# 19) Name: allocation to grid cell based on MAMBO model (NH<sub>3</sub>)

# Description

Next to manure storage and animal housing systems, grazing and the application of manure and fertilizer are the most important sources of NH<sub>3</sub> emissions from agriculture. The NEMA model calculates the national emissions, MAMBO the spatial distribution.

To do this, the model uses the following:

- Data from GIAB (geographic farm information system). This system contains the location of every farm in the Netherlands, linked to data on livestock numbers and animal housing type
- Data from LGN7 (national land cover and –use information system)
- The mineral excretion per category of livestock, the ammonia volatilisation percentages of various animal housing types, manure application techniques and statutory fertilization norms (data from Agricultural Economics Institute, LEI)

Based on the above mentioned, MAMBO calculates a spatial distribution on a 500\*500 meter level. To account for data- and model uncertainties, the emission data as presented by the Netherlands Pollutant Release and Transfer Register are aggregated to 1x1 km.



Example map 19: MAMBO 500\*500m result: NH<sub>3</sub> from manure application, brown colors represent higher emissions

#### Institutes involved

LEI Alterra

## Currency of data

2013

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