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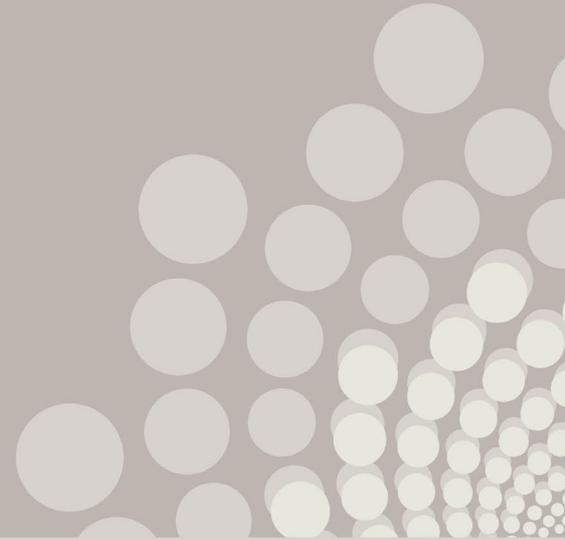
# Sustainable Business

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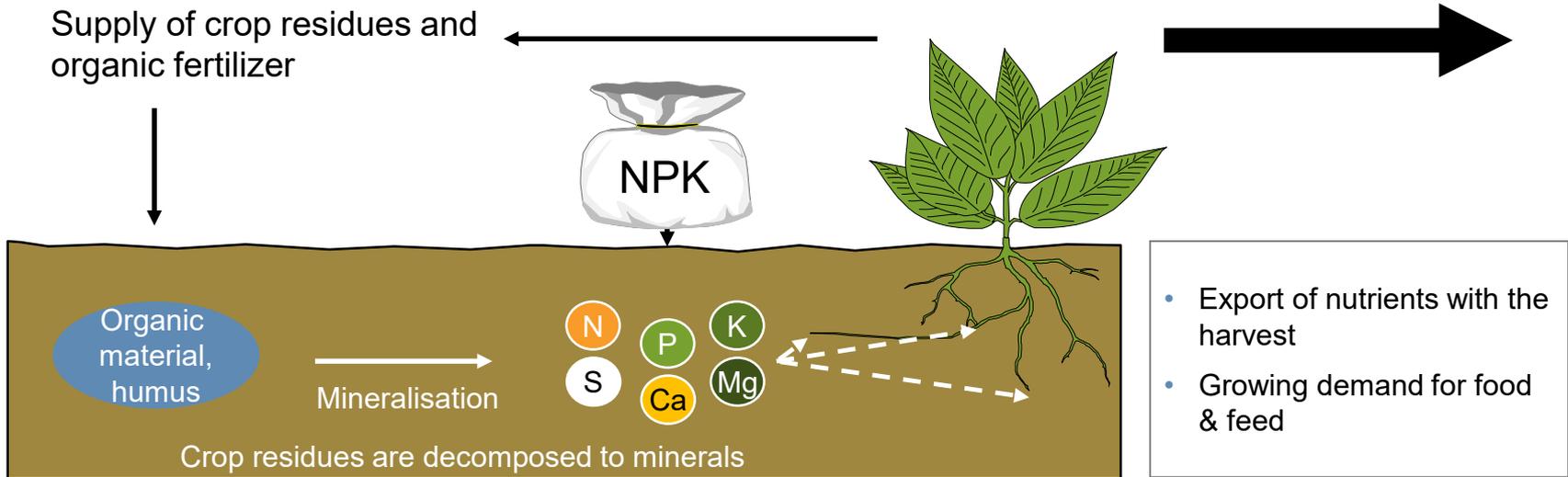
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# Introduction



