



Sustainability and resilience of the dairy sector.



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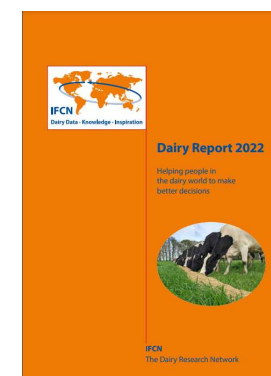
IFCN Network & how its Serving Dairy

Mission: Helping people in the dairy world to make better decisions.

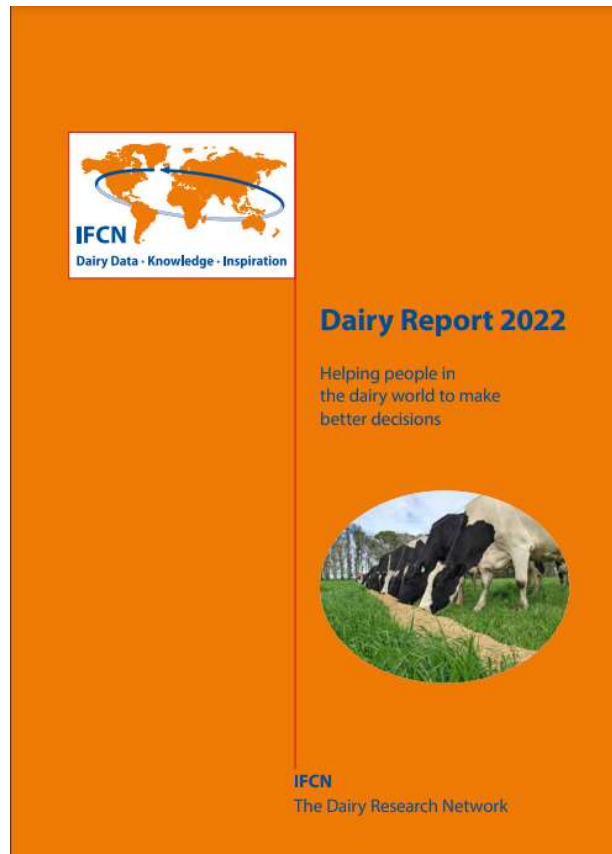
IFCN Approach: 3 Pillars



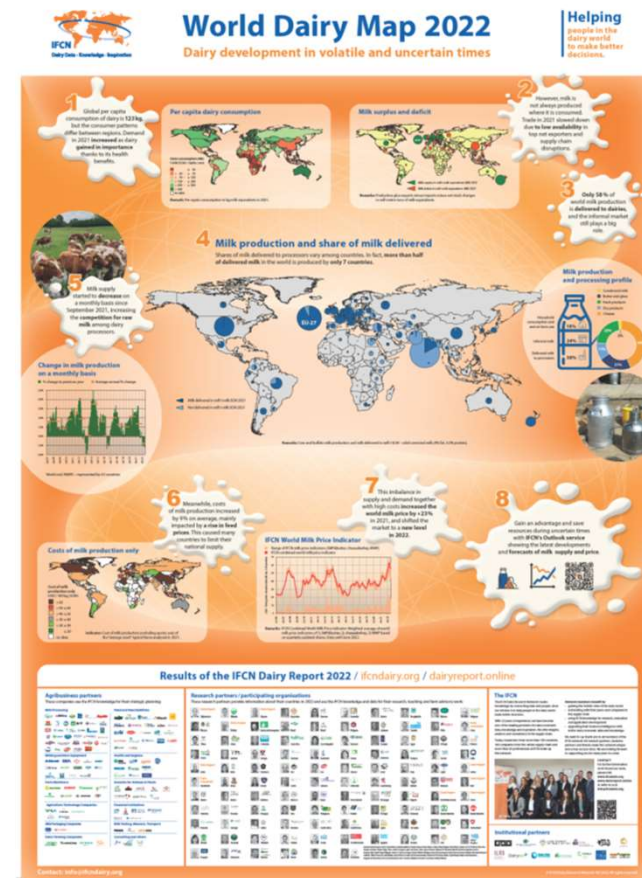
>1000 dairy experts joining



IFCN World Dairy Map 2022



This map
is a
summary
of the
report
2022



IFCN Dairy Research Network 2022

Focus on dairy farm analysis

Why?

