

Sweden: Organic development

Main livestock species: Young stock/sucklers/dairy cows/ewes/lamb (number of enterprises)

Certified Land area in 2003: 225 776 ha + (EU 206 224 ha) = 432 000 ha (8%)

Number of producers in 2003: 3363

of which livestock producers: 3139

Certification bodies: KRAV only (Demeter)

National organic farming support introduced: national from 1989 and EU-subsidies from 1995

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Value of the whole-sale market: 1 422 487 Euro
(2002)

Value of the livestock market: _____ - _____ Euro

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National regulation introduced: 1985 KRAV started

Topics regulated: crops, animals, apiculture, aquaculture, slaughter, processing, pet food, textiles, hides and skins, fishing, wild crops, retailers a.s.o.

Key differences to EU Regulation 2092/91:

- Max 30% concentrates to others than dairy cows
 - Avermectins
 - No indoor fattening during grazing period
 - With-drawal period, 6 months

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Problems areas in organic livestock:

- Tethered dairy cows and regular exercise
- External parasites
- 100 % organic to poultry and pig production