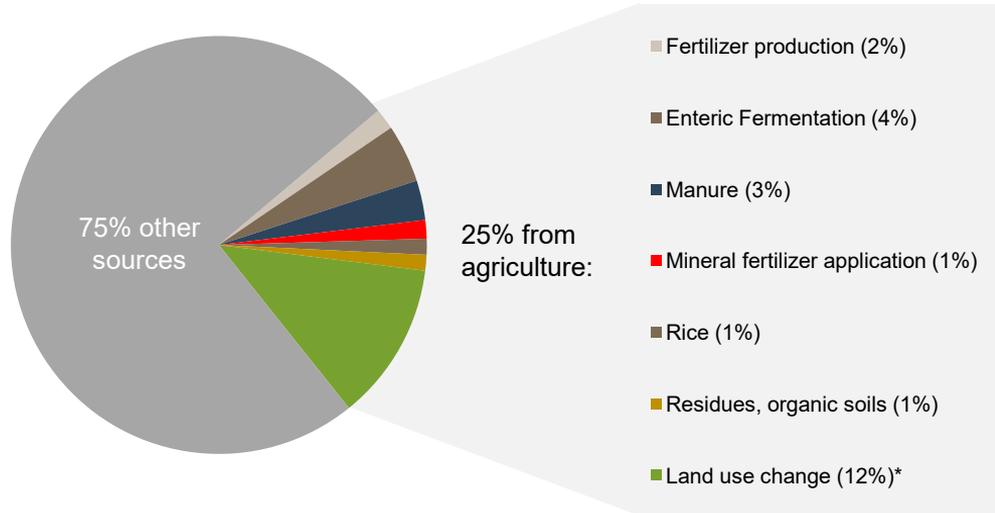
# Mineral fertilizers replace nutrients removed with the harvest



Mineral fertilizers are necessary to replace those nutrients that have been removed from the field

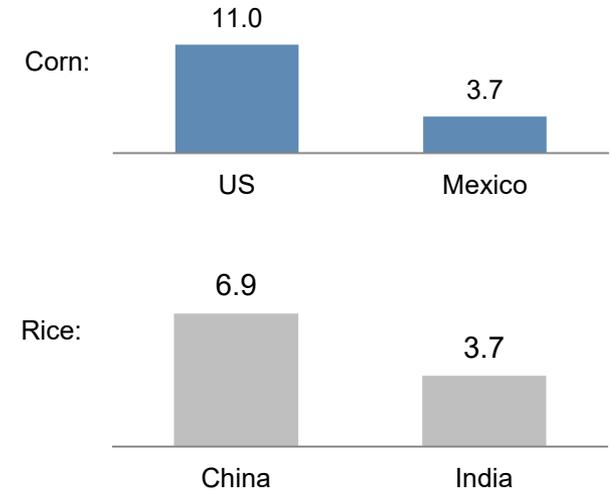
# Improving crop nutrition efficiency and sustainability from factory to field is core to Yara and crucial for the planet

