

GERMANY - Agricultural Census 1999/2000 - Main Results

NUMBER AND TOTAL AREA OF HOLDINGS		
	Number of holdings	Area (ha)
Total	471 960	19 097 900

NUMBER AND TOTAL AREA OF HOLDINGS BY SIZE OF AGRICULTURAL AREA		
	Number of holdings	Area (ha)
Total	471 960	19 097 900
without agricultural land	2 070	9 290
0 - 1.99 ha of agricultural area	35 760	54 500
2 - 4.99 ha	79 800	410 020
5 - 9.99 ha	73 950	714 450
10 - 19.99 ha	87 360	1 578 670
20 - 29.99 ha	51 770	1 514 570
30 - 49.99 ha	62 580	2 755 890
50 - 99.99 ha	54 310	4 078 210
>= 100 ha	24 360	7 982 300

LEGAL STATUS		
Holdings operated by:	Number of holdings	
Civil Persons	440 060	-
Other	31 900	-

TENURE OF AGRICULTURAL LAND		
		Agricultural area (ha)
Total	-	17 151 560
Owned	-	6 224 280
Rented	-	10 766 640
Other forms of tenure	-	160 640

HOLDERS (INDIVIDUALS) BY SEX		
	Number of holders	
Total	440 060	-
Male	401 130	-
Female	38 930	-

HOLDERS (INDIVIDUALS) BY AGE		
	Number of holders	
Total	440 060	-
< 35 years of age	72 530	-
35 to 44	128 940	-
45 to 54	113 800	-
55 to 64	99 110	-
65 >	25 680	-

HOLDERS AND MEMBERS OF THEIR HOUSEHOLD ENGAGED IN AGRICULTURAL WORK ON THE HOLDING		
	Number of persons	
Total	940 810	-
Male	588 130	-
Female	352 680	-
Of which, full time:		
Total	231 490	-
Male	202 520	-
Female	28 980	-

HIRED PERMANENT WORKERS		
	Number of workers	
Total	195 730	-
Of which, full time:	150 880	-

LAND USE		
	Number of holdings	Area (ha)
All land	471 960	19 097 900
Agricultural land	-	17 151 560
Cropland	-	12 037 760
Arable land	356 510	11 830 080
Of which: kitchen gardens	57 970	8 600
Permanent crops	67 890	207 680
Permanent mead./pastures	371 170	5 113 800
Wood / forest land	246 520	1 496 790
All other land	-	449 550

TEMPORARY CROPS		
	Holdings reporting	Area (ha)
Wheat, total	-	2 601 120
Soft wheat	200 160	2 589 100
Durum wheat	1 930	12 020
Rye	57 460	756 920
Barley	239 840	2 210 350
Oats	162 440	695 550
Maize	41 690	370 740
Dry pulses	20 900	212 200
Potatoes	96 170	308 500
Sugarbeets	48 250	489 160
Industrial plants	88 020	1 466 530
Rapeseed and Turnip	78 970	1 198 040
Tobacco	660	4 310
Hops	2 330	18 490
Sunflowerseed	3 610	33 350
Vegetables (in the open)	20 690	101 020

LIVESTOCK		
	Holdings reporting	Number of head
Cattle, total	237 960	14 895 810
of which: dairy cows	152 650	4 765 140
Sheep	33 980	2 723 660
Pigs	141 450	26 101 030
Chickens, total	-	68 970 000
Broilers	115 120	58 330 000
Laying hens	15 460	10 640 000