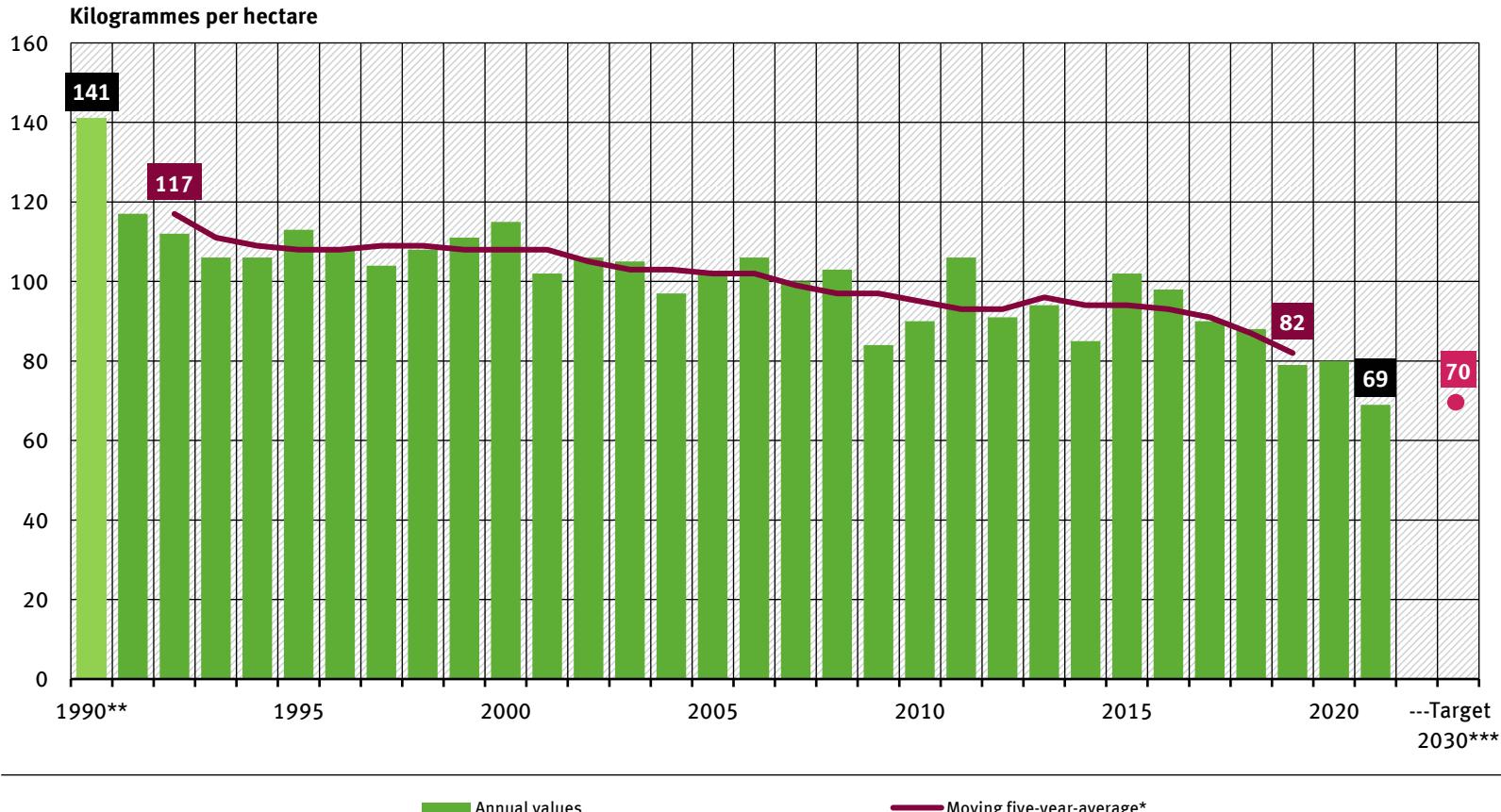


## Nitrogen surplus of the national farm-gate balance



\* Annual surplus referred to the middle year of the five-year-period (calculated from rounded annual values)

\*\* 1990: data partially uncertain and of only limited comparability with the following years

\*\*\* Target of the German Sustainable Development Strategy, referred to the average of the five-year-period 2028 - 2032

Source: Federal Ministry of Food and Agriculture (BMEL) 2023, Statistischer Monatsbericht Kap. A Nährstoffbilanzen und Düngemittel, Nährstoffbilanz insgesamt von 1990 bis 2021 (MBT-0111260-0000) (in German only)