In 2020, 24 billion liters of cow’s milk were collected in France. (AGRESTE)

The dairy sector comprises 200,000 direct jobs. (FRANCEAGRIMER)

In 2020, France produced 3.1 million tons of packaged milk, 1.4 million tons of yogurts and fermented milk, 0.6 million tons of fresh dairy desserts and 0.35 million tons of butter. (FRANCEAGRIMER)

France is Europe’s #2 producer of organic milk with 1.75 billion liters produced, one billion of which are organic cow’s milk. (AGRESTE; EUROSTAT)

French exports of dairy products amounted to €7.3 billion in 2020, generating a trade surplus of €3.5 billion. (FRENCH CUSTOMS AUTHORITIES)
In 2020, French dairy companies collected **503 MILLION LITERS OF GOAT’S MILK. FRANCE IS EUROPE’S #1 PRODUCER AND COLLECTOR.**

(FRANCEAGRIMER)

**FOUR FRENCH COMPANIES AMONG THE 20 GLOBAL LEADERS IN THE DAIRY INDUSTRY:**
Lactalis (2nd), Danone (4th), Sodiaal (14th) and Savencia (15th).

(RABOBANK)

**IN 2020, FRANCE HAD NEARLY 3.7 MILLION DAIRY COWS AND 62,000 DAIRY FARMS.**

(FRANCEAGRIMER)

**FRANCE IS EUROPE’S SECOND LARGEST CHEESE PRODUCER** after Germany, with 1.9 million tons in 2020.

(EUROSTAT)

**FRANCE BOASTS 1,200 VARIETIES OF CHEESE.**
In 2019, there were some 45 cheeses protected by a PDO (around 15% of cheese volumes produced), and three types of butter and two types of cream.

(FRANCEAGRIMER; DGPE)

**SOME 67 LITERS OF MILK AND 24 KG OF CHEESE** are consumed every year in France per capita.

(FRANCEAGRIMER)
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In 2020, the French agri-food sector was made up of 44,000 businesses employing nearly 520,000 people.

In 2020, there were 57 foreign investment projects creating more than 1,000 jobs.

In 2020, a year marked by the Covid-19 pandemic, the French agri-food trade surplus reached €6.3 billion.

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