

Agricultural Machinery in Europe State of the Industry

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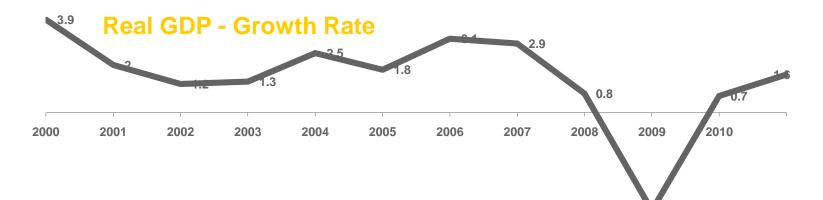
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European Economy (EU 27)

Autumn Forecast European Commission (Oct 2009)



	2008	2009	2010	2011
Real GDP	0.8	-4.1	0.7	1.6
Private Consumption	0.8	-1.7	0.2	1.2
Public Consumption	2.2	2.0	1.0	0.6
Unemployment Rate	7.0	9.1	10.3	10.2
Inflation	3.7	1.0	1.3	1.6
Government Deficit	-2.3	-6.9	-7.5	-6.9 European Co

Source: European Commission



Some facts about the EU agriculture

Basic Data

Agriculture as % of GDP	1.3%		
Agriculture Gross Value	326 billion Euro		
% of agriculture in employment	6%		
Labor Force	12.7 mill full-time equivalent		
Agricultural land	172 mill ha		
Number of farms	14.5 million		
Average farm size	22 ha		
Main products	260 mill tons of cereals 23 mill tons of pig meat 8 mill tons of beef 132 mill tons of milk		

Other Interesting Details:

- 4% of farms use > 100 ha of land
- 15% of all farmers use only own land
- 2.3% of farms are irrigating – 6.7% of the land is irrigated
- 20% are in mountaneous areas
- 2.4% of farms are organic farmers



Farming in Europe means Family Business

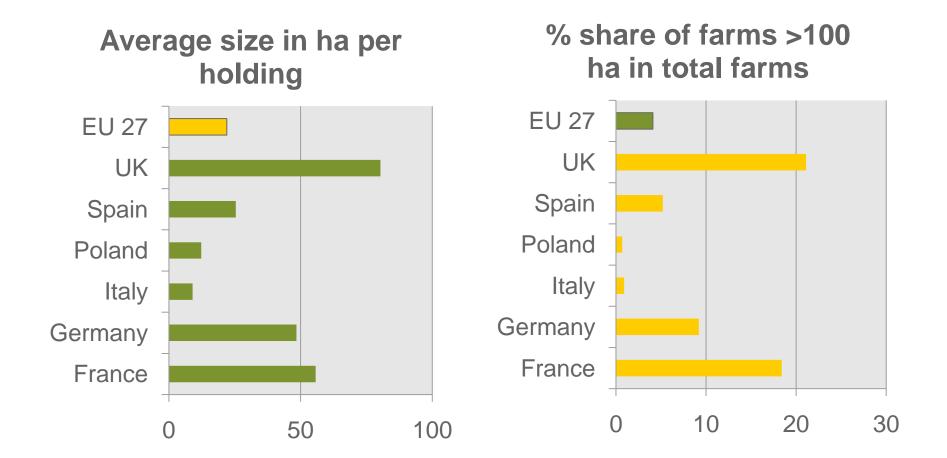
Total: 9 out of 10 persons working on farms are family labor force

Regional differences: Italy, Poland, >90% - Germany: 75% - France 51% - Czech Republic, Slovakia: 20-25%

- Only 15% of farms have more than 2 employees, but these farms represent half of the land and more than half of all livestock
- Structural change: Between 2005 and 2007 600,000 farm holdings disappeared, but used land and livestock remained the same