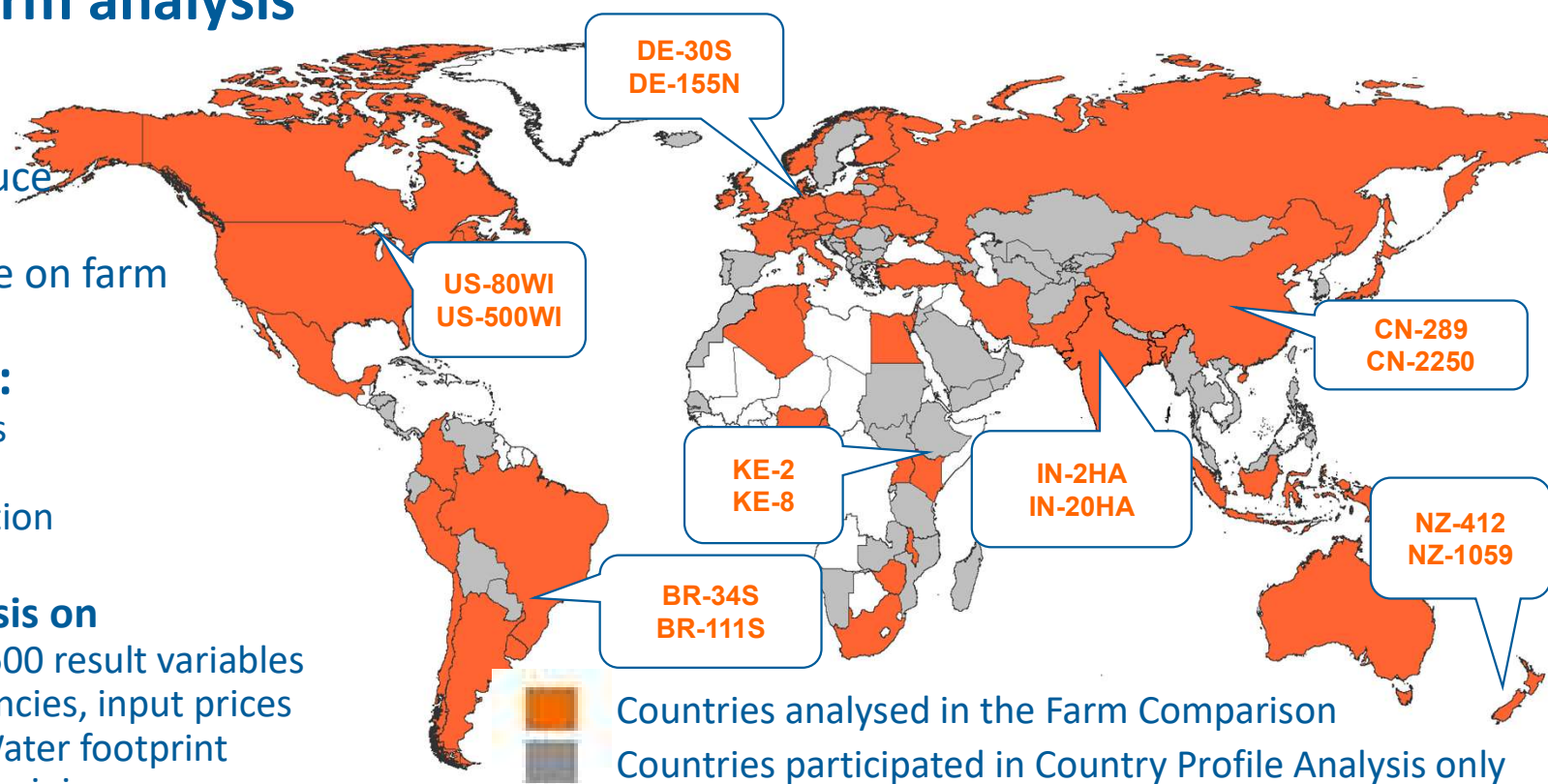
80% costs to produce a dairy product is to produce the milk on the farm.
80% of the emissions are on farm

Dairy Farm Analysis:

170 Farming systems/types
52 countries representing
89% of world milk production

Farm comparison analysis on

- > 300 variables/farm, > 600 result variables
- **Economics:** Costs, efficiencies, input prices
- **Environment:** Carbon / Water footprint
- **Social:** Farmer income vs minimum wages
- **Animal welfare:** Somatic cells, cow longevity
- **Resilience:** Start with buffer capacity
- etc.

