EXPORT PERFORMANCE: PREPARED FOOD AND BEVERAGES

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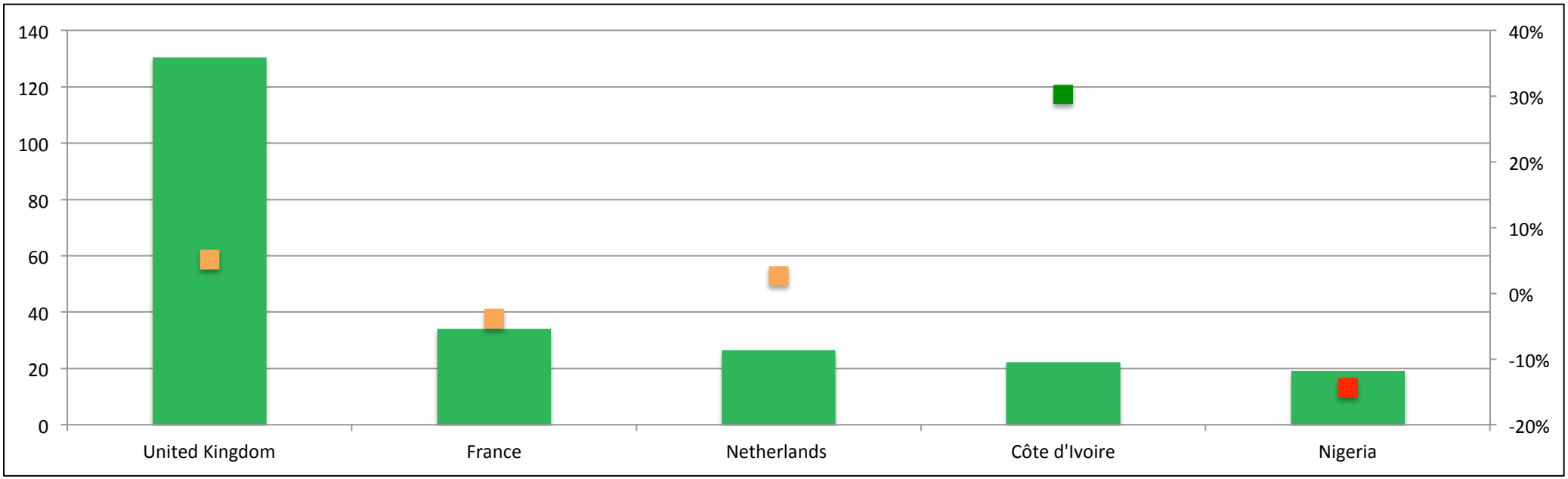
- Total exports of prepared food and beverages reached 344 million USD in 2016. Compared to 2015, when the export value amounted 381 million USD, exports decreased by -9.7%.
- The total average annual growth of Ghanaian exports for prepared food and beverages during 2012-2016 reached +6.4%.
- With almost 38% market share, United Kingdom is the dominant export destination for Ghana. France (9.9%), The Netherlands (7.7%), Côte d'Ivoire (6.5%) and Nigeria (5.6%) complete the top 5 of export partners. Two-thirds of the total prepared food and beverages exports from Ghana went to the five largest destinations.
- Exports to Côte d'Ivoire achieved great average annual growth rates during 2012-2016: +30%. Compared to 2015, Ghanaian exports to the neighboring country were even doubled. From 11 million USD previous year to 22 million USD in 2016.

Figure 1 – Top 5 Ghanaian export destinations for food and beverages (green bars: USD million in 2016, squares: average annual growth '12/'16)



Source: Customs Ghana.