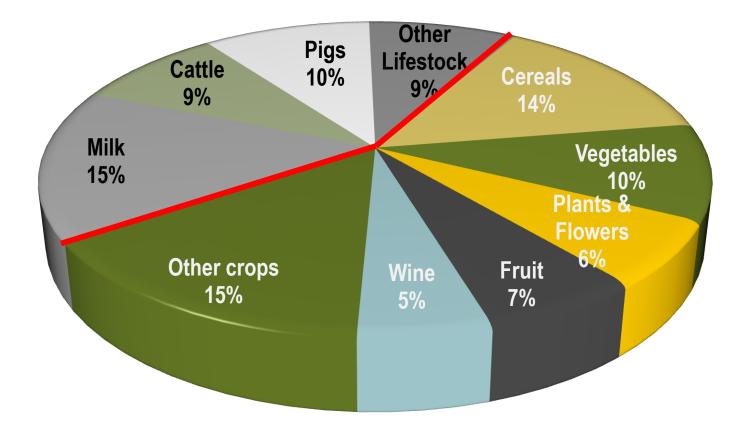


Farm Size In Europe



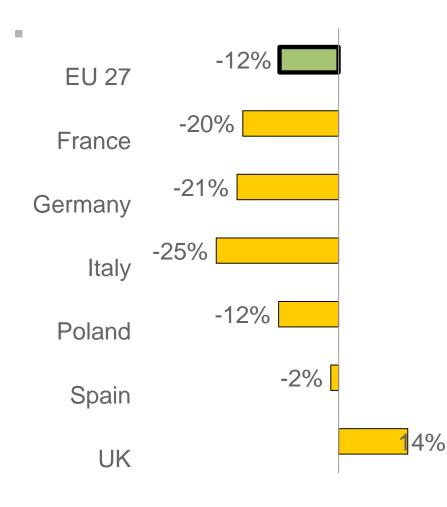


Farming Output Value at producer prices





Farm Income 2009 %-change in real agricultural income per worker

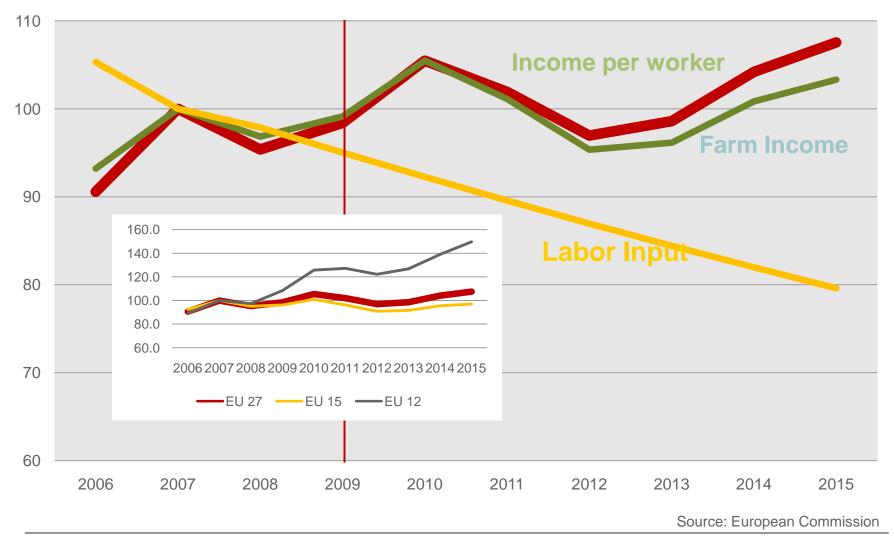


- Compared to 2005 the income dropped by 1.7%
- Sharp fall in value of agricultural output
- Main Reason: Prices
 - Cereal prices: -27.5%
 - Industrial crop prices: -15.6%
 - ➢ Milk price: -20.3%

