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EU Green Deal: benefits for farmers

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Embedding the concept of sustainability in the way we produce and consume our food will bring benefits for all the actors in the food chain and in particular for farmers.



1 HIGHER RETURNS

Sustainable business models, labelling schemes (sustainable, animal welfare) and marketing standards will link production methods to premium consumer demand, leading to higher returns for farmers and food producers

2 STRONGER ROLE IN THE FOOD SUPPLY CHAIN

Enhanced tools will improve the position of farmers in the value chain/agri-food supply chain



3 NEW BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

Changing consumer demand and new sustainable systems will bring about new business opportunities, such as the plant protein sector or in an ever-emerging bioeconomy.





4 LOWER COSTS

Advances in innovation, technology and digital solutions (precision agriculture) will reduce inputs thereby reducing costs.

5 STRONGER CONNECTION WITH CONSUMERS

Meeting an increasing demand for sustainable food means making a stronger connection with consumers.



6 NEW GLOBAL MARKETS

Labelling and marketing initiatives will heighten awareness of EU high standards/added-value, opening up additional export opportunity.

