



## The role of the EIB in the agri-food sector

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## Our Role - Our Priorities





# EIB products to catalyse investment

LENDING	BLENDING	ADVISING
Loans	Combining EIB finance	Prepare and support
- Direct	with EU budget	the implementation of
<ul> <li>Intermediated</li> </ul>	(Natural Capital	EAFRD financial
	Financing Facility;	instruments
Guarantees	EAFRD/EFSI Initiative)	
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Risk sharing solutions	Finance for innovation	,
J	(InnovFin)	
Equity participation	()	

Our goal: Attracting FUNDING for long-term growth in the green and blue sectors

# EIB Group products to catalyse investment in the EU

New finance mechanisms in cooperation with EU Commission and Member States EIB's loan products

European Investment Fund (EIF)

InnovFin – EU Finance for Innovators

European Fund for Strategic Investment (EFSI)

European Structural Investment Funds -Financial Instruments **LENDING** 

**BLENDING** 

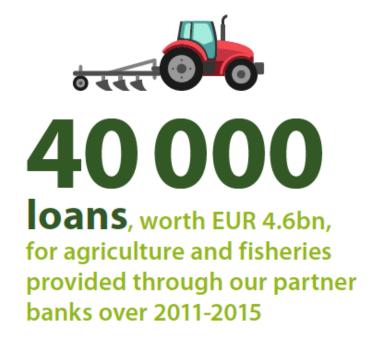
ADVISING/ MANAGING



#### EIB finance to bio-based value chains



financing investments throughout the bio-based value chains and in natural capital protection over 2011-2015





## Doing more with less and sustainably

#### Advantages of EAFRD Financial Instruments:

- ✓ Greater access to a wider range of financial tools for policy delivery.
- ✓ Leveraging private sector funds to help boost RDP impacts.
- ✓ Allowing for re-use of the funds to increase investment potential.









### EIB's activities outside the Union



**EIB** in Mauritius (Sugar)



