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Data collection on organic agriculture worldwide

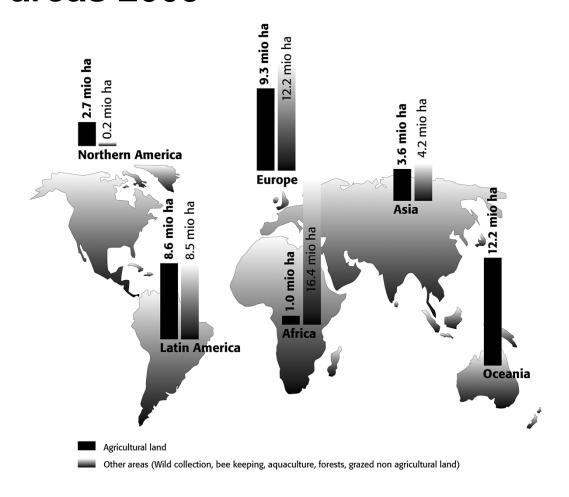
Helga Willer, Research Institute of Organic Agriculture (FiBL) IFOAM Organic World Congress, September 28 - October 2, 2011, Presentation at the Workshop on data collection in organic agriculture on September 29, 2011

Countries and territories covered by the global survey on organic agriculture 2009

	Countries with data on organic agriculture	Countries per region	Share of countries that provided data (%)
Africa	38	57	67%
Asia	37	49	76%
Europe	45	46	98%
South & Central America, Caribbean	29	45	64%
North America	2	5	40%
Oceania	9	13	69%
World	160	214	75%

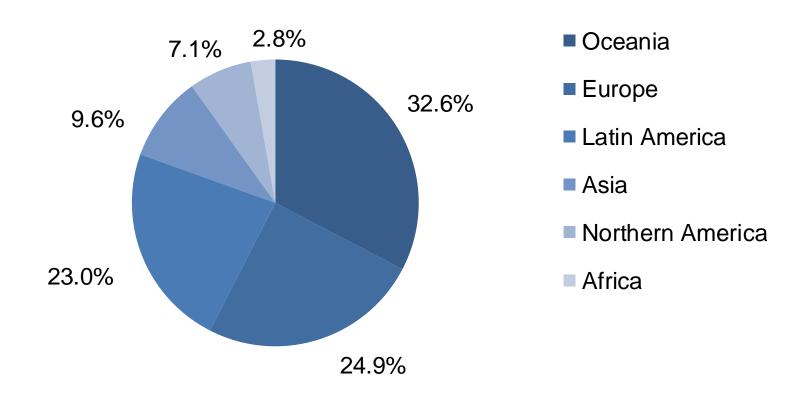


Organic agricultural land and other organic areas 2009



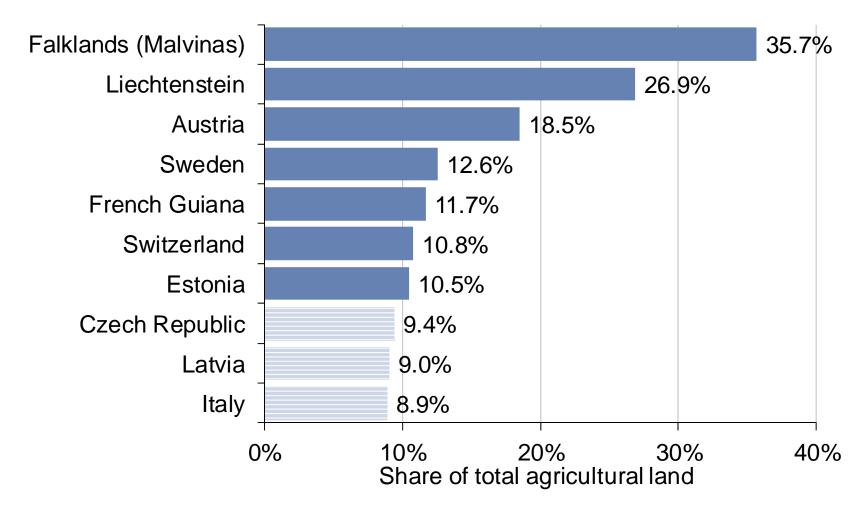


Distribution of organic agricultural land by region 2009





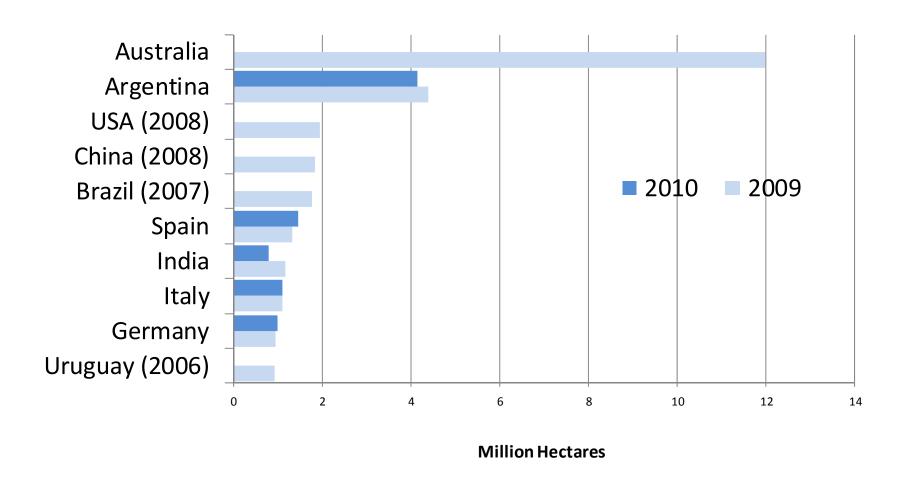
The ten countries/areas with the highest shares of organic agricultural land 2009





Source: FiBL/IFOAM Survey 2011, based on data from governments, organic sector organisations and certifiers.

World: The ten countries with the most organic agricultural land 2009/2010

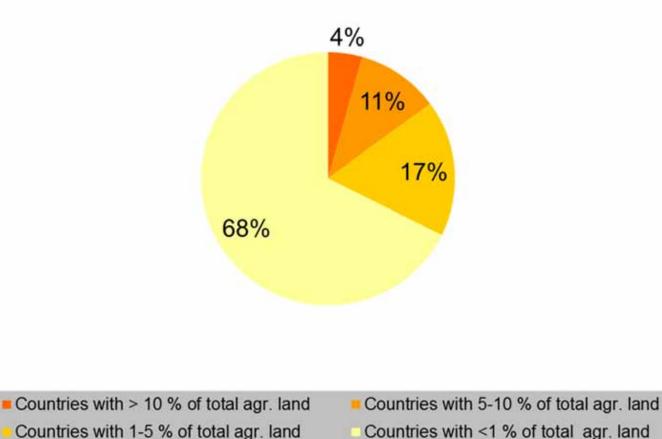


Argentina, US and Uruguay: Only fully converted areas





Distribution of organic shares of the total agricultural areas 2009 (total countries 160)

