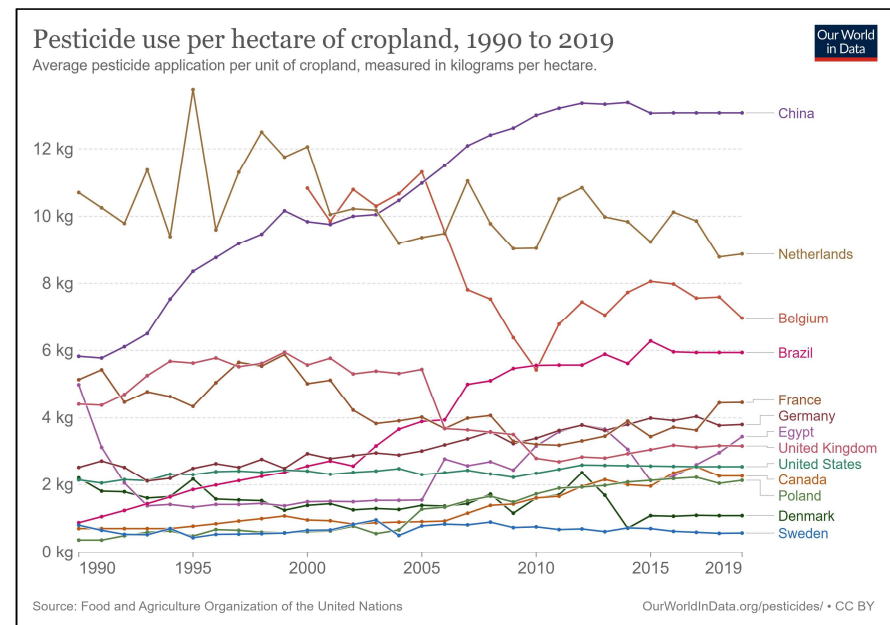
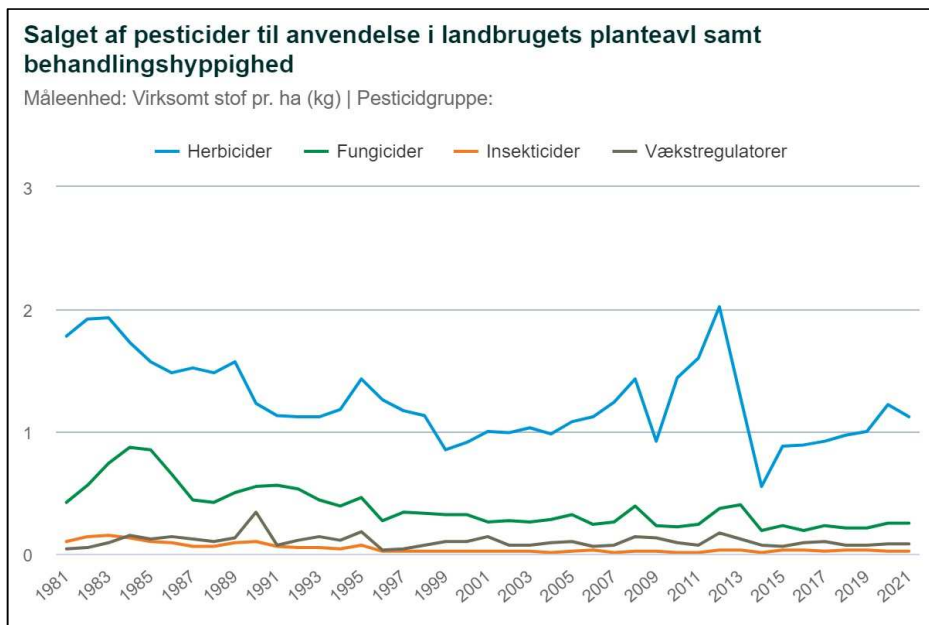


Survey of pesticide use in VCU testing?



Kg active substance applied per hectare in Denmark

Rationale

- Status quo on the use of pesticide in VCU disregarding differences in crop distributions – level of sustainability among member states
- Scope for collaboration/exchange of data – agroecological regions
- Are varieties already accepted based on "sustainable trials"?

Content

- Fungicides
- Herbicides
- Insecticides
- Seed dressing
- Plant growth regulators
- Comparison between national VCU and national allowances
- Trial system - untreated and/or organic trials included in national VCU system
- How and what to report (kg/ha, frequency, active ingredient...)
- Actual application or recommendation to trial site
- Number of crops
- Number of years
- (Fertilizer)

Suggestion

- Winter Wheat – crop grown by all members
- Focus on fungicides
- Trial system – treated and untreated trials, organic trials
- Report actual use in conventional trials during one trial season
- Use of fungicides given by kg/ha of active ingredients and frequency

Thoughts...

Comments...

Additions...