

Hop acreage in the Czech Republic

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According to data of the Central Institute for Supervising and Testing in Agriculture (CISTA) collected up to 30th April 2014, the total hop acreage has increased by 153 ha since 2013. Thus, the total acreage in the Czech Republic reached 4.472 ha due to 406 ha of newly planted hops. The major part of newly planted hops was used for recovering fields that were affected by floods in 2013.

The acreage increased by 100 ha in Saaz region, by 17 ha in Auscha region and by 36 ha in Tirschitz region.

The acreage of Saaz variety increased by 118 ha to current 3.904 ha. The acreage of Sladek variety increased significantly by 32 ha to current 272 ha. The acreage of Kazbek variety increased by 15 ha to 18 ha and the acreage of Saaz Late variety increased by 6 ha to 15 ha.

Variety	Saaz region (ha)	newly planted	Auscha region (ha)	newly planted	Tirschitz region (ha)	newly planted	Czech Republic (ha)	newly planted
SAAZ	3 094	260	407	47	403	23	3 904	330
AGNUS	37	0	3	0	0	0	40	0
BOHEMIE	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	0
HARMONIE	6	1	0	0	0	0	6	1
KAZBEK	11	9	2	2	5	5	18	16
PREMIANT	99	8	40	0	48	8	187	16
RUBIN	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
SAAZ LATE	13	5	0	0	2	0	15	5
SLADEK	171	15	20	4	81	17	272	36
VITAL	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
OTHERS	24	2	2	0	0	0	26	2
Total acreage (ha)	3 458	300	474	53	540	53	4 472	406

Data indicated above were collected and announced by the Central Institute for Supervising and Testing in Agriculture