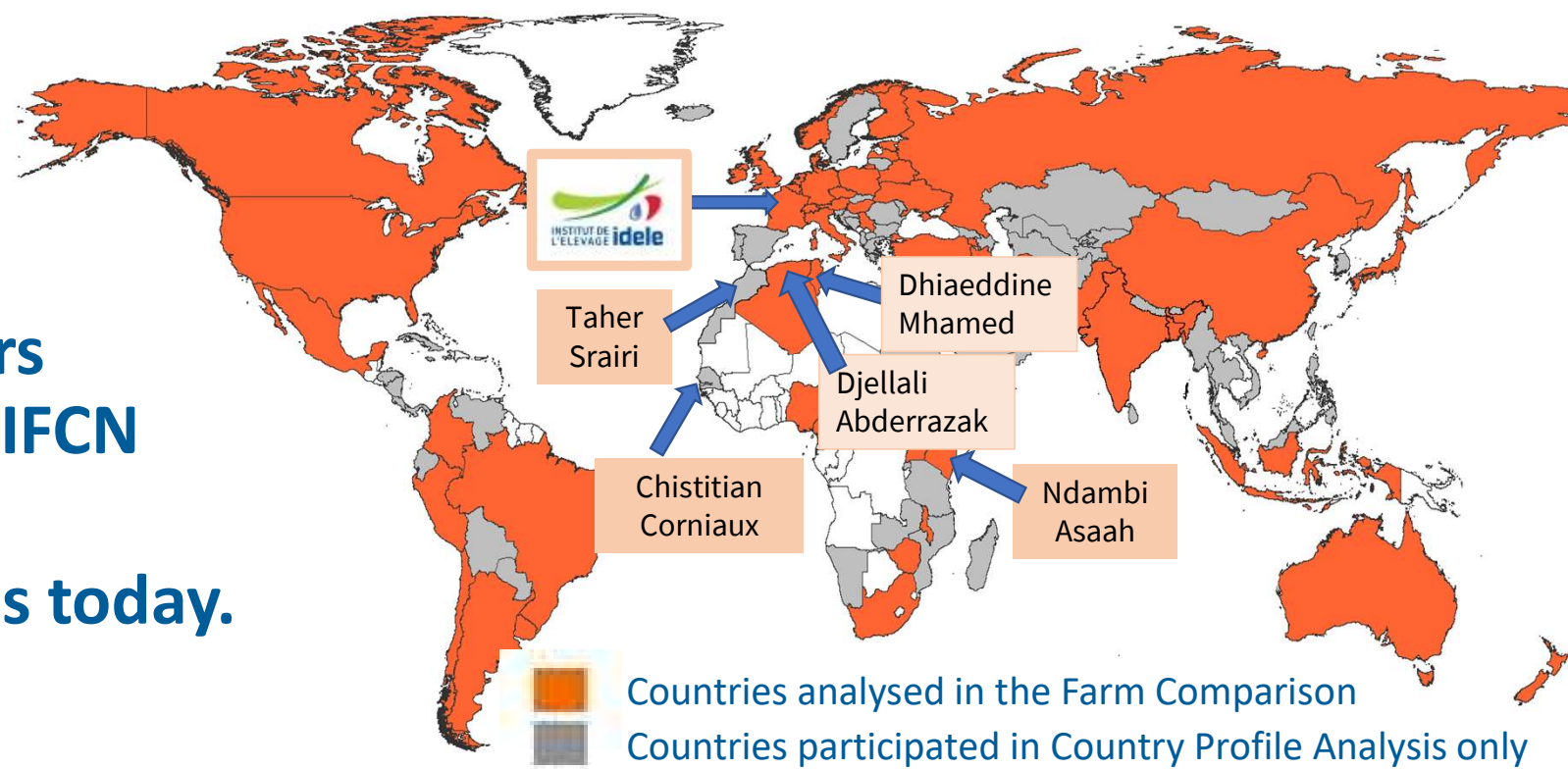


Examples of typical farm types
NZ-412 means a 412 cows farm in New Zealand

IFCN Researchers Network 2022

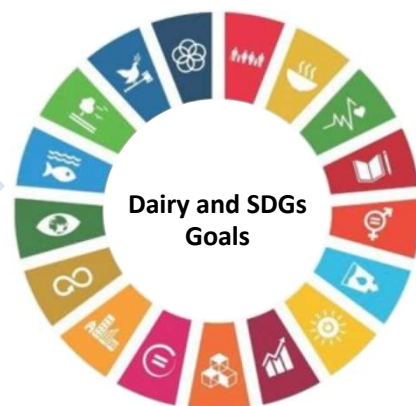
Big thanks
to all researchers
participating in IFCN

Some are with us today.



Dairy development

1 Evidence



4 areas
IFCN
involved

2 Dairy impact

di^m
dairy impact
methodology

3 P2DNZ

**PATHWAYS TO
DAIRY NET ZERO.**

We're helping to accelerate climate change
action for dairy worldwide.



