



Farm to Fork Strategy - the path to sustainable food systems

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In spring 2020, the Commission will present a **Farm to Fork Strategy** to:



make sure
Europeans get
affordable and
sustainable food



tackle climate
change



protect the
environment



preserve
biodiversity



increase
organic
farming

***Design a fair, healthy and
environmentally-friendly food system,
covering all stages in food supply chain***



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Challenges of EU food systems

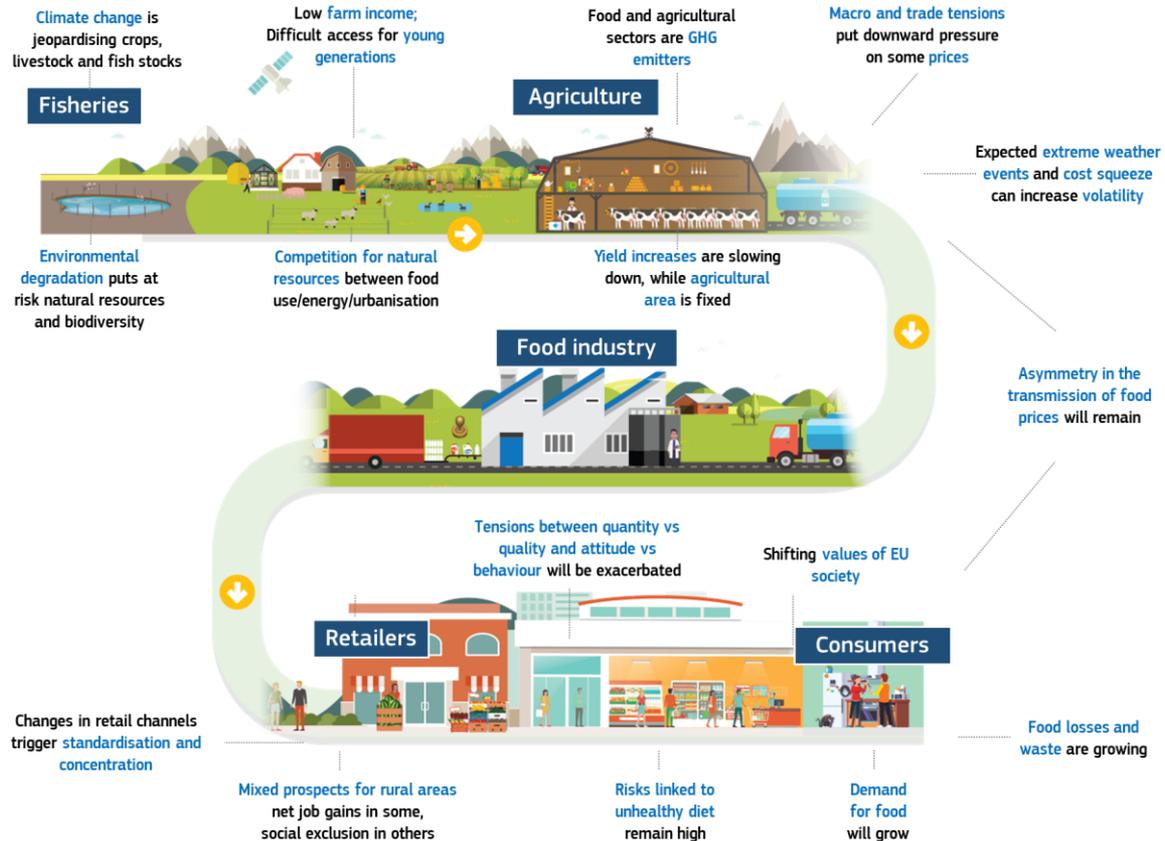
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Towards sustainable food systems

- ✓ **Primary production:** the CAP, organic farming, pesticides, fertilisers, animal welfare, AMR, ...
- ✓ **Food processing, distribution, food services:** new innovative food and feed products, packaging, environmental footprint, food environment...)
- ✓ **Consumers' empowerment:** food information -> food environment that stimulates balanced choices and sustainable consumption
- ✓ **Food loss and waste**
- ✓ **Combat food fraud**
- ✓ **International dimension** (support global transition)



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Timeline

- ✓ **Targeted consultations – Q1 2020**
- ✓ **Feedback on the Roadmap by 16 March**
- ✓ **Farm to Fork strategy:** Communication and action plan to be adopted by end March.
- ✓ **Further consultation** on individual initiatives announced in the Action Plan