

Acceptance and rejection of genetically modified crops

Area planted to GM crops, by country

million hectares

- over 9
- 3–9
- 1–3
- 0.01–1
- 0

Rules for genetically modified (GM) food (not animal feed)

◆ banned

Labelling required:

◆ all plant products have to be labelled, exception: if a contamination up to 0.9 percent is “adventitious and technically unavoidable”. Products derived from animals fed with GMOs: no labelling (eggs, meat, milk).

◆ for many products. Labelling not needed if GM material accounts for up to 1 percent of the complete product

◆ for a few products, with many exceptions

* GM crops banned in European countries

