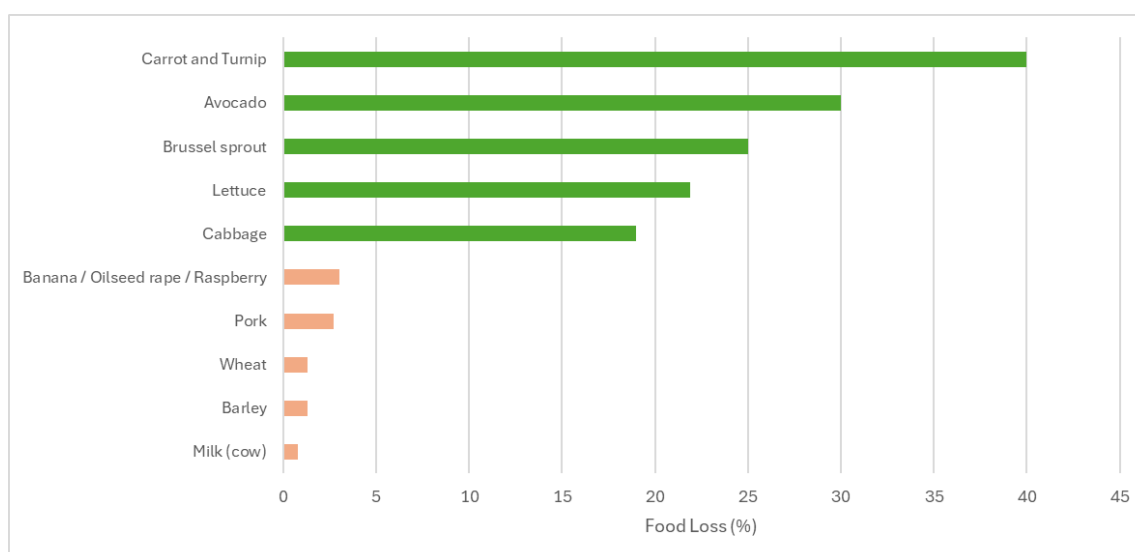


Figure 2: The top 5 and the bottom 5 commodities in terms of the average food loss ratio in Great Britain

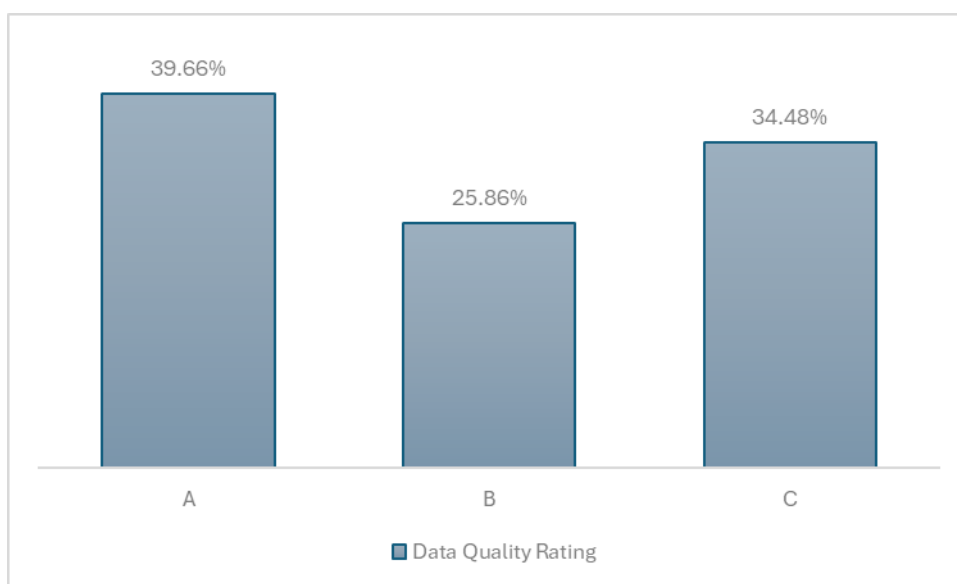


Figure 3: Data quality status for the Food Loss data in Great Britain

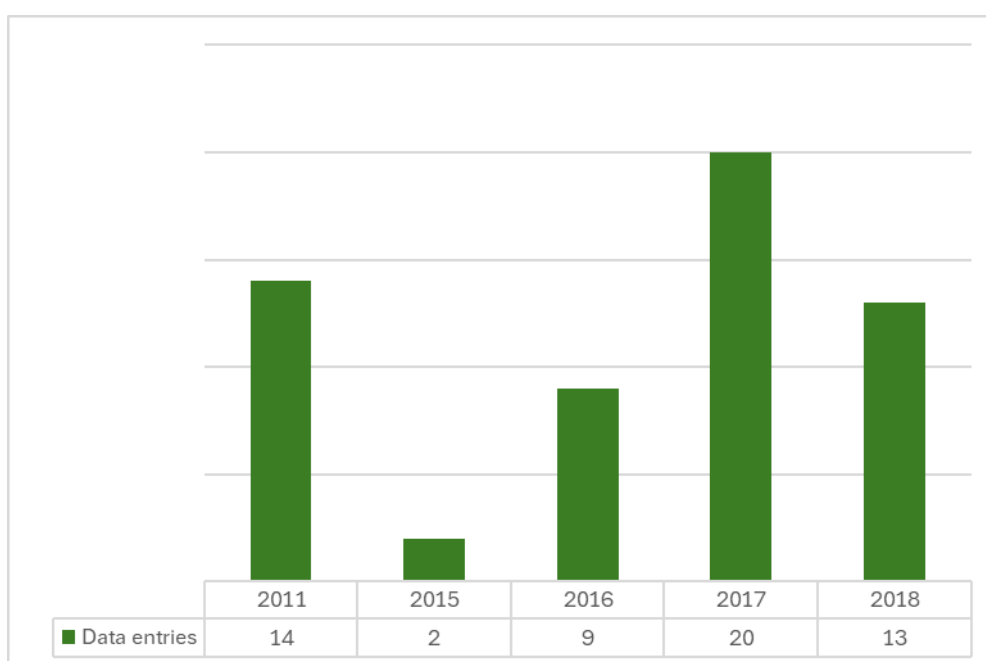


Figure 4: Number of data entries per year in Great Britain