Source: Eurostat



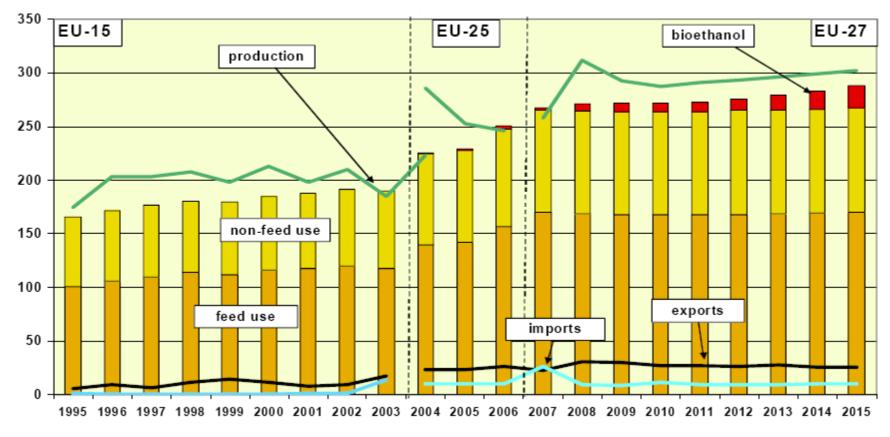
European Farm Income Forecast to 2015





European Cereal Market Forecast in mill tons 1995 - 2015

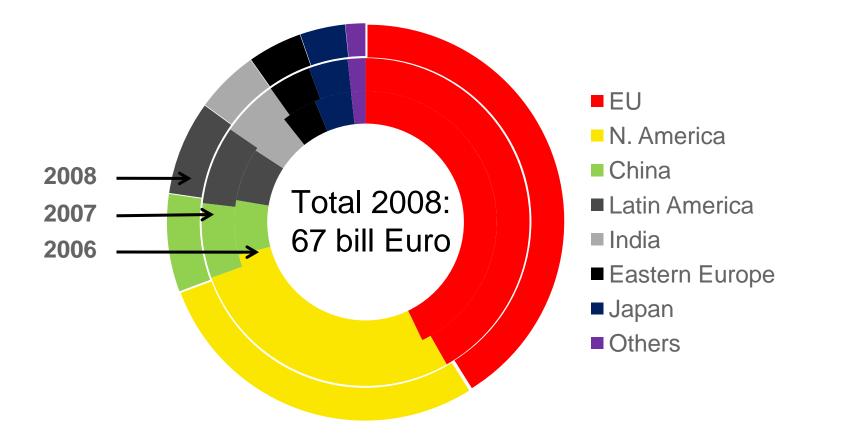
Slightly expanding cereal market and emerging bioethanol markets



Source: European Commission, March 2009



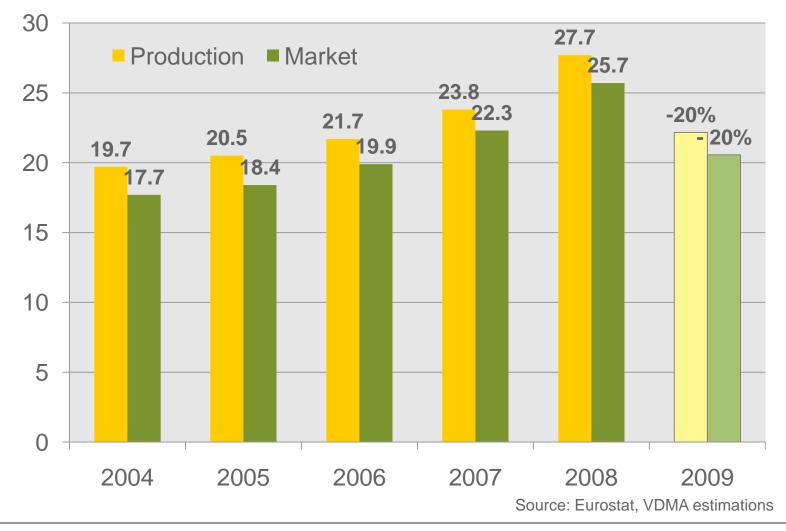
European Agricultural Machinery Industry: 40% Of the Global Production Volume