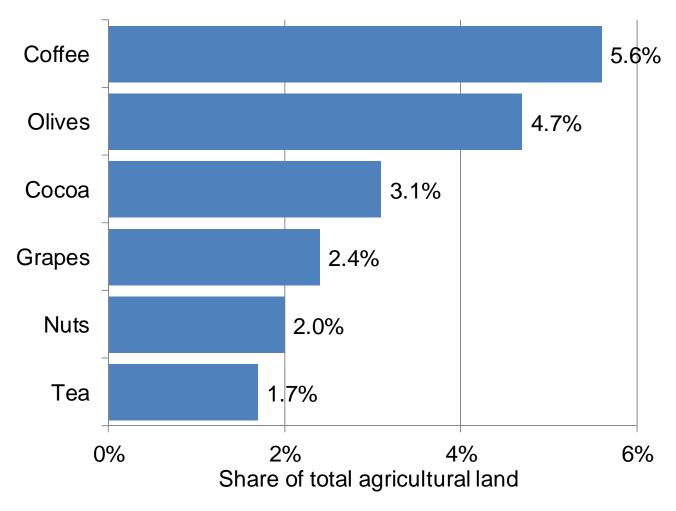




Source: FiBL & IFOAM 2011

Shares of some key crops of the respective total area (2009)

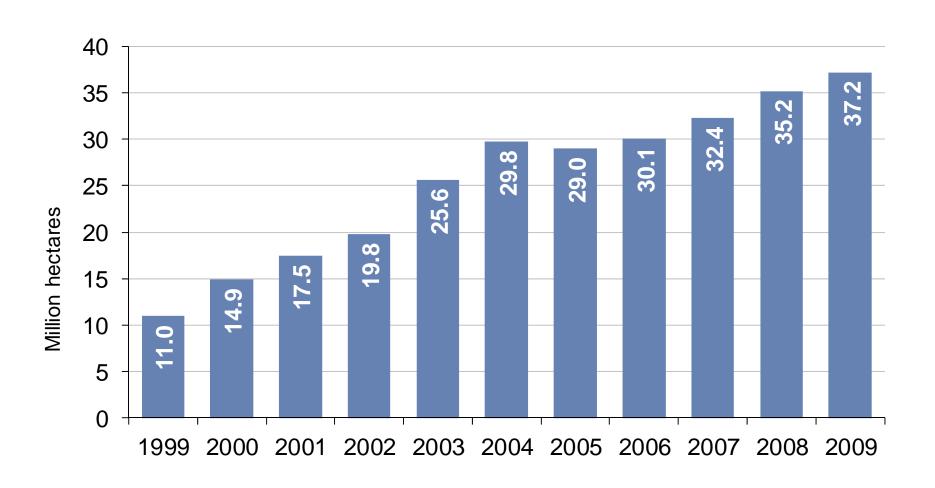
(not for all countries with data on organic farming land use data were available)





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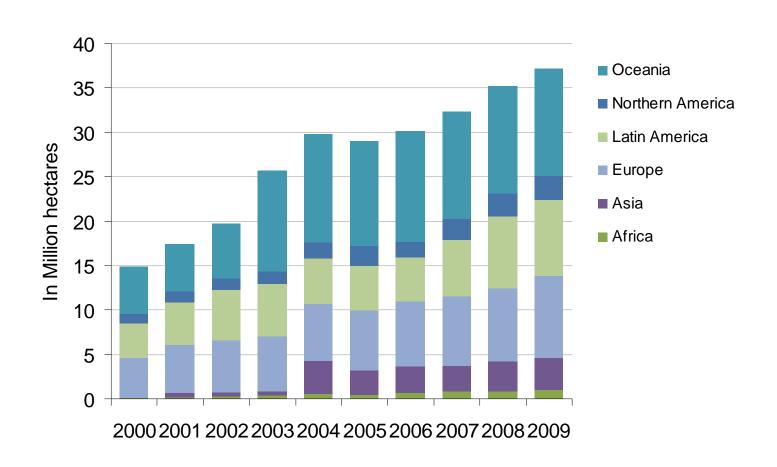
World: Development of organic agricultural land 1999-2009





Source: FiBL, IFOAM and SOEL 2000-2011

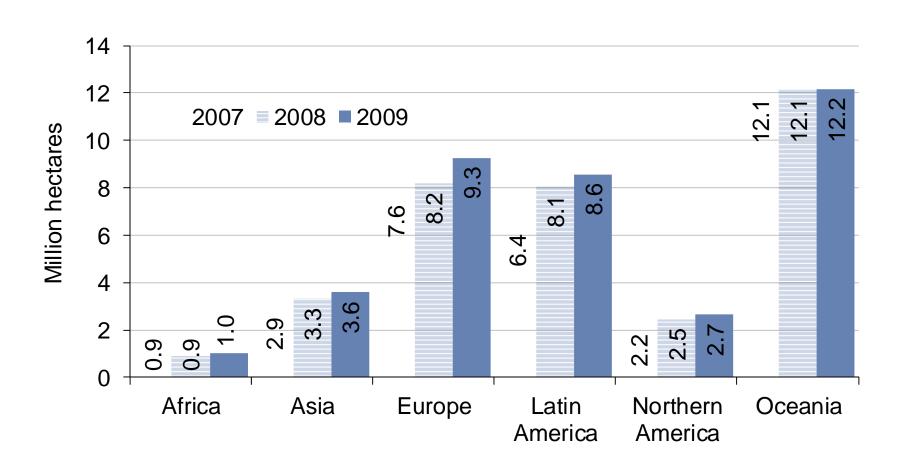
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World: Development of organic agricultural land 2007 to 2009 by geographical region



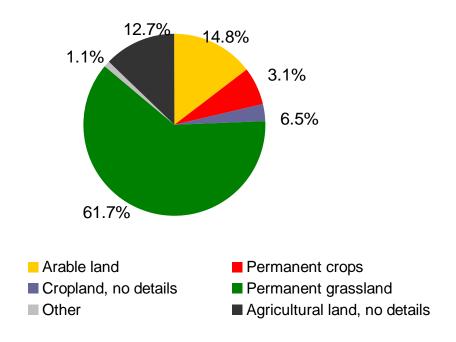


Source: FiBL & IFOAM Surveys 2009-2011

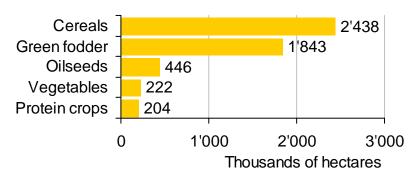
World: Use of organic agricultural land 2009 (total: 37.2 million hectares)

Source: FiBL & IFOAM Survey 2011

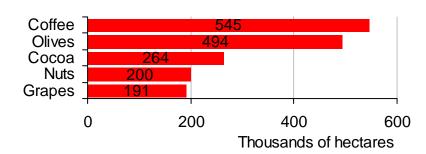
Distritbution of main agricultural land use types 2008



