

Farms and agricultural area. 2020

UAA in hectares

		% Variation compared to 2009
Farm number	914,871	-7.6
Utilised Agricultural Area (UAA)	23,913,682	0.7
Average UAA by farm	26.37	7.4
Open field UAA	23,848,757	0.6
- Arable land	11,655,762	3.7
- Permanent pastures	7,533,082	-10.1
- Olive farming	2,464,420	14.4
- Fruit farming	1,283,997	23.8
- Vineyard	860,024	0.9
- Other woody crops	48,741	19.8
- Vegetable farming	2,731	-10.5
Greenhouse UAA	64,925	42.1

UAA per farm. 2020



Pigs, cattle and poultry predominate

The latest census data set the number of farms at 914,871, 7.6% less than in the previous census (2009). The average UAA per farm increased to 26.37 ha, the highest value in the historical series. Castilla y León has the largest average area, with 63.02 ha.

The number of farms with cattle is 169,576, 30.1% less than in 2009. Regarding the number of livestock units, pigs, cattle and poultry predominate.

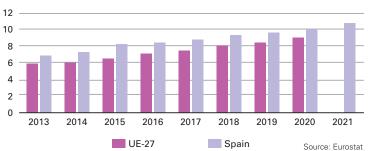
One quarter of the EU aquaculture production

A fourth of the 2021 aquaculture production in the EU came from Spain (24.6%), according to Eurostat data. In addition, Spain was the country with the most tons of live weight fish captures.



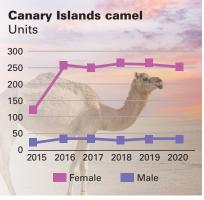
Eco-friendly agriculture

% UAA fully converted or under conversion



2024, International Year of Camelids

In Spain there is native breed of camelids known as the *Canary Islands camel*, which dates back to the European colonization of Islas Canarias and comes from Africa. This breed is found mainly in Lanzarote, south of Las Palmas and Fuerteventura. In all cases, this is related to the tourism sector.



Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food