Source: VDMA Estimations

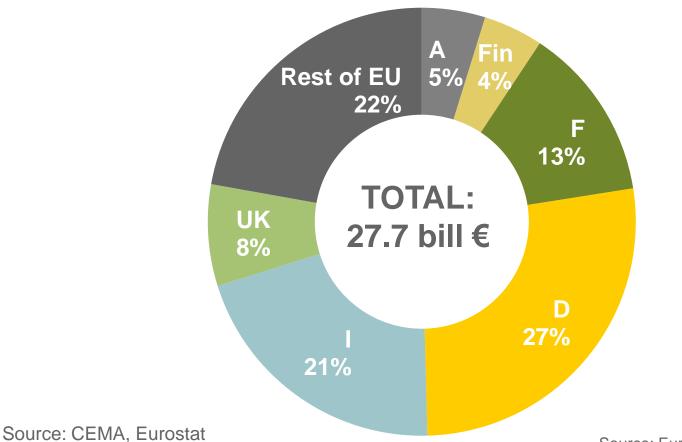


The European Market for Agricultural Machinery





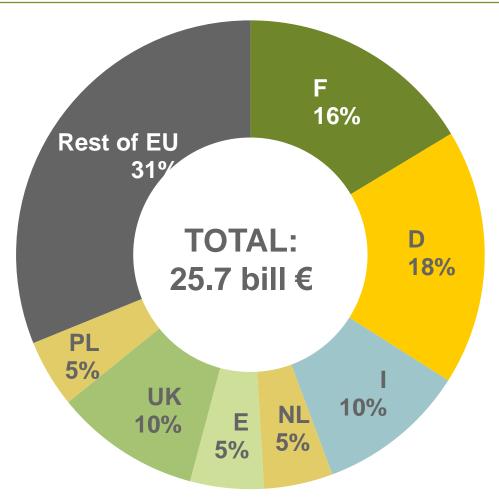
European Production Agricultural Machinery 2008



Source: Eurostat, VDMA estimations



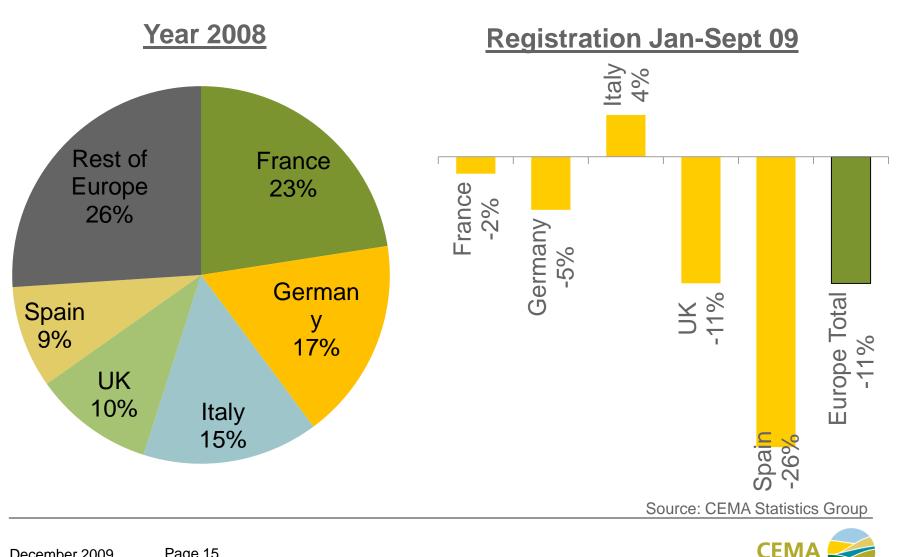
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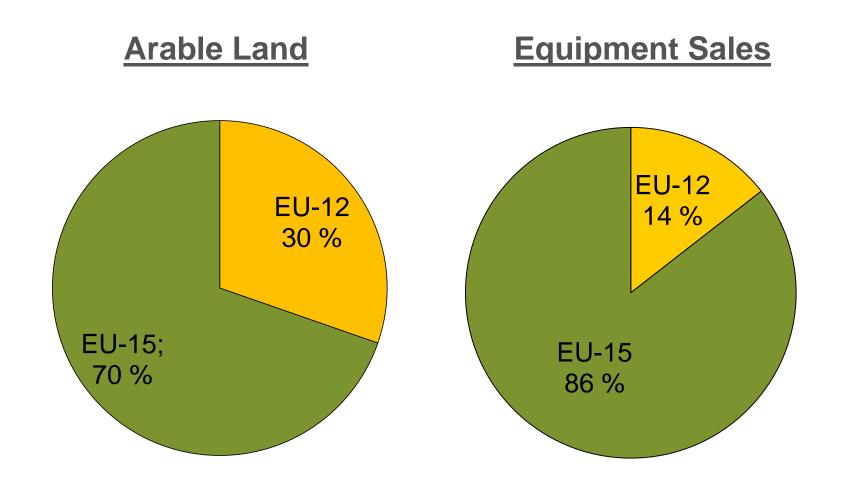


