

LATVIA – Agricultural Census 2020 – Main Results¹

Number of holdings and area, by legal status		
	Holdings	UAA (ha)
Total	68 980	1 968 960
Natural person	68 000	1 767 210
Group holding	820	143 980
Legal entities	160	57 770

Land tenure		
	Holdings	UAA (ha)
Total	68 980	1 968 960
Legal ownership and owner-like possession	63 740	1 214 490
Rented from others	15 460	754 470

Distribution of UAA, by land size classes		
	Holdings	UAA (ha)
Total	68 980	1 968 960
Holdings without UAA	1 720	
Holdings with UAA	67 270	1 968 960
Less than 2 ha	13 790	12 230
2–4.99 ha	16 880	57 020
5–9.99 ha	13 190	93 340
10–19.99 ha	9 910	138 460
20–29.99 ha	3 690	89 860
30–49.99 ha	3 260	124 900
50–99.99 ha	2 800	196 720
100 ha and over	3 740	1 256 430

Land use		
	Holdings	Area (ha)
Total	68 980	2 830 130
UAA	67 270	1 968 960
Arable land	49 800	1 333 290
Land temporarily fallow	6 330	56 590
Land under permanent crops	6 500	7 580
Permanent meadows and pastures	53 500	626 140
Kitchen garden	10 020	1 950
Other land	59 480	861 170
Wooded area	40 670	626 200
Unutilised agricultural land and other areas	14 940	72 860
Other areas	54 720	162 100

Managers by sex ²		
	Number	UAA operated (ha)
Total	68 980	1 968 960
Male	38 100	1 471 760
Female	30 890	497 200

Members of holder's household, by sex	
	Number
Total engaged in agricultural activities on the holding	133 460
Male	68 940
Female	64 530

Labour force of the holding	
	Number
Total	155 070
Male	83 570
Female	71 500
Family labour force	133 460
Male	68 940
Female	64 530
Regular non-family labour force	21 610
Male	14630
Female	6 980

Managers by sex and age ²	
	Number
Total	68 980
Male	38 100
Female	30 890
Less than 25 years	340
Male	220
Female	120
25–34 years	3 270
Male	2 210
Female	1 060
35–39 years	3 080
Male	1 910
Female	1 170
40–44 years	4 680
Male	2 890
Female	1 800
45–54 years	16 200
Male	9 810
Female	6 390
55–64 years	20 810
Male	11 690
Female	9 110
65 years and over	20 600
Male	9 360
Female	11 240

Livestock		
	Holdings	Heads
Total holdings with livestock	28 150	
Cattle	16 400	415 620
Sheep	3 010	121 160
Goats	2 110	13 090
Pigs/swine	3 650	327 070
Poultry (1 000 head)	10 120	5 806 550
Poultry - broilers	370	
Laying hens	9 960	
others	2 240	300 510
Other animals	1 990	
Rabbits and hares	1 870	43 470
Other	160	
Insects		
Bees (hives)	3 520	104 050

Irrigation		
	Holdings	Irrigable area (ha)
Holdings with irrigable area	530	1 240
Holdings with irrigated area	470	890

¹Data source – Eurostat database, available at: <https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/web/agriculture/data/database>

²According to Eurostat, managers include holders that manage the holding themselves, and managers that are not holders, including legal units. Please note that, sum of individual components may not equal total holdings or managers due to rounding