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Annex

Request

In each of the past 3 years, how many pigs have been tested for trichinella and of those how many were found to be positive? I am looking for a total number of tests and total number of positives for each year if that is possible.

Response

Please see the table below, which sets out the information you have requested, during the time period required

Year	Trichinella tests	Positives
2013	4,235,516 farmed pigs	No positives
2014	5,796,504 farmed pigs	No positives
2015	6,112,998 farmed pigs	No positives