European Tractor Markets



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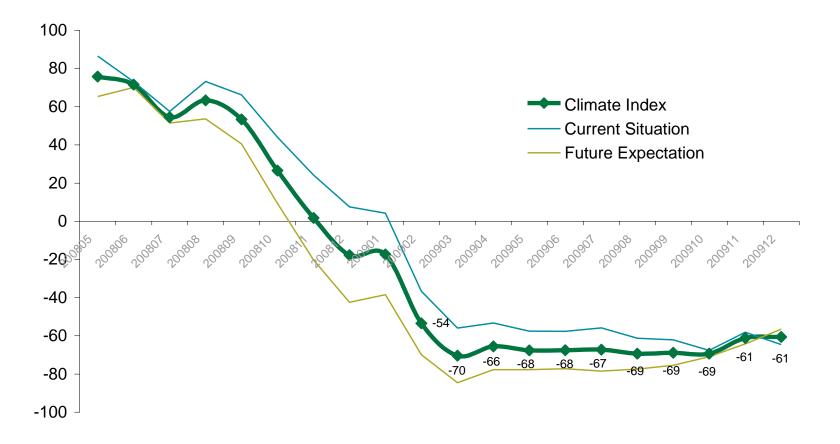
Potential in the newer EU Member States in Central & Eastern Europe





CEMA Business Barometer Dec 2009: Business Climate Index

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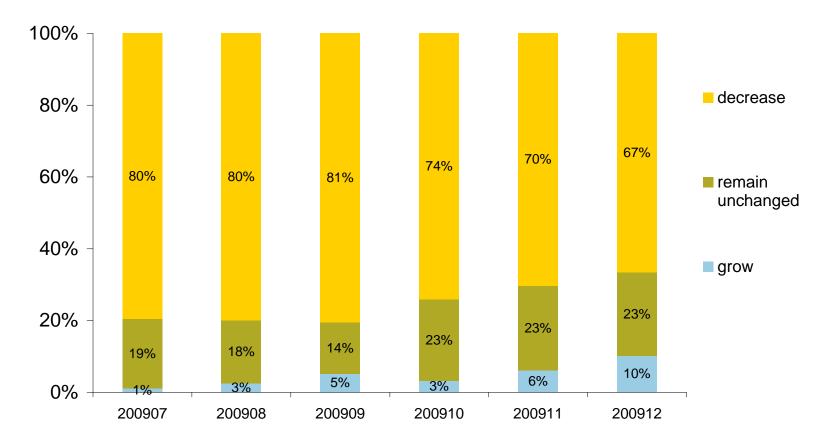


Source: CEMA Business Barometer Index = sum of 1) evaluation of the current business situation and 2) turnover expectation



CEMA Business Barometer Dec 2009: Turnover Expectation

Question: We expect our overall turnover within the next 6 months to....