The main arable crops 2009



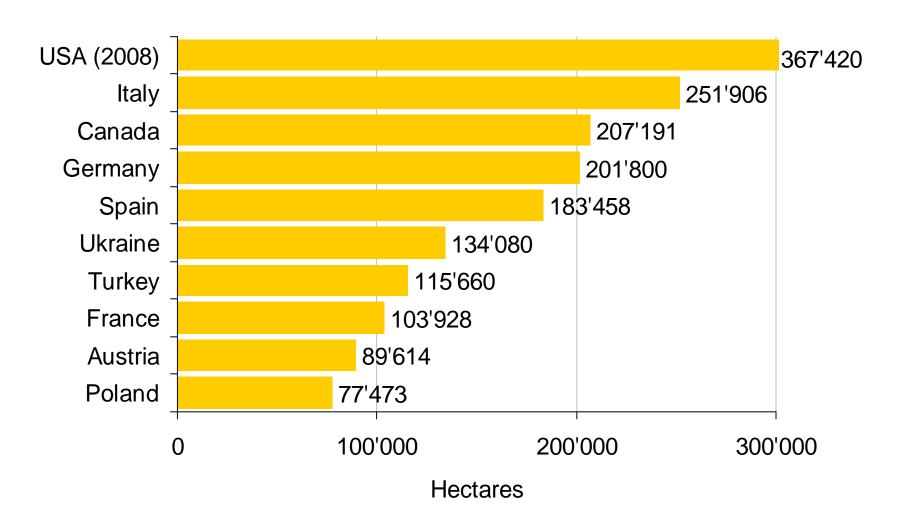
The main permanent crops 2009





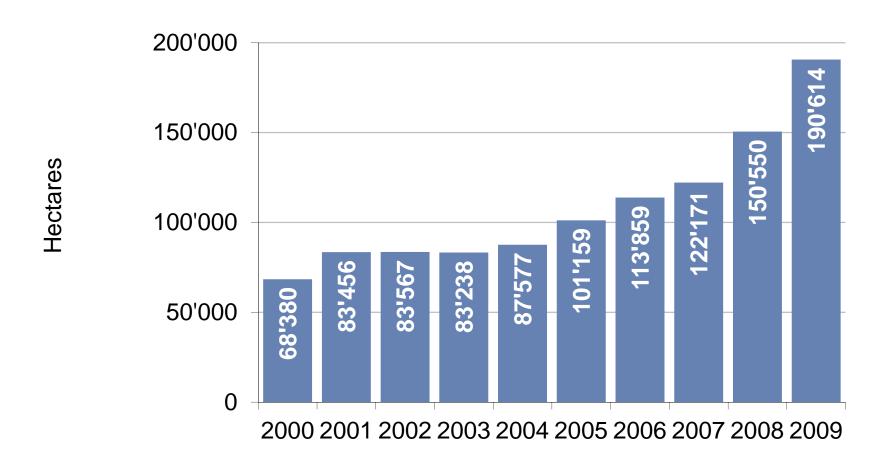


Organic cereals: The ten countries with the largest areas 2009





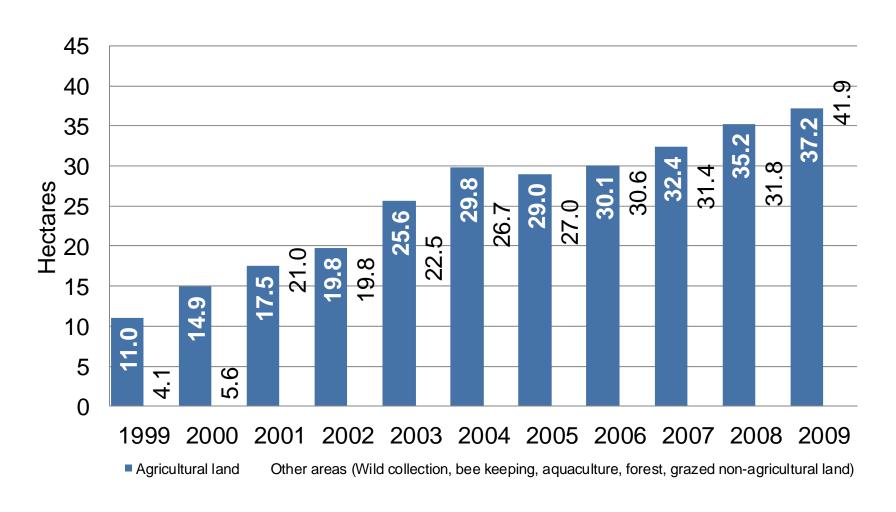
Development of the organic grape area worldwide 2000-2009 (including in-conversion areas)



Source: FiBL 2000-2011



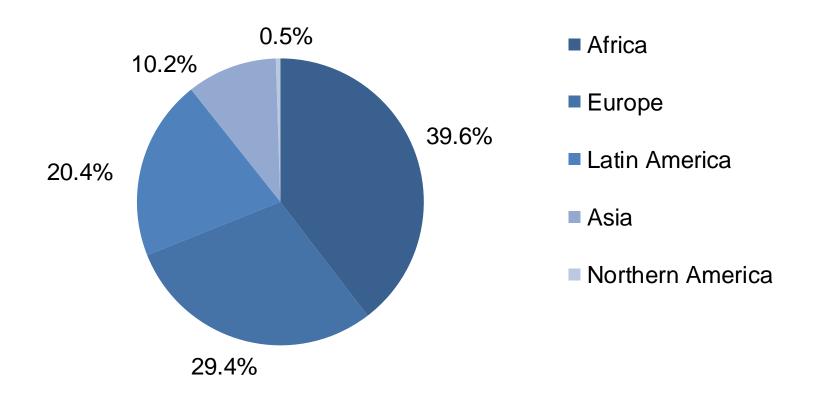
Development of organic agricultural land and other organic areas 1999 to 2009