## Ag sector represents 25% of global GHG emissions



## Significant improvement potential

*Tonnes output per hectare*



# Fertilizer reduces the carbon footprint of farming

## Fertilizer - an efficient solar energy catalyst

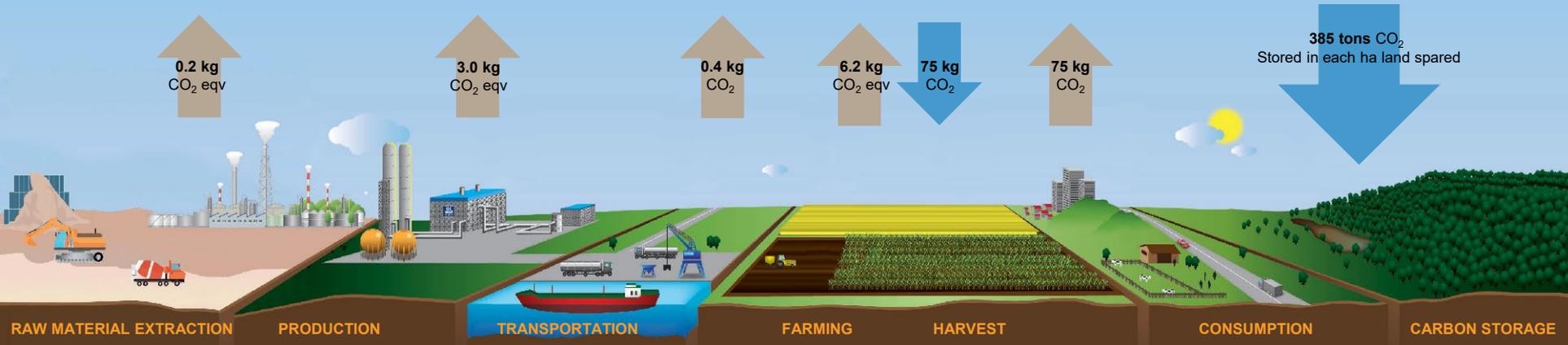
- Production is a marginal part of the carbon footprint; efficient application is more important
- Huge positive effects of fertilizer use, since higher yields enable lower land area use

### Production

- Yara's production is more energy-efficient than competitor average

### Application

- Higher efficiency with nitrates
- Precision farming tools



# Yara's ambition is to become climate neutral by 2050



Yara's total greenhouse gas emissions halved by almost eliminating N<sub>2</sub>O

- Equal to 15 million tonnes CO<sub>2</sub> every year

**Past 15 years**



Further improving on world leading performance by CO<sub>2</sub> reduction target:

- 10% reduction of CO<sub>2</sub> per tonne of N by 2023

**Present**

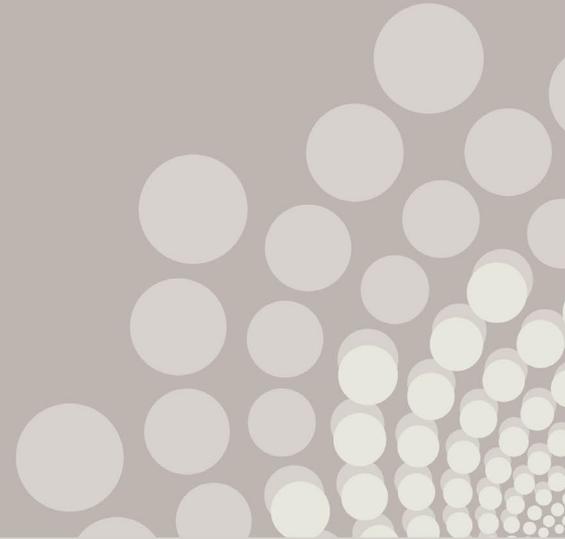


Ambition to become climate neutral by 2050, including:

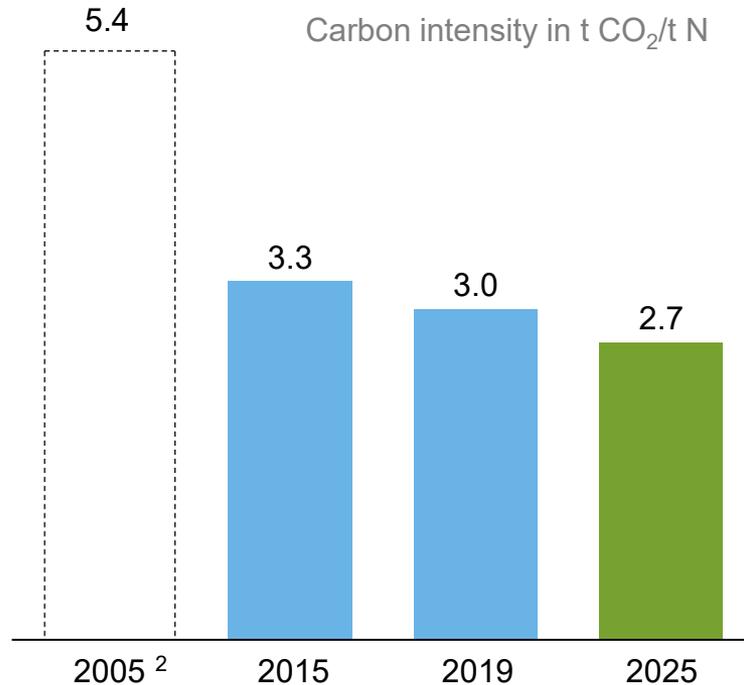
- Green hydrogen/low carbon fertilizer production
- Reduce in-field emissions