Toolkit



Pilots



4 DNA – Dairy Nourishing Africa



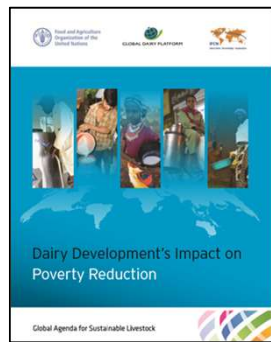
Food and Agriculture
Organization of the
United Nations



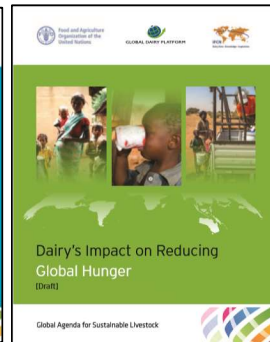
GLOBAL DAIRY PLATFORM



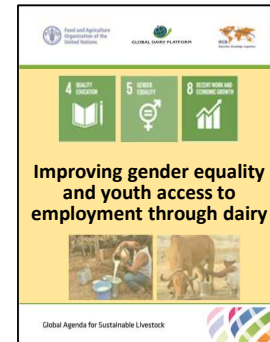
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Dairy Data · Knowledge · Inspiration



2018 Poverty
Reduction



2019 Reducing
Hunger



202x Gender and
Youth (planned)





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Dairy Alternatives are Aggressive

Superbowl 2021

30 sec slot - 5.5 mill US\$

Its like milk but
made for humans

No cows
No cows
No cows

Oatly

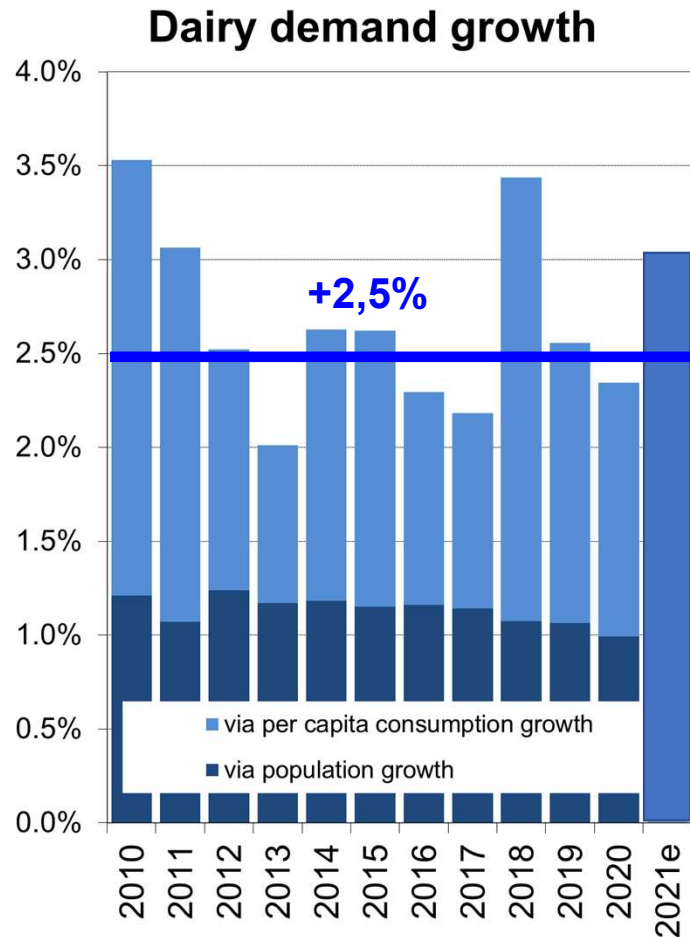
Dairy & the Story
Loose, Loose, Loose
(Animals, People, Planet)



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Global Dairy Demand Developments



