Comment

According to the Livestock census as at 1.4.2010 the numbers of livestock in the main categories went down y-o-y, except for sheep, horses and goats.

Numbers of cattle decreased by 13.9 thousand heads y-o-y (-1%), of which numbers of cows total by 8.5 thousand heads (-1.5%). Numbers of suckler cows went up by 4.6% to 167 thousand heads.

Numbers of pigs decreased by 62 thousand heads (-3.2 %) in comparison with the same stage of the previous year, of which numbers of sows by 9,5 thousand heads (-6.7%).

Numbers of poultry went down by 1.6 million heads (-6.2%), of which numbers of hens by 248 thousand heads (-3.8%).

There was y-o-y increase in sheep numbers by 13.8 thousand heads, i.e. by 7.6%.

Numbers of horses went up by 6.6% y-o-y.

Detailed data on livestock sorted by type, category and region is in the tables.