

## Europe and the European Union: Key indicators 2018

Indicator	Europe	European Union	Top 3 countries Europe
<b>Organic farmland in hectares</b>	15.6 million ha	13.8 million ha	Spain (2.2 million ha) France (2.0 million ha) Italy (2.0 million ha)
<b>Organic share of total farmland</b>	3.1 %	7.7 %	Liechtenstein (38.5%) Austria (24.7%) Estonia (21.6%)
<b>Increase in organic farmland 2017-2018 in hectares</b>	1.25 million ha	1 million ha	France (+290'604 ha) Spain (+164'302 ha) Germany (+148'157 ha)
<b>Relative increase in organic farmland 2017-2018</b>	8.7%	7.6%	Montenegro (+64%) Ireland (+60%) North Macedonia (+52%)
<b>Land use [in million hectares]</b>	Arable crops: 7.5 Permanent crops: 1.7 Permanent pastures: 6.2	Arable crops: 6.1 Permanent crops 1.5 Permanent pastures: 6.0	
<b>Top arable crop groups</b>	Cereals: 2.6 million ha Green fodder: 2.5 million ha Dry pulses: 0.5 million ha	Green fodder: 2.3 million ha Cereals: 2.2 million ha Dry pulses: 0.4 million ha	Largest arable areas: France (1.1 million ha) Italy (0.9 million ha) Germany (0.6 million ha)
<b>Top permanent crop groups</b>	Olives: 0.6 million ha Grapes: 0.4 million ha Nuts: 0.3 million ha	Olives: 0.5 million ha Grapes: 0.3 million ha Nuts: 0.3 million ha	Largest permanent crop areas: Spain (0.6 million ha) Italy (0.5 million ha) Turkey (0.2 million ha)
<b>Wild collection area</b>	17.2 million ha	13.9 million ha	Finland (11.2 million ha) Romania (1.8 million ha; 2014) Albania (0.6 million ha)
<b>Producers [no.]</b>	418'610	327'222	Turkey: (79'563) Italy (69'317) France (41'632)
<b>Processors [no.]</b>	75'569	71'960	Italy (20'087) France (16'651) Germany (15'441)
<b>Importers [no.]</b>	5'790	5'034	Germany (1'723) Switzerland (548) France (545)
<b>Retail sales</b>	40.7 billion euros	37.4 billion euros	Germany (10'910 million euros) France (9'139 million euros) Italy (3'483 million euros)
<b>Growth of retail sales 2017-2018</b>	7.8%	7.7%	France (15.4%) Switzerland (13.3%) Denmark (12.9%)
<b>Organic share of total market</b>	No data	No data	Denmark (11.5 %) Switzerland (9.9 %) Sweden (9.6 %)
<b>Per capita consumption [euros]</b>	50 euros	76 euros	Switzerland (312 euros); Denmark (312 euros) Sweden (231 euros)

Source: FiBL-AMI survey 2020.

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