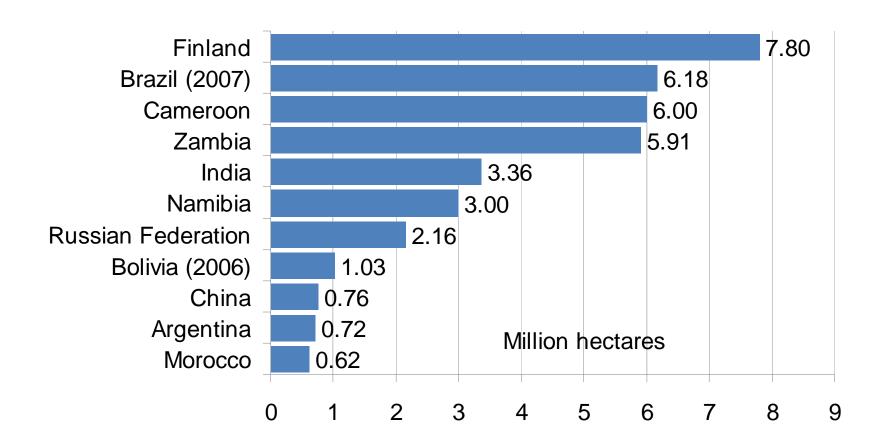
Source: FiBL /IFOAM/SÖL 2000-2011

Distribution of organic wild collection areas by region 2009



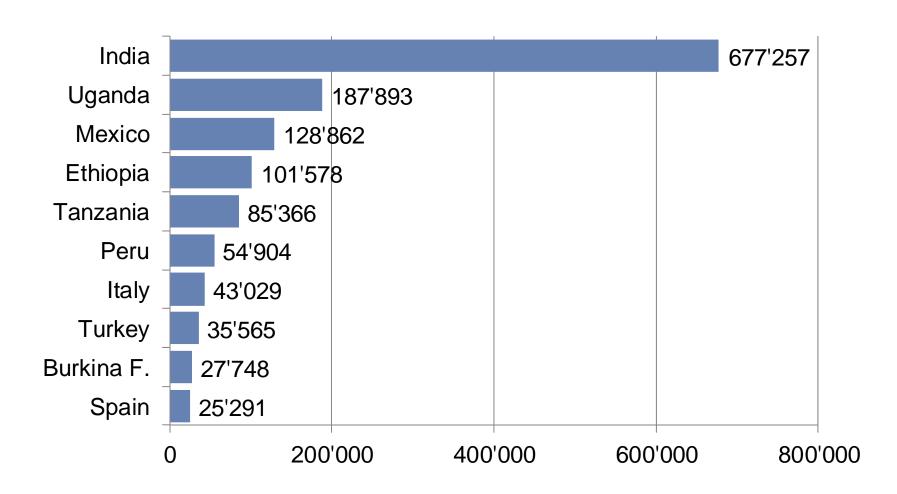


Organic wild collection: The ten countries with the largest wild collection areas (including bee-keeping) 2009





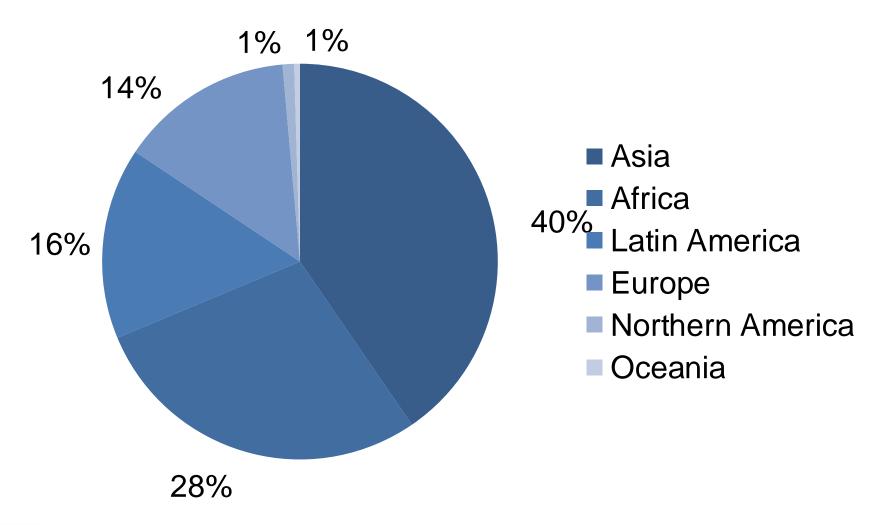
The ten countries with the largest numbers of organic producers 2009





Source: FiBL/IFOAM Survey 2011, based on data from governments, the organic sector and certifiers

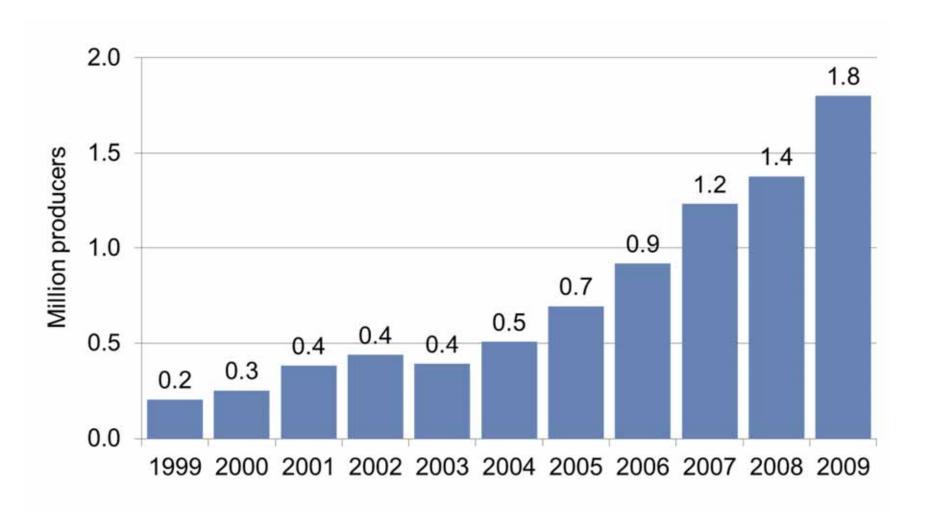
Organic producers by geographical region 2009 (total: 1.8 million)





Source: FiBL & IFOAM 2011

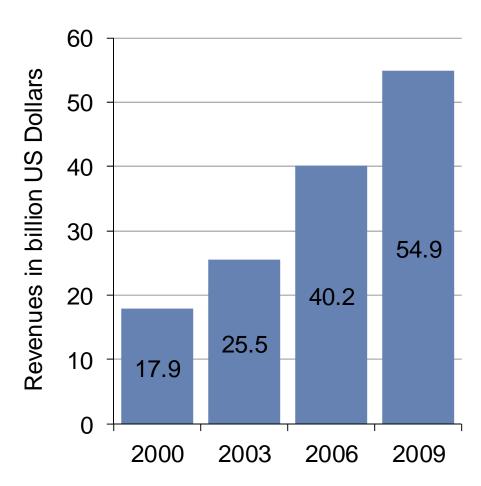
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Source: FiBL, IFOAM & SOEL 1999-2011

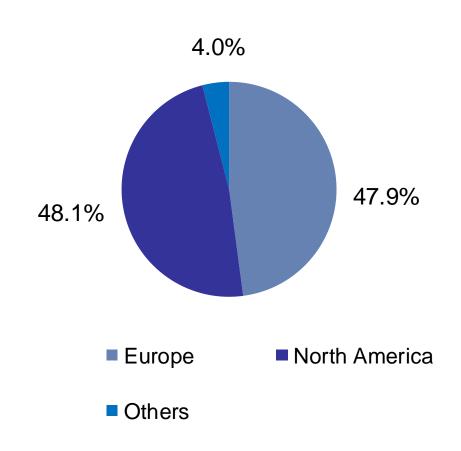
Development of the global market for organic food and beverages





Source: Organic Monitor (Sahota 2011)

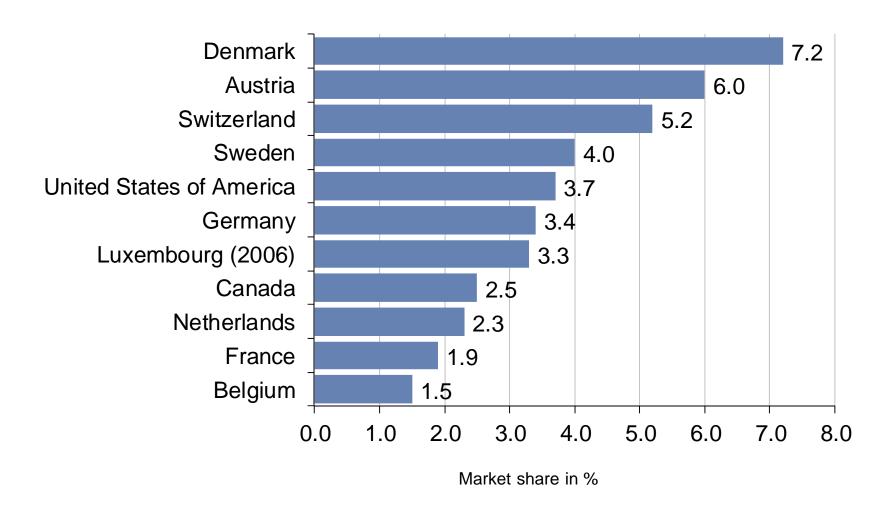
Distribution of organic food sales by region 2009





