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Beef finisher

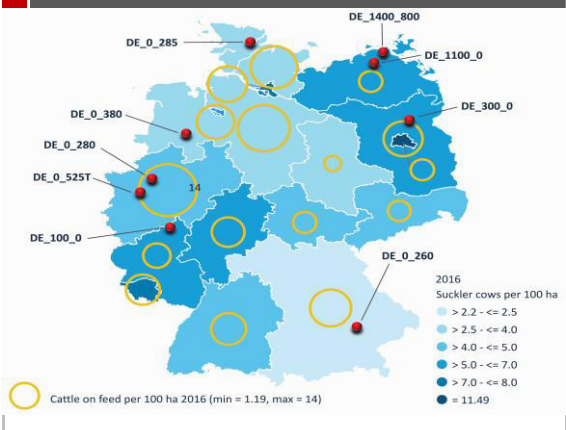
Farm overview

Legal status	Privat
Production system	Silage
Breeds	Fleckvieh
No. finished cattle sold per year	283
Barn/pen/grazing capacity	203
No. of breeding cows*	
Family labour (hours)	3 339
Hired labour (hours)	0
Other activities	Cash Crops

* only if cow-calf enterprise on the same farm



Location



Natural conditions

Country	Germany
Region	North Rhine-Westphalia
Relief	Flatland
Elevation (above sea level)	45 m
Soil	Sand & Sandy loam
Climate	Df – wet all seasons
Main growing season	April – October
Average annual temperature	9,8 °C
Average annual precipitation	742 mm
Precipitation	Evenly with peak in June – July, December



Particularities

The family farm is specialised in bull production and sells an additional 20 ha of wheat and barley. With 1.5 labour units it produces 280 Simmental bulls per year. The feed ration consists of maize silage and concentrates. The farm operates with a mixture of old buildings with refurbished interior as well as a new open stable. Contract work is used for harvesting maize and cereals.