

Knowledge grows

Water use in agriculture – Yara's approach

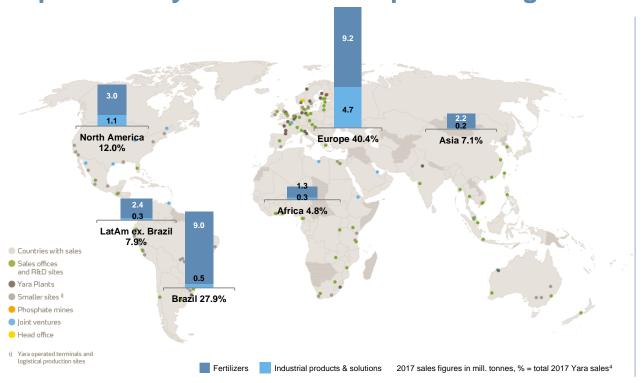
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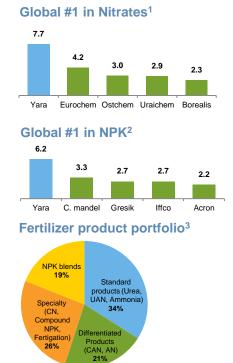
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Yara's leading global position and differentiated product portfolio represent key sources of competitive edge







Including TAN and CN – Including companies' share of JVs 2016YE

⁾ Compound NPK, excluding blends

 ^{2016/2017} season volume

Ammonia trade not included in chart above

Our Mission

Responsibly feed the world and protect the planet

Our Vision

A collaborative society; a world without hunger; a planet respected



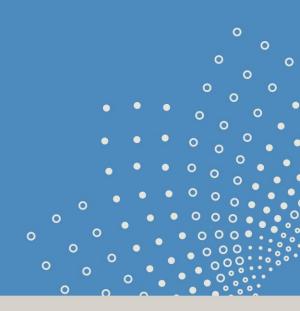
Responding to global challenges is an integral part of our business model and strategy



Our business is uniquely positioned to provide shared value for shareholders and society



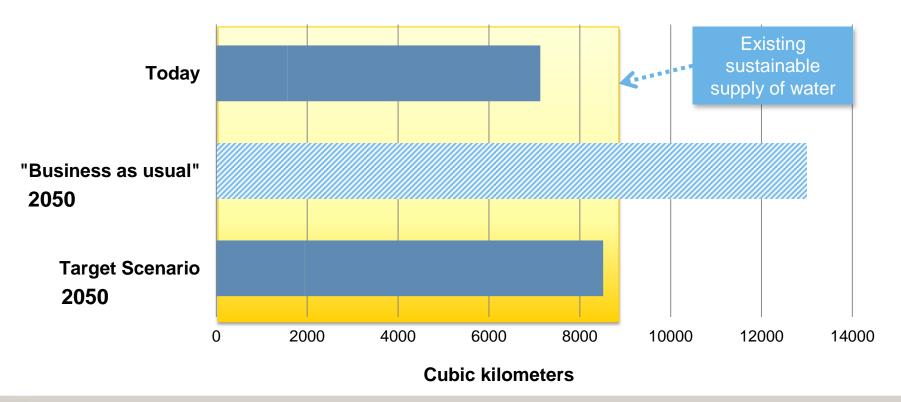
The challenge with water and agriculture