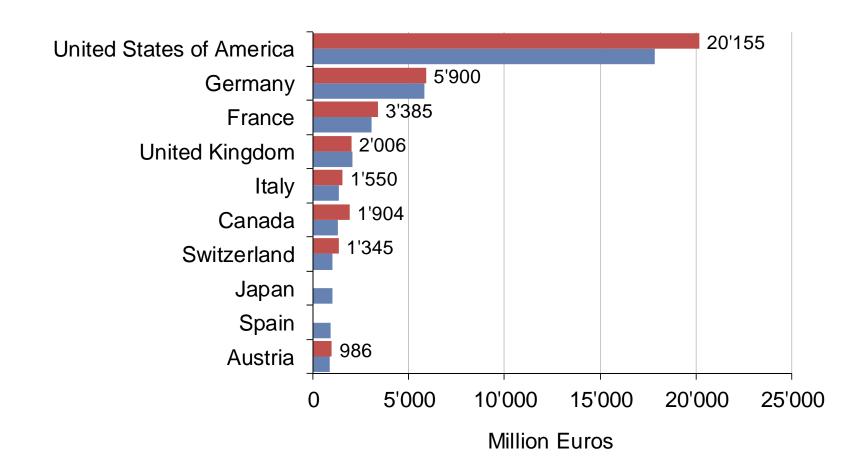
Source: Organic Monitor, Sahota 2011

The countries with the highest shares of organic food sales 2009





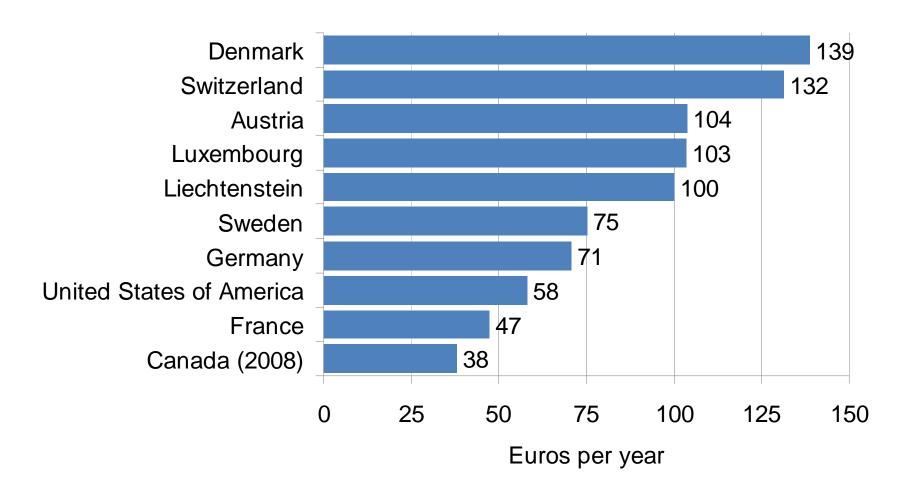
The countries with the largest domestic markets for organic food 2009 & 2010





Source: FiBL, based on national sources

The countries with the highest per capita consumption 2009





Next steps

- Market data by commodity
- > Export totals and by commodity
- > Imports: totals and by commodity
- > Production



Data collection: Achievements and tools

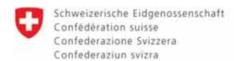


The Global Survey on Organic Agriculture: Supporters

> International Trade Centre, Geneva



 The Swiss State Secretariat of Economic Affairs SECO, Berne



Swiss Confederation

 Nürnberg Messe, the organizers of t BioFach Organic Trade Fair

Federal Department of Economic Affairs FDEA State Secretariat for Economic Affairs SECO





SECO ITC project: Global information system for organic production and market data (2008-2011)

- Activities under the project: Global information system for organic production and market data
- The data database was set up and maintained by flexinfo, Frick, Switzerland,
- the existing classification for land use and crop data was expanded,
- a basic classification for manufactured products was developed,
- support was given to some developing countries for their data collection, and
- a study on the availability of data and on data collection systems world-wide was carried out
- > Website www.organic-world.net



From data collection to data processing

Step 1: Data collection

Step 2: Data procssing: Data classification

Step 3: Data storage

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Step 5: Data compilation and evaluation

Step 6: Data dissemination



Step 1: Data collection

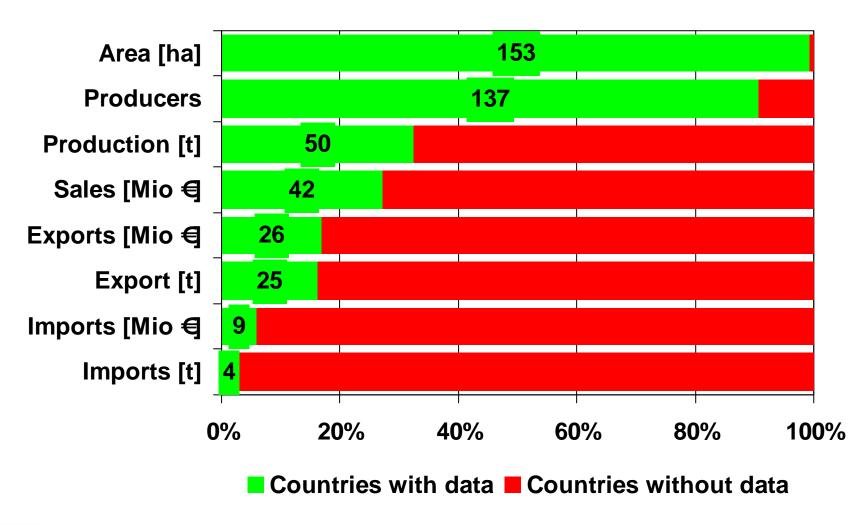


The network

- > The network of experts who contribute to the data collection consists of more than 200 personalities from 160 countries.
- They are from the private organic sector, from certification agencies and from governments.
- They provide data on organic land area, operators, production, market or international trade.
- Without their help and support it would not be possible to carry out the data collection on organic agriculture worldwide.



