

Section	Description
Resource Title	Biomass production from grassland - Supply
Resource Abstract	In the Alps, grassland is the basis for forage farming owing to local conditions like climate and slope steepness. Due to structural change of agriculture in the Alps, the supply of biomass production from grassland is influenced among others by the use of fertilizers and selection of forage plants. Grassland formations range from intensively managed pastures in the valley bottoms to extensive meadows and Alpine swards upwards the altitudinal belt. Location factors like temperature, soil and radiation have a significant impact on the productivity. Grassland ecosystems can provide multiple ecosystem services: Depending on the use of the biomass, the service can be described in dry matter per hectare or energy content per amount of dry matter.
Resource Type	Dataset
Resource locator	http://www.alpes-webgis.eu/?X=850359.92&Y=5947762.56&zoom=6&lang=en&focus=focus_alpes&bgLayer=alpes.osm.stamentoner.60002&layers=alpes.alpinespace.40001_wms.alpes.essi.10002&catalogNodes=101000000,101000001&layers_opacity=1.0.7
Unique Resource Identifier	MZR4-X77D-NHRV-U3NW
Resource Language	eng
Topic Category	Farming Environment
Keyword value	Land cover (INSPIRE Spatial Data Theme) Land use (INSPIRE Spatial Data Theme) Agriculture and cattle industry (GEMET Concepts) Cattle (GEMET Concepts) Biomass (GEMET Concepts)
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Geographic bounding box	West = 1.986194 East = 18.622061 North = 50.068114 South = 42.700501
Coordinate reference System	EPSG: 3035 (ETRS89, LAEA)

Temporal extent	2012
Date of publication	2018-07-20
Lineage	<p>Fodder production of Alpine grassland, from colline to Alpine level (DM t/ha municipal area)</p> <p>In the Alps, there are different types of grassland (extensive meadows, frequently cut pastures, natural grassland in high altitude zones, ...) Hence, the growth depends on the grassland type and location parameters like number of vegetation days (days with a minimum temperature of 5 degrees), precipitation and energy budget of the grassland plot. The Supply of biomass production is calculated according to the "Almbewertungsmodell" as proposed by Egger et al. (2004). Here, each grassland type is connected to a growth function, which represents the yield in DM per Ha and year.</p> <p>Egger, G., et al. (2004). GIS-gestützte Ertragsmodellierung zur Optimierung des Weidemanagements auf Almweiden. Irdning, Irdning: BAL.</p>
Spatial resolution	100000
Specification	Commission Regulation (EU) No 1089/2010 of 23 November 2010 implementing Directive 2007/2/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards interoperability of spatial data sets and services, date of publication: 2010-12-08.
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