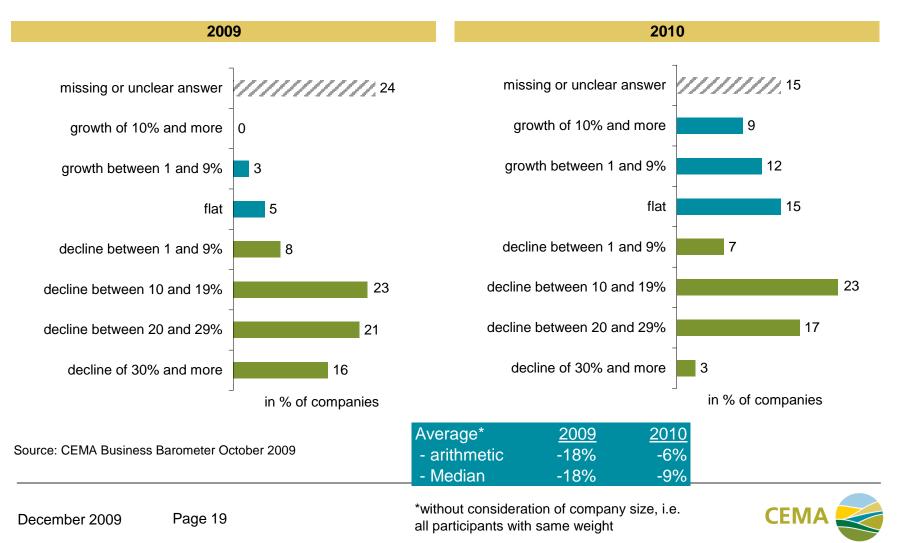


Source: CEMA Business Barometer



CEMA Business Barometer Oct 2009: Forecast 2009 and 2010

Question: What is the current forecast regarding turnover of your company in 2009 and 2010? (expected %-change)



Factors Influencing Future Equipment Demand in Europe

- European Agricultural Policy (CAP)
- Environmental Policy
- Climate Change
- Food & Energy Supply
- Price of agricultural land and labor



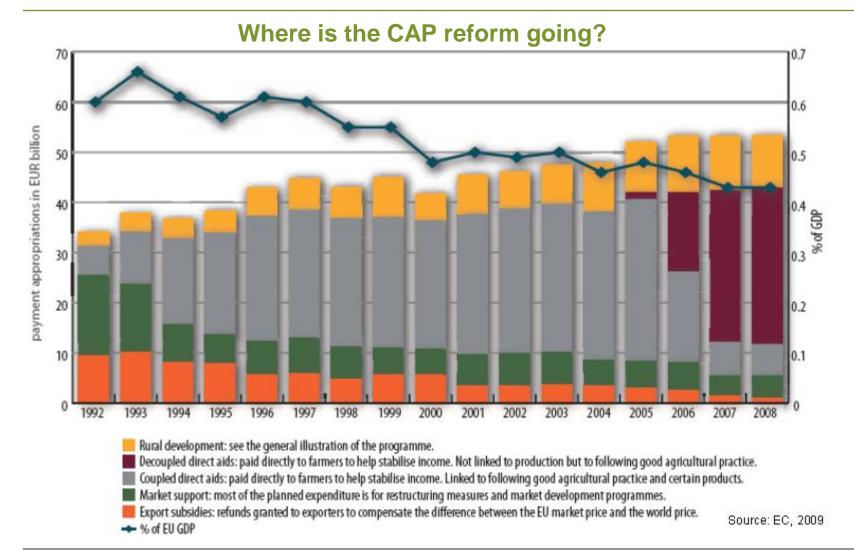
Upcoming challenges: European Common Agricultural Policy (CAP) after 2013

Objectives of the CAP so far

- to increase agricultural productivity by promoting technical progress and by ensuring the rational development of agricultural production and the optimum utilisation of the factors of production in particular labour;
- thus to ensure a fair standard of living for the agricultural community, in particular by increasing the individual earnings of persons engaged in agriculture;
- to stabilise markets;
- to assure the availability of supplies; and
- to ensure that supplies reach consumers at reasonable prices.



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Upcoming challenges for the agricultural equipment business: Common Agricultural Policy or the CAP reform

What to be expected after 2013

- Decreasing EU budget for agricultural policy
- Further cutting of direct payments
- "Sustainability" as criteria to receive financial support
- Abolition of export subsidies + Reduction of external protection
- Higher price volatility + continuing dynamics at commodity markets and adaptable competitors



Environmental Legislation will have a strong influence

- Machine-related requirements
 - Engine emissions incl CO₂
 - Energy and water efficiency
 - Eco-Design
- Input-related:
 - Less pesticides / ban of certain pesticides by 2011
 - Less fertilizer
 - documentation requirements
- Resources-related
 - Soil protection
 - Less water pollution
 - CO₂ in agriculture



Some Consequences

- Trend in 2 different directions:
 - Large high-yield commodity farming
 - Specialized smaller scale farming
- Minimizing labor input
- Reducing soil compaction
- Limits in machine growth: public roads
- Electronics
 - Interchangeable
 - Documentation
 - Minimizing input/ environmental damage
- ► Engine
 - Fuel efficiency
 - Hybrid / electrical drive
 - Alternative fuels



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