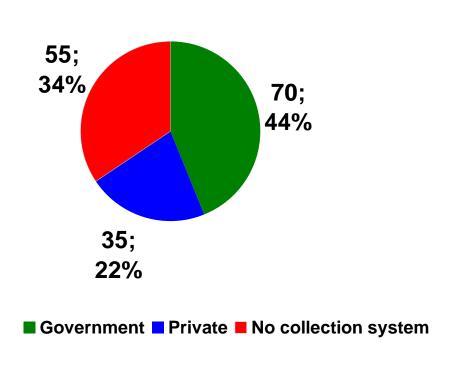
Data availability for key variables 2008; Number of countries per variable; total: 154 countries





Source: FiBL & IFOAM 2010

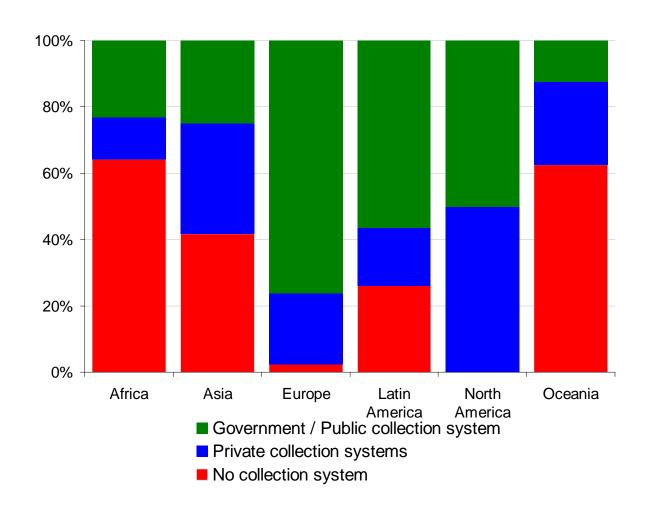
Organic data collection systems world-wide 2009 for data on area, operators and production (total 160 countries)



- Government collection systems (70 countries)
 - > Data from the certifiers
 - Census/farm structure survey
 - > Direct payments
- > Private collection systems (35 countries)
 - > Data from the certifiers
 - > Company data
- No collection system (55 countries)
 - FiBL and IFOAM collect the data from the international certifiers

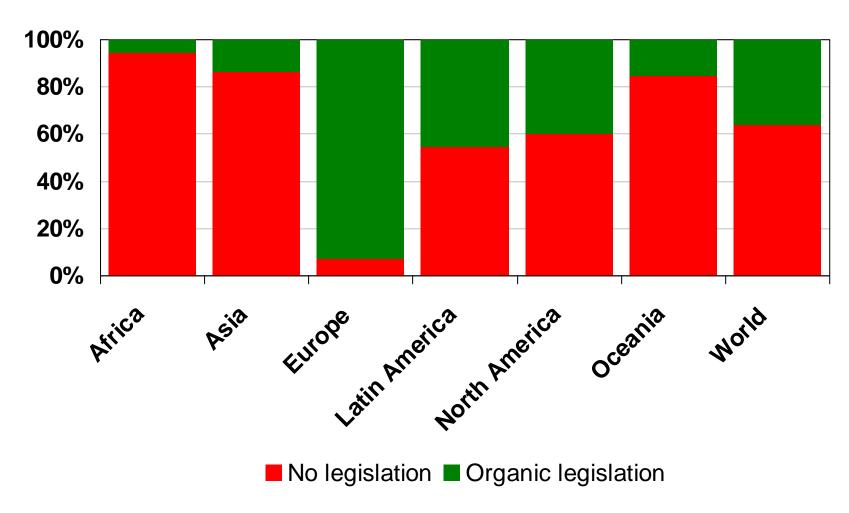


Data collection systems for production data by geographical region 2008





Countries with organic legislations





Collection systems for government data

- Most countries that have an organic regulation also collect basic data on organic agriculture.
- In some cases data collection is stipulated in organic regulations.
- Government data are based on the following information sources:
 - > Data from the certifiers
 - > Farms that receive direct payments as the basis for the data
 - > Farm structure survey



Data from certifiers

- It is generally accepted that the data of the certifiers yield the best information on the status of organic production in a country.
- Most governments and private sector organisations that collect data on organic agriculture collect these among the certifiers.
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 - > High level of completeness (not estimates)
 - > Up-to-date
 - Data on conversion status may show future supply with organic products
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 - Non-standardised land use/crop classification system
 - > Varying quality of collection systems
 - > In many countries reliant on 'voluntary' collaboration of control bodies
 - Many countries (China, Serbia) do not have access to the data of foreign certifiers that are not registered under the country's accreditation system



International certifiers that provided data for several countries (2009 data)





















Networks, transnational data collection efforts











Data collection systems for data on the domestic market

- Commercial market research data
 - Scanner data, often supplemented with household panel data (AC Nielsen)
 - > Household panel data (GFK)
- Market research of the private sector
 - > Survey among the market actors in the country
 - > Published company data & estimates

Problems

- Methodologies differ from country to country;
- > No standardised classification system for organic products;
- > Market data are not included in regular/official statistics
- > By the time they are available, the statistical data too historical for use by market actors;
- Lack of comparability due to differing methodologies;
- Incomplete coverage;
- Uncertain data quality.



Export data

- For 2008, twenty-five countries provided data on export values, and 26 on export values for the global survey on organic agriculture.
- In most cases only a total value is available, but not a breakdown by product.
- Very good export statistics are provided for instance by Argentina, Denmark and Peru.
- Export data can be based on the information of certifiers (Argentina), on company information (Denmark), or on information from customs (Peru).



Import data

- Imports: In 2008, nine countries provided data on import values, and four on import volumes for the global survey on organic agriculture.
- In many cases only a total value is available, but not a breakdown by product.
- Import data can be based on the import permits (Italy), company data (Denmark), potentially also customs data.



Problems with import and export (trade) data

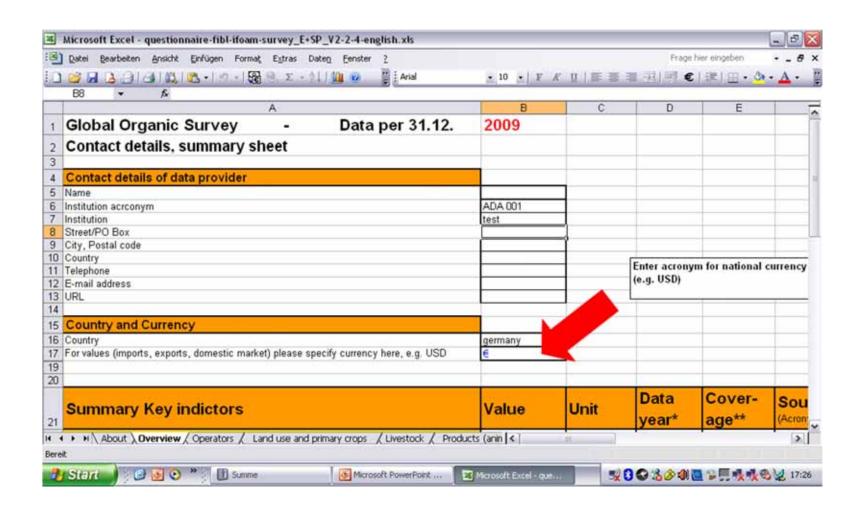
- > Most problematic area as few good models exist
- > Inspection bodies do not collect and/or release data
- > Organic is not separately identified in trade statistics
- > Businesses highly sensitive to confidentiality issues



