328 MILLION pigs, sheep, goats, beef and dairy cattle are slaughtered in the EU each year.

PROPORTION OF THE ANIMAL RENDERED

2.45 MILLION tonnes of fallen stock is collected annually.

34% of fallen stock is rendered.

42% of fallen stock is specified risk material.

25% of fallen stock is fit for human consumption at point of slaughter.

EDIBLE FATS

186 THOUSAND tonnes of edible fats are rendered annually.

pet food

1.67 MILLION tonnes of pet food are rendered annually.

OLEOCHIMICALS

575 THOUSAND tonnes of oleochemicals are rendered annually.

animal feed & pet food

950 THOUSAND tonnes of animal feed & pet food are rendered annually.

FISH FEED

99 THOUSAND tonnes of fish feed are rendered annually.

LOW RISK

1 MILLION tonnes of low risk material are rendered annually.

HIGH RISK

5 MILLION tonnes of high risk material are rendered annually.

FIT FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION

SOLID FUEL

1 MILLION tonnes of solid fuel are rendered annually.

ENOUGH BIODIESEL IS PRODUCED FROM RENDERED FAT EACH YEAR TO POWER 650 THOUSAND CARS.

LIQUID FUEL

ENOUGH PHOSPHORUS TO FERTILIZE 3 MILLION FOOTBALL PITCHES.

FERTILISER

ENOUGH NITROGEN TO FERTILIZE A RURAL LAND THE SIZE OF 500 THOUSAND FOOTBALL PITCHES.