

Methodological notes

The publication presents outputs of the annual sample survey on livestock. The set of respondents was generated from the Farm Register. Grossing-up process and data publication were carried out on the level of structural data from Agrocensus 2000, i.e. estimated numbers of livestock in units below thresholds ("hobby activities") are not included.

The outputs result from annual statistical questionnaire Zem 1-01 surveying numbers of livestock in particular categories as at 1. 4. of the reference year being at the breeder (keeper) at the time of the survey. The questionnaires are submitted by selected reporting units engaged in livestock-keeping and registered in updated Farm Register, regardless of their UAA. In the livestock census are included: cattle, pigs, sheep, goats, horses, donkeys, mules, hinnies and poultry. Each livestock category is broken down in detail according to the Statistical Classification.

The sample set is stratified on the basis of grossing-up group of the respondent unit, number of livestock kept, productive sub-sector and region where the reporting unit is farming or placed.

Data on livestock published in time series were surveyed as at 1 January of the reference year till 1992, as at 1 March since 1993, and as at 1 April since 2003.



SYMBOLS USED IN THE TABLES

- *no cases registered*
- . *data unavailable or unreliable*
- x *not applicable*
- 0 *less than half the final digit shown and greater than real zero*
- i. d. *individual data*