Step 2: Data classification

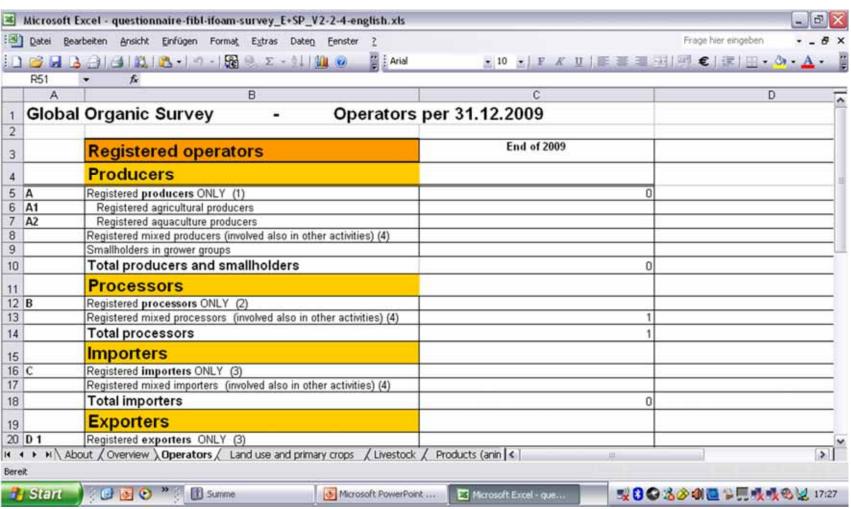


Questionnaire: Overview sheet



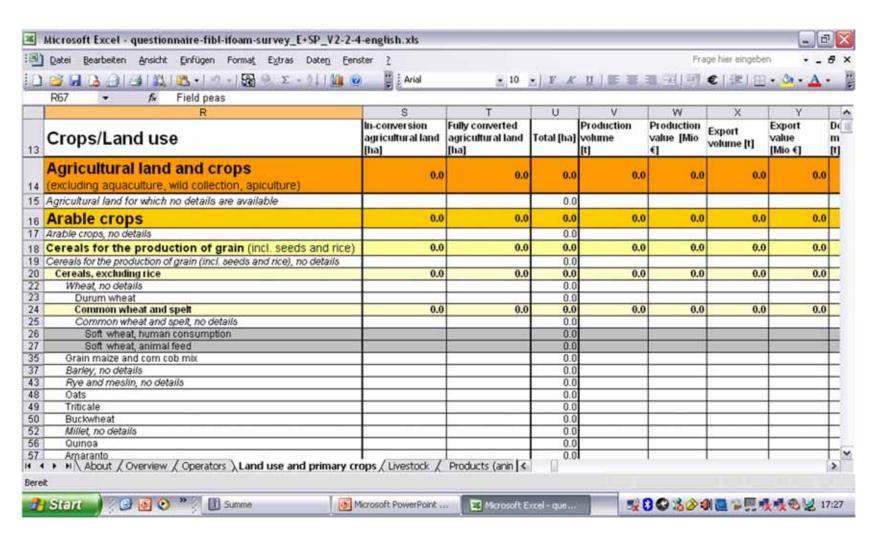


Questionnaire: Operator types





Questionnaire: Crop details



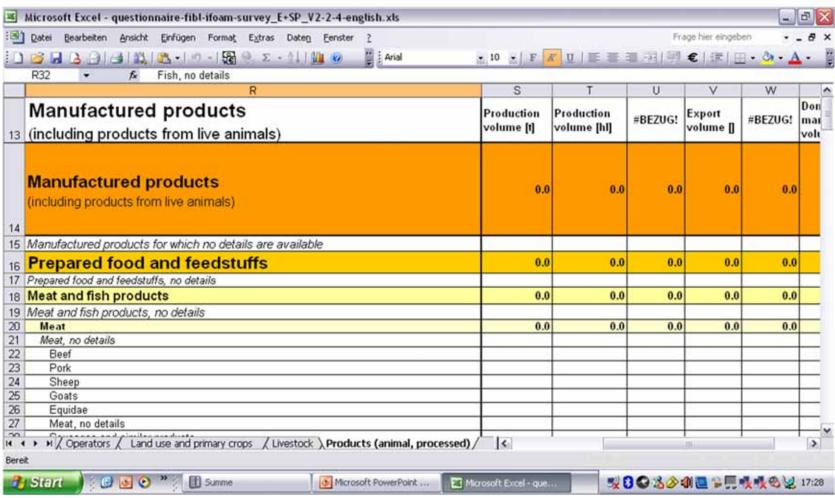


Questionnaire: Livestock

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Questionnaire: Manufactured products





Step 3: Data storage



The database: Core table and related tables





Database: The core table

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NAPQMS f001	2009	Korea, Republic of	No details	Imports, total [t]	organic	9'063.00	Б	0
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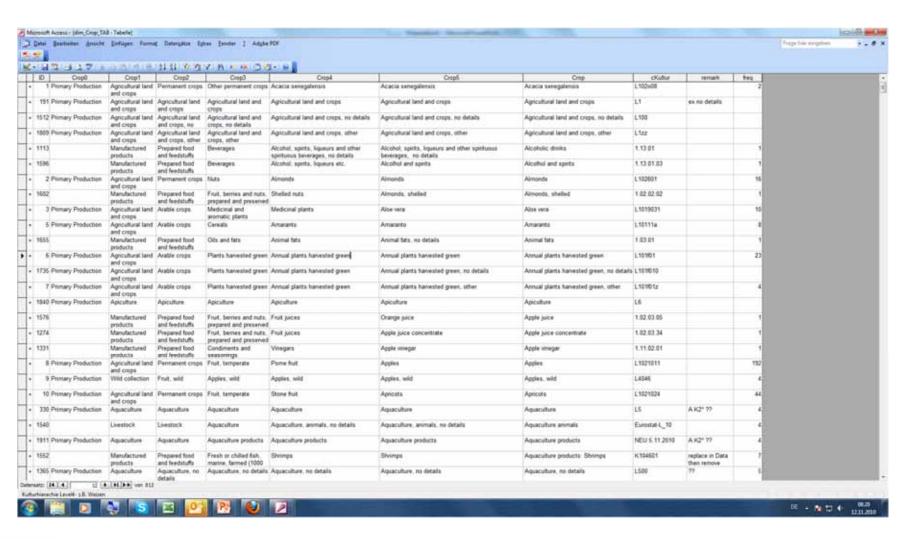


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Data base: Crop/product dimension table





Step 4: Quality checks



Plausibility checks: Comparing the organic figures with the respective totals (from FAOSTAT)

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⊕ Millet	1	4'295		0.0%	2	4'363		0.09
 Oats	2	26'558	7'074	26.6%	2	19'996	132	0.79
⊞ Triticale	2	50'640	11'272	22.3%	2	5'958	140	2.39
⊞ Rye	2	48'528	14'442	29.8%	2	9'953	353	3.59
⊞ Wheat	5	309'034	34'312	11.1%	3	1'247'720	1'655	0.19
Maize, grain	3	178'500	8*359	4.7%	2	274'229	79	0.09
⊕ Rice					1	8'312		0.09
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Plausibilty checks 2: Organic – versus total yields