IFCN data base 2022, Method milk equivalents

Stories you hear: Dairy =

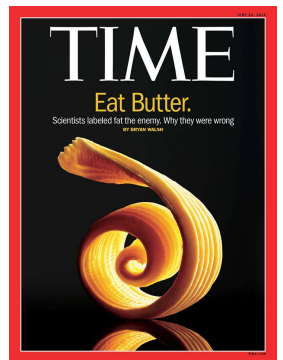


Facts tell us: Dairy =



Drivers for dairy demand

1. More People
2. More dairy / capita 2010 – 2020
 - USA + 10%;
 - EU + 8%
 - Asia > + 30%
 - Africa + 7%



Sustainability

A lot of people see it like this

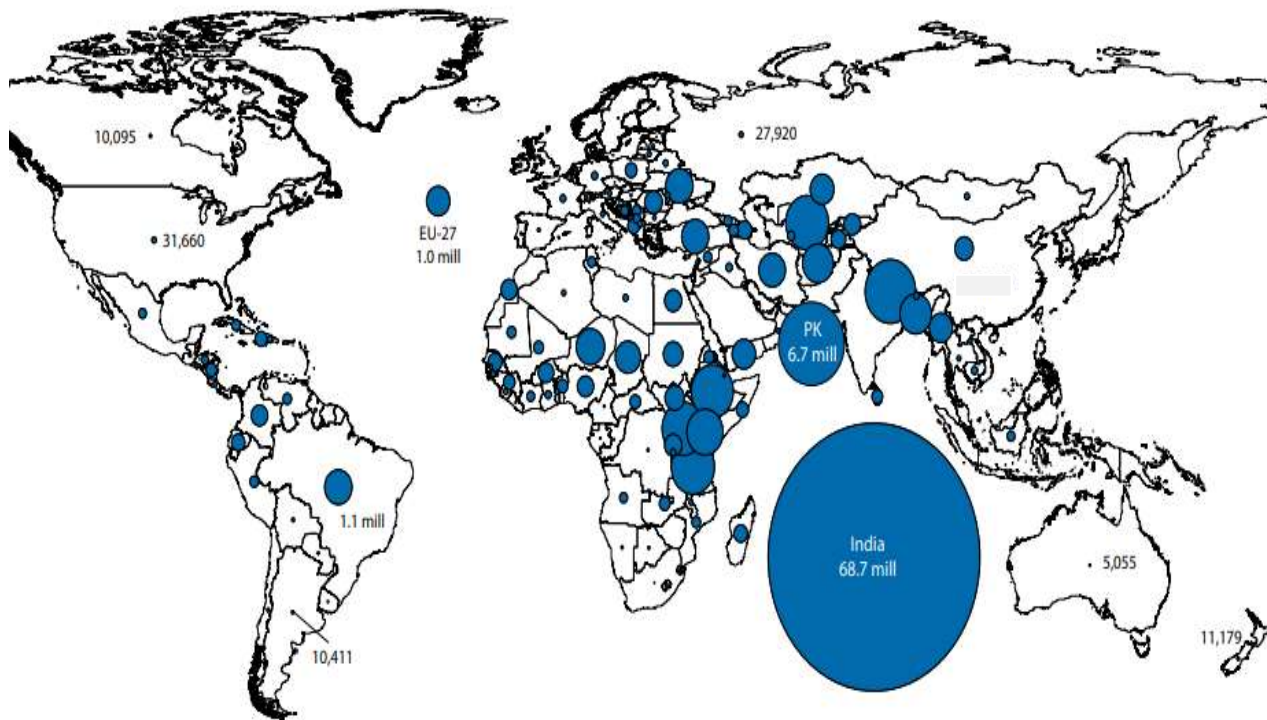
Sustainability ~~=~~ **Carbon emissions**

= 4 pillars

**a) Social, b) Economic,
c) Environment, d) Animal welfare**

Social: Dairy impacts income of 1 bill people

Dairy farm numbers in 2020



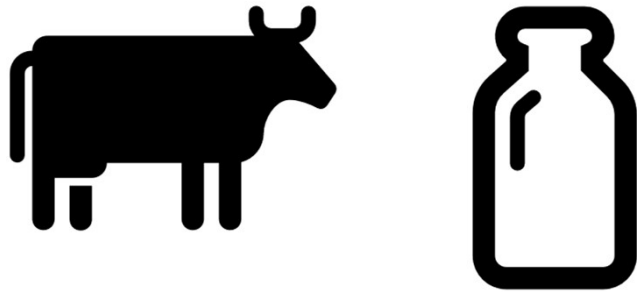
Dairy World 2020

120 million farms,
3 cows / farm
7,5 kg milk/ day

1 Bill People Mathematics

- => **Over 600 million people** live on dairy farms (120×5)
- => **Over 355 million people** live in household where 1 person has a job in the dairy chain (71×5)
- => **Over 50 million people** impacted by induced jobs / spin offs

Economics: Dairy > than Apple & Microsoft



Dairy

> 800 billion US\$*

(consumer value of milk)



