



A synthesis on Swedish food policy – conclusions and common objectives

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Myndigheternas gemensamma målbilder för arbetet med ett hållbart livsmedelssystem







The start

The Environmental Objectives Council, established by the Government in 2015. 17 national agencies and county boards, represented by directorgenerals. A platform for collaboration.



We need to strengthen our collaboration in the food system. Let's make this one of our seven collaboration programmes!

April 2021

Start of the programme.



Synthesis for a sustainable food system



Participating agencies:

- County Administrative Boards
- National Agency for Public Procurement
- National Food Agency
- Public Health Agency
- Swedish Agency for Economic and Regional Growth
- Swedish Agency for Marine and Water Management
- Swedish Board of Agriculture
- Swedish Chemicals Agency
- Swedish Consumer Agency
- Swedish Environmental Protection Agency





















Mapping of food system policies in Sweden

SWEDEN'S ENVIRONMENTAL OBJECTIVES











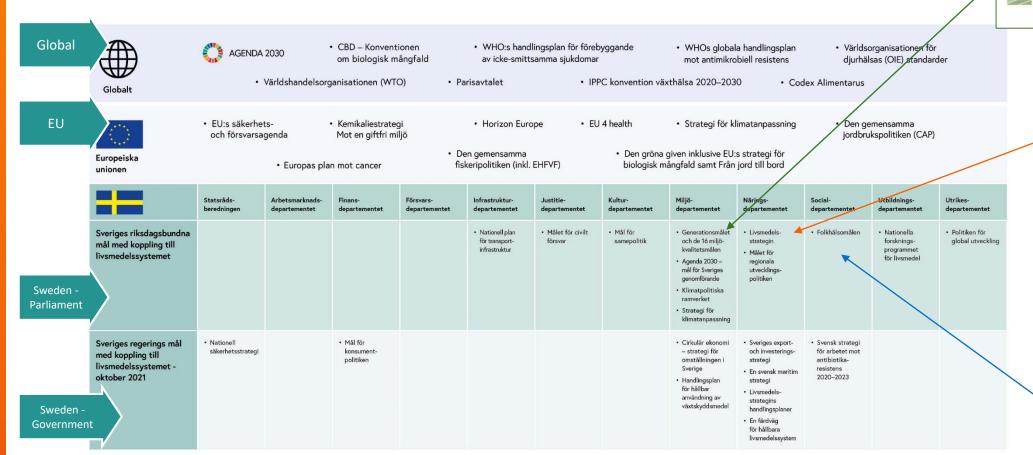


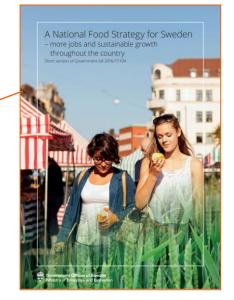






These goals guide environmental efforts in Sweden. They point the way to a sustainable society.







Conclusions

Governance

Several different Swedish goals and strategies govern the food system.

The agencies' work and responsibilities need more of a cross-cutting perspective.

Follow up

There is an extensive follow-up of the Swedish food system.

Need for further development, supplementation and a more comprehensive analysis.

Collaboration

We need each other's perspectives to analyze, understand and take responsibility for the consequences of our operations from a broad sustainability perspective.

The common objectives will support this.





















Common objectives for a sustainable food system

The authorities intend to until 2030

- let these objectives guide their activities within the food system
- contribute to efforts to reach the objectives within their official duties
- participate in dialogues to further develop the objectives and common efforts to reach them.

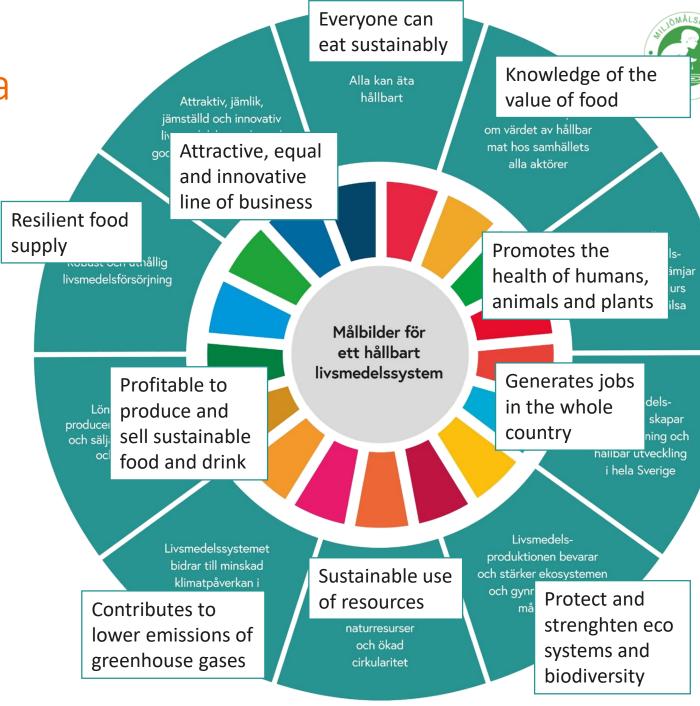








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Next step

- Together with all actors in the food system, identify barriers and levers and develop common initiatives to reach the objectives
- Follow up the objectives
- Common methods to identify and manage trade-offs

A structured process for this work has not yet been determined.























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