

Cultivation of renewable resources in Germany		
(hectare)		
raw material	2008	2009*
Industrial use		
industrial starch	140,000	130,000
industrial sugar	22,000	22,000
technical rape seed oil	120,000	120,000
technical sunflower oil	8,500	8,500
technical linseed oil	2,500	2,500
Fibres	1,000	1,000
medical materials and dyes	10,000	10,000
Total industrial use	304,000	294,000
Energy use		
Rape seed of biodiesel/ vegetable oil	915,000	942,000
Starch/ sugar for bioethanol	187,000	226,000
Crops for biogas	500,000	530,000
Crops for solid fuels	2,000	3,500
Total energy use	1,604,000	1,701,500
Total cultivation of renewable resources	1,908,000	1,995,500
Source: FNR, * preliminary estimate		