Apple & Microsoft

= 585 billion US\$

Sales 2022

*estimates IFCN 2022 for 2021

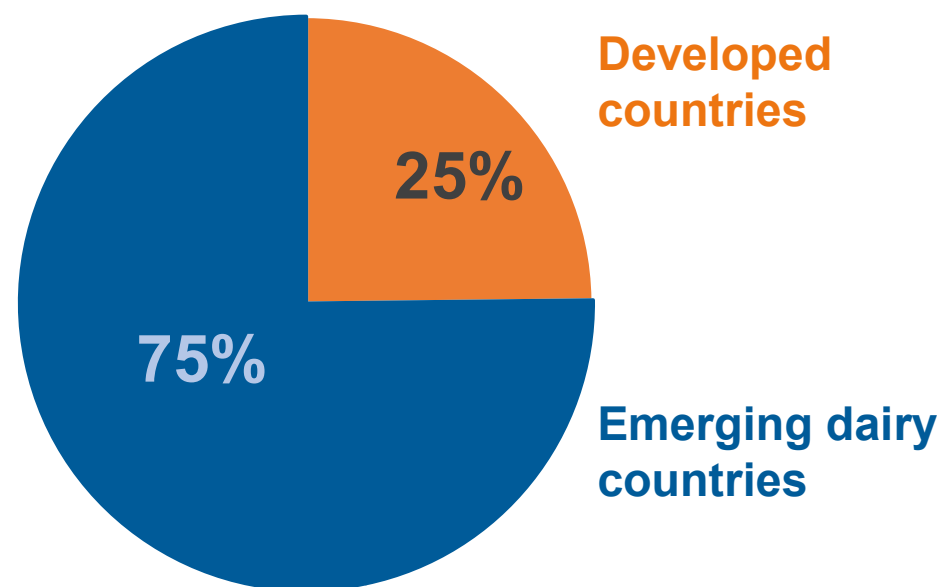
Environment: Dairy counts for 2,2% of all global green house gas emissions

Status quo

2.2% Milk production on global GHG emissions^{1,2}

75% Emissions in emerging dairy countries ¹

Dairy GHG emission by segments²



Sources: 1. FAO,2010; 2. IFCN database, LCA model and estimation 2021.



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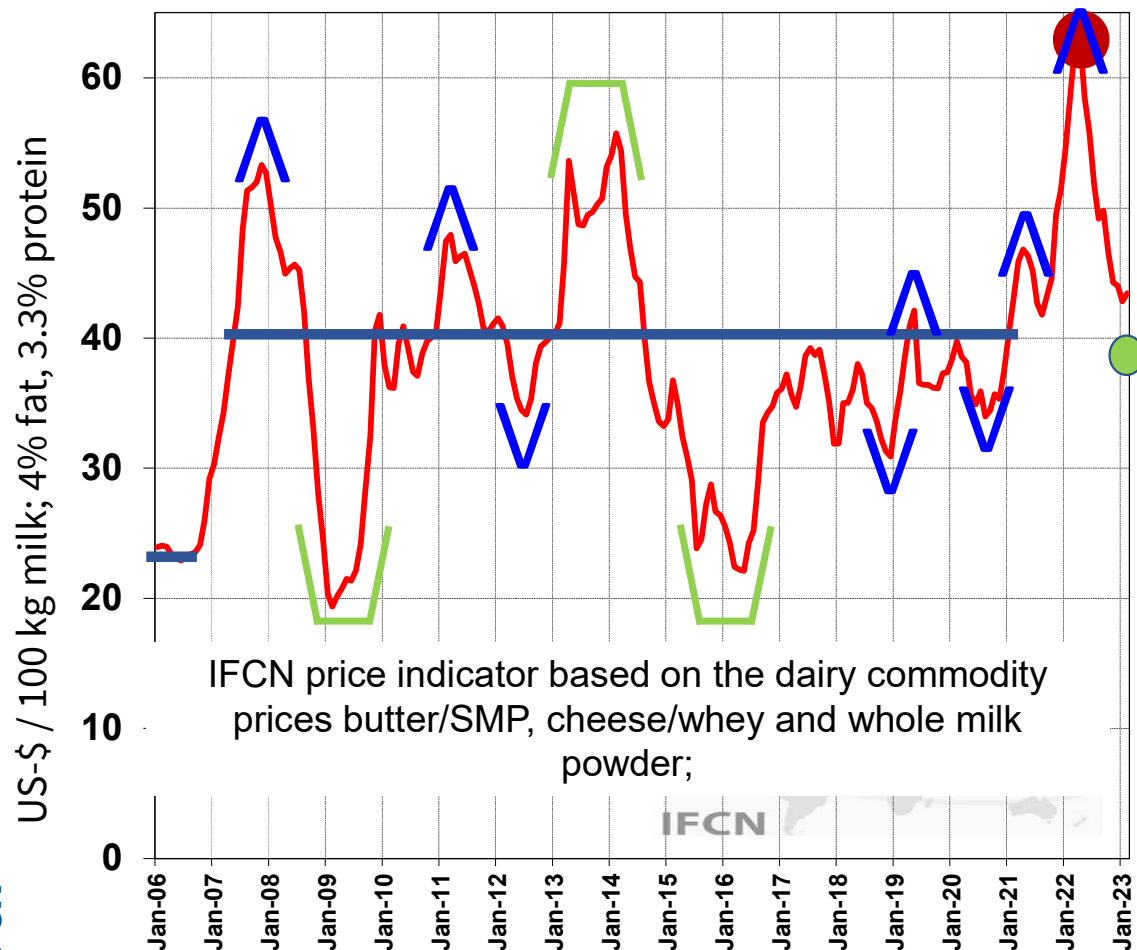
**For Dairy Farmers
No.1 = Economics**



