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VERTEBRATE ANIMALS USED FOR EXPERIMENTAL AND OTHER SCIENTIFIC PURPOSES (ETS 123)**

**Statistical data on the use of laboratory animals
in Sweden in 2001**

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TABLE 1 **The number, kinds and sources of animals used in procedures during 2001 in Sweden**

	Total	From breeding or user establ. registered within the Party	From other Parties to the Convention	From other sources	Reused
Mice (<i>Mus musculus</i>)	162 736	115 156	42 348	5 232	
Rats (<i>Rattus norvegicus</i>)	69 084	35 783	33 261	40	
Guinea pigs (<i>Cavia porcellus</i>)	3 312	2 264	1 048	0	
Golden hamsters (<i>Mesocricetus auratus</i>)	168	168	0	0	
Other rodents (other Rodentia)	996				
Rabbits (<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>)	2 633	2 427	206	0	131
Prosimians (Prosimia)	0	0	0	0	0
New World Monkeys (Ceboidea)	0	0	0	0	0
Old World Monkeys (Cercopithecoidea)	77	25	0	52	17
Apes (Hominoidea)	0	0	0	0	0
Dogs (<i>Canis familiaris</i>)	547	333	43	171	137
Cats (<i>Felis catus</i>)	462	462	0	0	13
Other carnivores (other Carnivora)	148				
Horses, donkeys and cross-breds (Equidae)	56				
Pigs (<i>Sus</i>)	2 058				
Goats and sheep (<i>Capra & Ovis</i>)	277				
Cattle (<i>Bos</i>)	439				
Other mammals (other Mammalia)	212				
Quails (<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>)	40	40	0	0	
Other birds (<i>Aves</i>)	2 649				
Reptiles (<i>Reptilia</i>)	100				
Amphibians (<i>Amphibia</i>)	50				
Fish (<i>Pisces</i>)	23 666				
Total	269 710				

TABLE 2

The number of animals used in procedures for selected purposes during 2001 in Sweden

All species	Biological (including medical) studies of a fundamental nature	Research into, development and quality control (not incl. safety evaluation) of products or appliances for human and veterinary medicine	Diagnosis of disease	Protection of man, animals and the environment by toxicological or other safety evaluations	Education and training	Others
		167 883	76 801	2 831	14 163	3 440

Selected species

Rodents and rabbits	146 947	69 726	2 542	6 369	2 722	4 465
Dogs and cats	105	368	261	243	20	0
Primates	26	51	0	0	0	0

TABLE 3

The number of animals used in procedures for selected purposes for the protection of man, animals and the environment by toxicological or other safety evaluation during 2001 in Sweden

Substances used or intended to be used mainly :

All species	in agriculture	in households	as cosmetics or toiletries	as additives in food for human consumption	in industry	Potential or actual hazards of contaminants in the general environment*	Safety evaluation of products or appliances for human or veterinary medicine
	0	0	0	0	1 600	6 017	6 546

Selected species

Rodents and rabbits	0	0	0	33	0	66	6 303
Dogs and cats	0	0	0	0	0	0	243
Primates	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

*Incl. "other toxicological or safety evaluations"

TABLE 4

The number of animals used in procedures concerned with diseases and disorders during 2001 in Sweden

All species	Human cancer (excl. evaluations of carcinogenic hazards)	Cardiovascular human diseases	Nervous and mental human disorders	Other human diseases	Animal diseases
		28 648	25 014	47 433	102 893

Selected species

Rodents and rabbits	28 630	24 146	47 120	100 782	2 635
Dogs and cats	0	168	60	117	83
Primates	0	0	37	16	0

TABLE 5

The number of animals used in procedures required by law during 2001 in Sweden

All species	Party only	Other Parties or member States*	Other States	Both: Party and other Parties/States	Total
		6 194	2 385	1 356	11 048

Selected species

Rodents and rabbits	218	785	1 356	11 036	13 395
Dogs and cats	0	0	0	12	12
Primates	0	0	0	0	0

* Incl. "EC legislation
incl. European
Pharmacopoeia"