Global annual Water use - today and projection into 2050

"Business as usual" is not an option







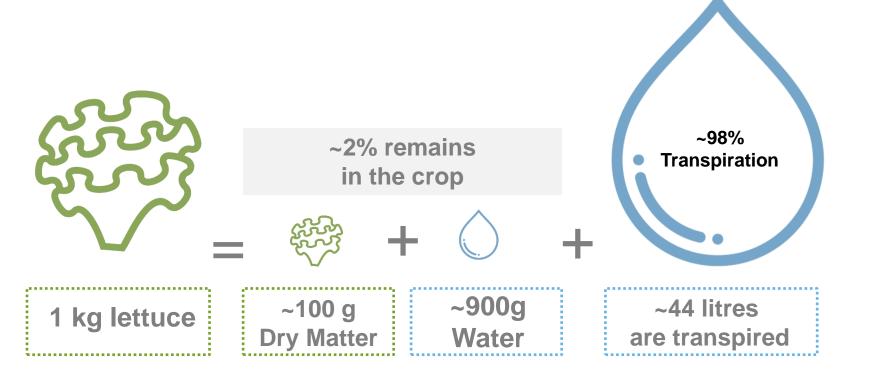
70%

of all water that is used today is used for agriculture



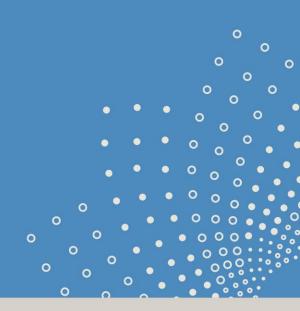


Most of the water taken up by crops is lost through transpiration Example - lettuce





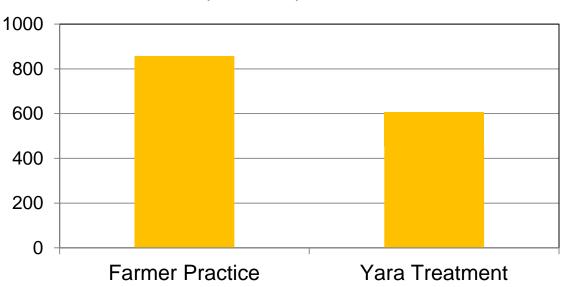
Yara's approach improved crop nutrition





Good crop nutrition enables the crop to use water more efficiently Example Maize, Tanzania

Waterfootprint in m³ per ton of corn

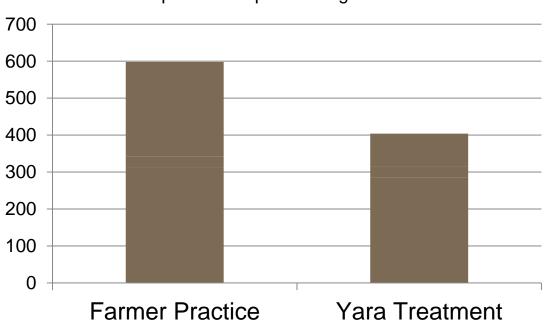






Good crop nutrition enables the crop to use water more efficiently Example Coffee, Vietnam

Waterfootprint in m³ per ton of green beans









Yara fertigation solutions: profitable crops, satisfied growers.

More than 100 years of experience since first fertigation product development: calcium nitrate; now expanded to support grower's needs.



Trainings













Yara offers a wide range of fertigation products for growers – both for greenhouses and open fields.











Comprehensive set of tools and services to offer











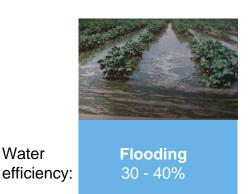


Telemetry

Sensors YaraTera EASYFEED

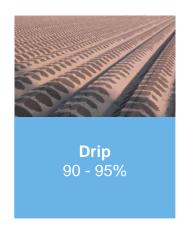


Yara solutions helps to increase the water efficiency via better usage of resources in open field irrigation systems









Increased accuracy of irrigation application and reduced water per ton of crop



Water

Moving to fertigation creates value both for the farmer and for the environment: Example Potatoes

Treatment	Yield (t/ha)	Yield (€/ha)	Fertilizer cost (€/ha)	Water cost (€/ha)	Total costs (€/ha)	Profit (€/ha)
Pivot	59,1	8373	464	723	1187	7186
Fertigation (drip)	71,1	10073	732	595	1327	8746
Differences	12	1700	268	-128	140	1560



Fertigation benefits



31% less water use / ton crop



36% less CO₂ eq. / ton crop



10.5% more profit (after drip investment costs)



The significant growth potential of fertigation products & strong profitability above alternatives makes this segment highly interesting for Yara