**More
Sustainable
& resilience**

Less Sustainable

World milk price, 2006 – Feb 2023



Three price levels (simplified)

until – 2006 – 25 \$/ 100 kg

2007 – 2021 – 40 \$/ 100 kg

2022 new record – > 60 \$/ 100 kg

2023 – 30% from peak Tunisia today 1200 dinar

Patterns

Mostly we are in price cycles 3- 4 years

Stability 2017 – 2021 an exception (5 years)

More “V’s” than “U’s”

Drivers for

Prices = Milk supply and demand growth

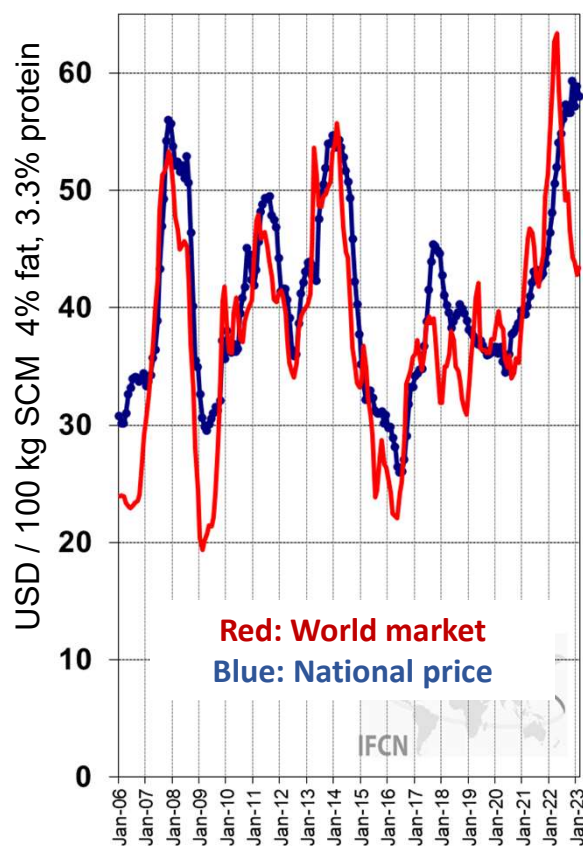
Volatility = Delay to react on prices change

Cycles = Biology in the farming system

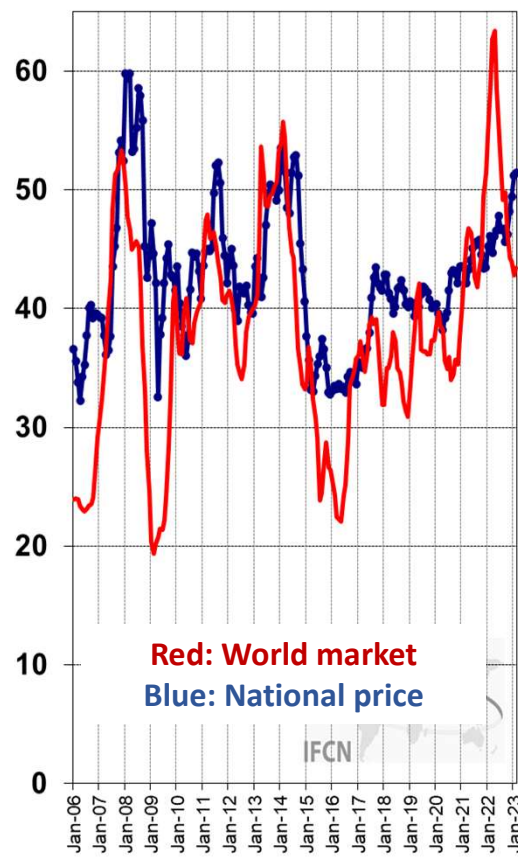
Source: IFCN world milk price is based on the dairy commodity prices butter/SMP, cheese/whey and whole milk powder; mainly Oceania prices

