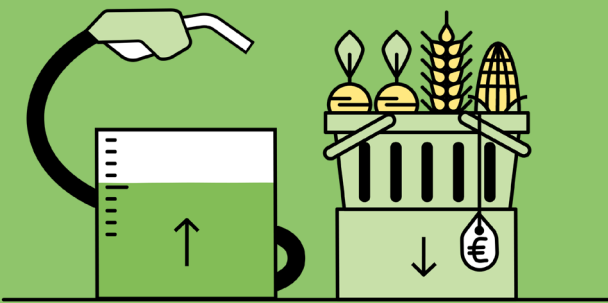




Food & Fuel

Some critics claim that renewable ethanol competes with food production and uses too much land. Let's look at the facts...

Even as EU biofuels production has increased, food prices have gone down



EU biofuels production has increased by 68% since 2008 – but global food prices have decreased by 20% during the same period.

Ethanol production strengthens food security



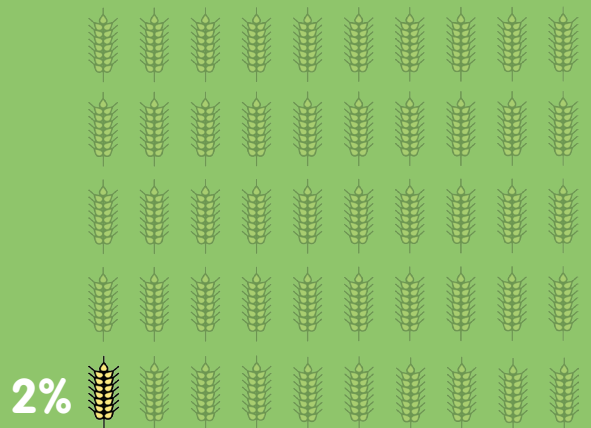
In 2015, ethanol biorefineries produced enough high-protein animal feed to feed at least 4 million dairy cows – at 17% of the EU dairy herd.

Ethanol production is an important source of income for European farmers



Production of sustainable crop-based biofuels in Europe generates at least €6.6 billion direct income for European farmers per year – at least €2.1 billion of that is from ethanol feedstock.

Ethanol production uses a minuscule share of EU crops



European fuel ethanol production uses only 2% of EU grain production.