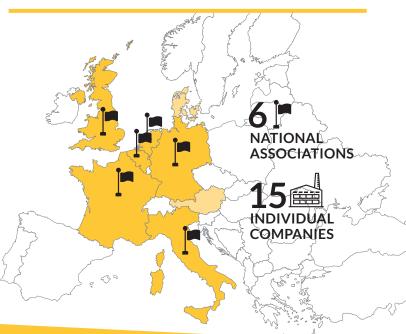


# **OUR WORK ON TRADE**

### WHO WE ARE

EUPPA is the association representing the European potato processing industry. Its members are **6 national associations** based in Belgium, France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands and the United Kingdom, as well as **15 individual companies** that account for more than **90% of Europe's processed potato production by both value and volume.** 



## NEW SOCIOECONOMIC CONDITIONS



People moving to urbanised areas



The potato processing industry is meeting the global demand

Growing demand for high-quality, safe, tasty and convenient food

Potatoes are familiar and popular all around the world

#### **EUROPEAN MARKET**



19.5 million tonnes of processing usage of potatoes



168 countries of EUPPA members' exports



€8 billion per annum turnover and employs 24,500 people directly



€1,130 billion of fries export

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70% of the global

population living in

cities by 2050

(Source EU data: WorldPotatoMarkets).



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### **GLOBAL MARKET**



2-4% annually of expected growth



€11 billion of global processed potato trade



42 million tonnes of potatoes processed globally each year



Europe is the source of two thirds of frozen potato exported worldwide

(Source EU data: WorldPotatoMarkets).

#### **FUTURE TRENDS**



Production and world supply will still be dominated by a few North American and European players with new entrants including emerging markets like the Philippines, Indonesia and Chile

World demand for processed products is set to grow.



As the consumer trend towards new and healthy diets continues, **fries will** also need to ensure that they **remain relevant** 



There will also be a trend of continuous **investment in our value chain** – including investment in **new potato varieties, in new machinery** and in **new productivity approaches** such as precision farming



International regulation and stricter national barriers could also serve to restrict growth in the dynamic potato processing sector

### **OUR ADVOCACY**



As food manufacturers **we advocate for food security** as well as a **level-playing field around the world** and **equal access to markets** 



We cannot achieve this without the **support of EU legislators** and **we call on them to support and defend the Agri-food industry** and to create an **environment that is fair and conducive to growing business** within Europe and beyond

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