

**Question for written answer E-015063/2015  
to the Commission**

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Subject: EU-China bilateral agreement on the protection of geographical indications

Negotiations on the EU-China bilateral agreement on the protection of geographical indications began in 2009, but they have not yet been concluded.

At what stage are the negotiations now? What are the sticking points delaying the conclusion of the agreement?