

## NEWSLETTER

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#### **Chengdu Yimin Specialty Fruit Import and Export Distribution Center Project Launched**

The Chengdu Yimin Specialty Fruit Import and Export Distribution Center project covers an area of 44 acres, with a total investment of approximately 14 million USD. Leveraging Pujiang's 500,000-mu of high-quality fruit resources and the platform foundation of the "Global Fruit Expo," the project aims to establish a modern fruit distribution hub to further strengthen Chengdu's role as an international agricultural supply chain hub. **(China News)**

#### **Ecuador to raise banana export price in 2026, with import volume to China surging by 37.67%**

Ecuador will raise the minimum export price for a 15lb box of bananas by \$0.25 to \$7.50 for 2026, with an increase of \$0.25 compared to the previous price. According to data from the Ecuadorian banana industry organization Acorbanec, exports to the Chinese market grew by 37.67% from January to July 2025, making China, along with Argentina and Saudi Arabia, one of the most dynamic markets during this period. **(Asia Fruit)**

#### **Cambodian durians imported for the first time via Guangxi port**

Guangxi's Pingxiang Youyi port received its first 19.8-ton shipment of Cambodian durians in late September, following the signing of a new phytosanitary protocol earlier this year. According to statistics, from January to August 2025, 837,000 tons of fruit were imported through the Youyi Checkpoint, with a year-on-year increase of 57%. This included 476,000 tons of durians, up 22.7% compared to the same period last year. **(Asia Fruit)**

#### **Indonesia seeks to bypass Thailand to directly supply durians to China, aiming to triple profit margins**

Indonesia recently announced that it is actively exploring opportunities to export durians directly to China, bypassing intermediary countries like Thailand and Malaysia, in order to increase profit margins to 30%. According to Chinese customs data, China's durian imports hit a record 15.6 billion kilograms in 2024, a 9.4% year-on-year increase, with a total value close to 7 billion USD. **(China Fruit Portal)**

#### **Dali's dairy product exports grow over 1010% in the first eight months**

Dali Prefecture is the largest base for dairy cattle breeding and dairy product processing in Yunnan Province and even in southern China. According to Dali Customs, in the first eight months of 2025, Dali exported 193.77 tons of dairy products worth 3.4095 million yuan (€0.41 million), representing year-on-year increases of over 1010% and 1600%, respectively. **(China News Network)**