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⊕ Cereals	18 27	11'954'851	115'660	33'567'893	48'664	2.8	0.4	20 37	15'114'800	134'080	45'406'000	271'000	3.0	2.0
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⊞ Barley	2 4	2'977'330	13'606	7'300'000	3'206	2.5	0.2	2 2	4'993'500	25'598	11'833'100		2.4	
⊕ Buckwheat								2 5	254'300		188'600	2'000	0.7	0.6
⊕ Millet	4	3'356		7'561		2.3		4 3	121'700	2'112	181'000		1.5	
⊕ Oats	2 4	92'684	242	218'286	344		1.4	2 5	415'700		730'700	6'000	1.8	1.6
⊞ Triticale	2 3	28'373	1	98'716	5	3.5	9.4	2		1'847				
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⊕ Maize, grain	2 4	591'279	2'421	4'250'000		7.2	7.8	2 5	2'089'100		10'486'300	90,000	5.0	_
⊕ Rice	2 4	96'441	54	750'000		7.8	3.6	2 1	24'500		142'900		5.8	
⊞ Industrial crops	4		1'648		1'779		1.1	2		100				
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Comparing two years

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	Austria	492'632	518'757	5.3
	Belgium	35'721	41'459	16.1
	Bosnia ai	691	580	-16.1
	Bulgaria	16'663	12'320	-26.1
	Channel	430	430	
	Croatia	10'010	14'194	41.8
	Cyprus	2'322	3'816	64.3
	Czech R€	341'632	398'407	16.6
	Denmark	150'104	156'433	4.2
	Estonia	87'346	95'167	9.0
	Faroe Isl	12	12	
	Finland	150'374	166'171	10.5
	France	583'779	677'513	16.1
	Germany	907'786	947'115	4.3
	Greece	317'824	326'252	2.7
	Hungary	122'816	140'292	14.2
	Iceland	6'970	6'661	-4.4
	Ireland	44'751	47'864	7.0
	Italy	1'002'414	1'106'684	10.4
	Latvia	161'625	160'175	-0.9
	Liechten	1'053	1'005	-4.6
	Lithuania	122'200	129'055	5.6
	Luxembo	3'535	3'614	2.2
	Macedor	3'380	1'489	-55.9
	Malta	12	26	118.7
	Moldova	11'695	32'105	174.5
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Shares of organically managed agricultural land by region and country

The share of the world's organic agricultural of all agricultural land is 0.85 percent.

By region, the share is highest in Oceania C.S percent), followed by Europe with 1.9 percent and Latin America with 1.4 percent. In the 27 countries of the European Union, the share of organically managed land is more than 4.7 percent. In the other regions, the share of organically managed land is less than one percent (see Table 2.).

Many countries, however, exhibit much higher percentages (Figure 3, Figure 4) and seven countries have even reached shares of more than ten percent of the agricultural land, most of these in Europe. The country with the highest share is the Palkland Islands (Malvinas), where several large sheep farms are working organically. It is interesting to note that many island states have high shares.

However, 65 percent of the countries for which data are available have less than one percent organic agricultural land.

Table 3: Organic agricultural land (including in-conversion areas) and shares of total agricultural land 2009

	Agr. land (hectares)	Share of total agr. land
Africa	1109532	6366
Asia	2582918	475.0
Europe	97597934	1.8/%
Latin America	FygFyss	13%
Oceania	srigrant	2,85%
Northern America	2552524	4.68%
Total	1773Fu?	cl/s

Source PRE/SPCIAM Survey 2011

Shares of total agricultural land (moleding only the countries that are tradeded to the survey).

In order to calculate the percentages, the data for most sountries were taken from the FAO Statistical database FAOSTAT (as of 2008). For the European Union, most data were taken from European. Where available, data for total agricultural land from ministries was used (for instance U.S., Switzerland, and Austria), which sometimes differ considerably from those published by European Considerably from those published by European Considerably from these published the European Considerably from these published the European Considerably from the Considerable for European Considerably from the Considerable for the Considerable for the European Union, and European Considerably from the Considerable for the European Union, the Considerable for the C

Flease note that in some cases the calculation of the shares of organically managed land, based on the Eurostat and FAOSTAT data, might differ from the organic shares obtained from ministries or local experts.

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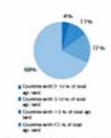


Figure 3: The ten countries with the highest shares of organic agricultural land 2009

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Figure 4: Distribution of the shares of organic agricultural land 2009

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Annex

- Table 38: Organic agricultural land, share of total agricultural land and number of producers
- Table 43: Shares of organic agricultural land by country 2009, sorted
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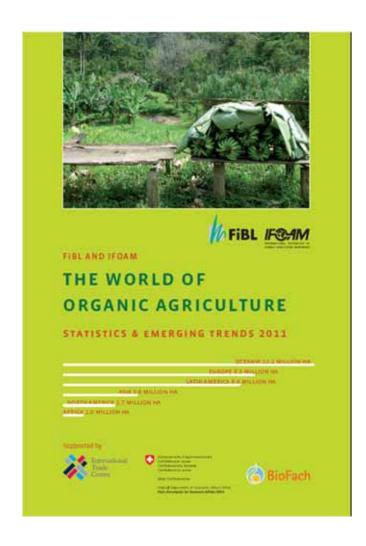
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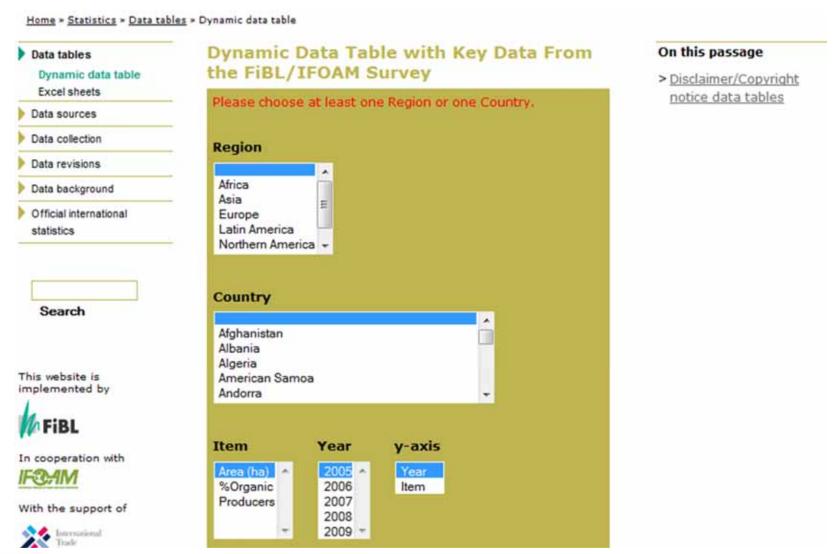
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Conclusions

- Data on organic farming are needed for policy makers as a decision tool and to assess the success of policy measures, and for market actors to assess the market/economic impact.
- More information on production, domestic supply with organic food, export volumes and yields is needed.
- There is a clear need for governments to provide better data.
- With more and more countries implementing organic farming regulations data collection activities should be eased in the future, and governments should support such activities.



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