SAFE FOOD FOR CONSUMERS

from FARM to FORK

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Food safety, from farm to fork, is paramount and is dependent on strong partnerships along the food chain. A wide range of regulatory and self regulatory measures, combined with the highest standards and the right handling of food at home, deliver safe food from farm to fork.

Traceability

Staff Training

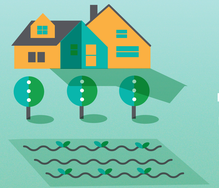
FARM

Sustainable pest and disease control

Feed safety risk management procedures based on Professional Guide to Good Practice and application of HACCP

Biosecurity measures

Good agricultural and animal practices



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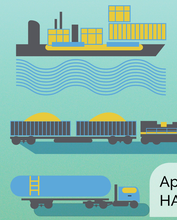
Farmers

Cooperation amongst farmers, vets and agronomists

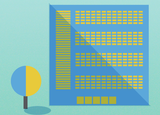
Preventing and mitigating incidents by sharing information between the authorities and operators

Sourcing animal and plant derived products from recognised sources in third countries



Regulatory compliance for EU exports and imports

Applying risk-based HACCP system



Regular data submission to the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)

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Jobs

Compliance with the highest food safety standards

FORK

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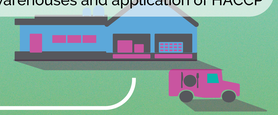
Retailers

Early warning systems

Effective quality control processes

Regular audits of suppliers

Good hygiene practices in stores and warehouses and application of HACCP



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European consumers

Raising consumer awareness on safe storage, handling and preparation of food and testing compliance

Build confidence amongst the partners to discuss openly and transparently all aspects of the food chain relating to food safety