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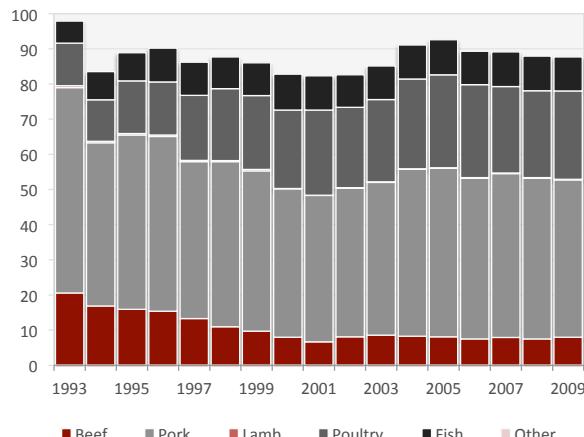
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Czech Republic

MEAT CONSUMPTION PER CAPITA

Paleontological evidence suggests that meat constituted a substantial proportion of the diet of even the earliest humans. Early hunter-gatherers depended on the organised hunting of large animals such as bison and deer. The domestication of animals, of which we have evidence dating back to the end of the last glacial period (c. 10,000 years BC) allowed the systematic production of meat and the breeding of animals with a view to improving meat production.

Increased meat-eating has followed rising affluence in many parts of the world. China's levels, for example, doubled between 1990 and 2002, reaching 52 kg (up from only 3.6 kg per person in 1961); half of the world's pork is now consumed in China. But it is the Americans who are the biggest carnivores, eating over 120 kg of meat per person a year.



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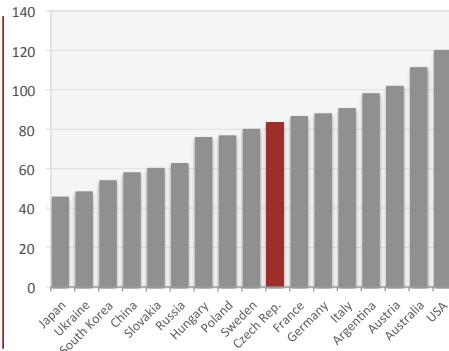
The consumption of meat has declined since the collapse of the Soviet Bloc in 1989, but the numbers have stabilised in the last decade. In 2009, 83 kg was consumed per person, 12% less than in 1993.

Czechs also reduced consumption of potatoes by roughly a quarter in the same period, so Czechs have been moving from the classical pork and potatoes.

The trend is more in favor of consumption of fruit and vegetables and the structure of the meat consumption has been changing from beef and pork more towards poultry and fish. Having said that, Czechs still eat less than 10 kg of fish a year per person, compared to around 17 kg globally, or over 50 kg in Norway.

Although the pig is gradually being replaced with the carp (or the pangasius fish, to be more precise) there is no diet revolution happening yet.

INTERNATIONAL COMPARISON



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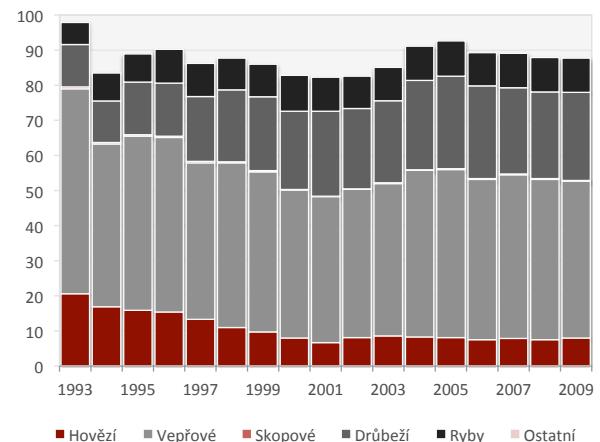
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Česká Republika

SPOTŘEBA MASA NA OBYVATELE

Paleontologické důkazy naznačují, že maso představovalo podstatnou část stravy už i u prvních lidí. Dávný lovec-sběrač byl závislý na organizovaném lovu velkých zvířat jako jsou bizoni a jeleni. Domestikace zvířat, která sahají až do konce poslední doby ledové (cca 10,000 let př.n.l.), poskytla systematickou produci masa a chovu zvířat a výrazně vylepšila produci masa.

Zvýšená konzumace masa je průvodním jevem rostoucího blahožitství v mnoha částech světa. Čínská spotřeba masa se například zdvojnásobila mezi lety 1990 a 2002, kdy dosáhla 52 kg na osobu (oproti pouhým 3.6 kg v roce 1961), což znamená, že polovina produkce světového vepřového je nyní spotřebováno v Číně. Jsou to nicméně Američané, kteří jsou největšími masožravci s více než 120 kg masa na osobu ročně.



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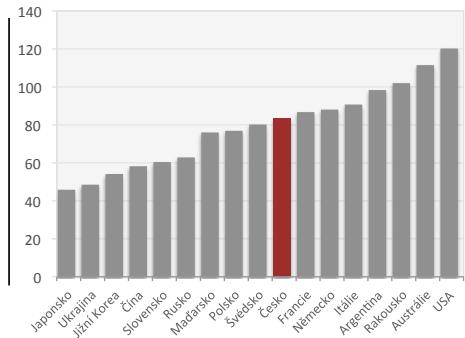
Spotřeba masa v České Republice klesla po rozpadu socialistického bloku po roce 1989, ale v posledních letech se stabilizovala těsně pod 90 kg na osobu a rok. I tak ale v roce 2009 češi spotřebovali 83 kg masa na osobu, což bylo stále zhruba 12% méně, než v roce 1993.

Češi také během stejné doby omezili spotřebu brambor zhruba o čtvrtinu, takže pomalu opouštíme své tradiční vepřové s bramborem.

Trendem je výšší konzumace ovoce a zeleniny a v rámci spotřeby masa se češi posouvají z dražšího hovězího a vepřového směrem k drůbeži a rybám. I když průměrný čech nesní ani 10 kg ryb za rok, což je výrazně pod celosvětovým průměrem 17 kg. O 50 kg Norů ani nemluv.

Takže, i když je prase postupně vytlačováno kaprem (nebo tedy spíše vodnatým pangasem), žádná revoluce v jídle se zatím v Česku neodehrává!

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