World milk price drives national prices

Germany



France

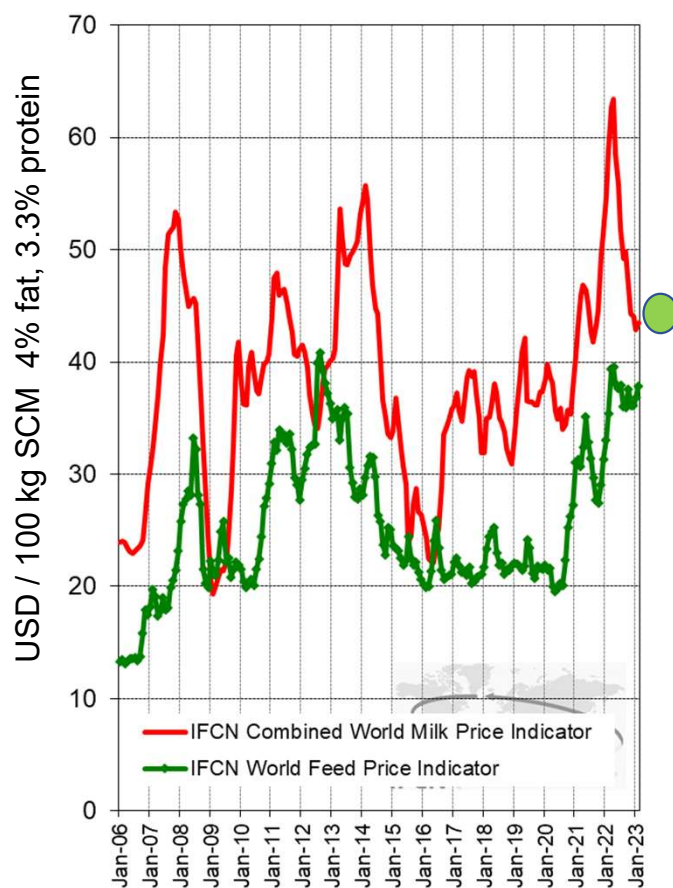


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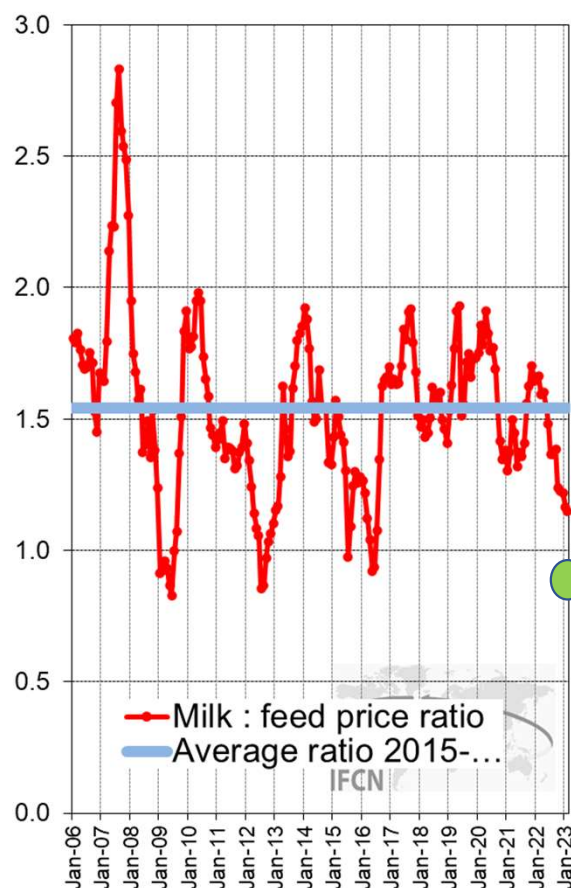
1. National prices follow the world price with a certain delay
2. Today
Germany at 58 US\$/100 kg
France at 52 US\$ / 100 kg,
lower level & less volatile
3. Outlook
Price in the EU to drop soon

World market milk / feed prices

Price milk/ feed



Ratio Milk/ feed price



1. Average milk feed price ratio
ca. 1.5. Selling one kg milk can buy 1.5 kg compound feed.

2. Ration 1 to 1 or below like in 2009, 2012, 2016 is very bad. In 2023 we move in this direction.

3. Country specific this looks very different. Most cases worst as a lot of countries did not get the high milk prices.

Tunisia Feed price > world market
Milk feed ration today 0,8

How to win the future?



1. **Fitting farming system** (measure, research, & training)
2. **Fitting dairy policy design**; supply chain, etc.
3. **Who starts first** wins the future & future generation.