**Future**

# Production



# Yara is improving an already world leading performance with CO<sub>2</sub> intensity reduction target: 10% reduction by 2025

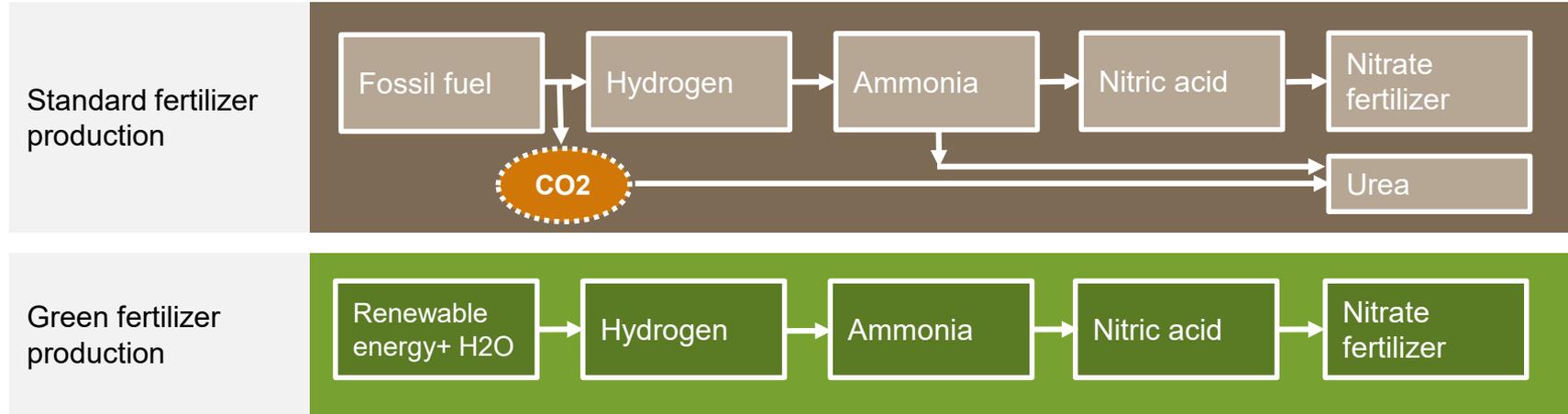


## ***Our ambition:***

*10% reduction<sup>1</sup> in CO<sub>2</sub>eq intensity by 2025*

- 2025 target reflects GHG emissions already considerably reduced from 2005
- Lower emissions improve our cost position
- Positive business cases; 200-450 MUSD capex required
- Supports our ambition to become climate neutral by 2050

# The next step change requires green ammonia production



## Main challenges

- Major gap is capex and opex (not technology)
- Ammonia plants linked to nitrate production most suitable
- Value chain premium initially key success factor

## Yara responses:

- Decarbonize – pilots
- Food / value chain initiatives

# Decarbonize Yara: exploring climate neutral solutions through innovative partnerships

## What

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- Reduce Yara's direct GHG emissions
- Produce zero-carbon nitrogen
- Solutions to reduce in-field agricultural GHG emissions
- Contribute to green energy carrier solutions and green food value chains

## Example – “Green ammonia” in Australia

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Feasibility study with ENGIE to produce zero-emission ammonia

Designing a green hydrogen plant integrated with Yara's existing ammonia plant in Pilbara

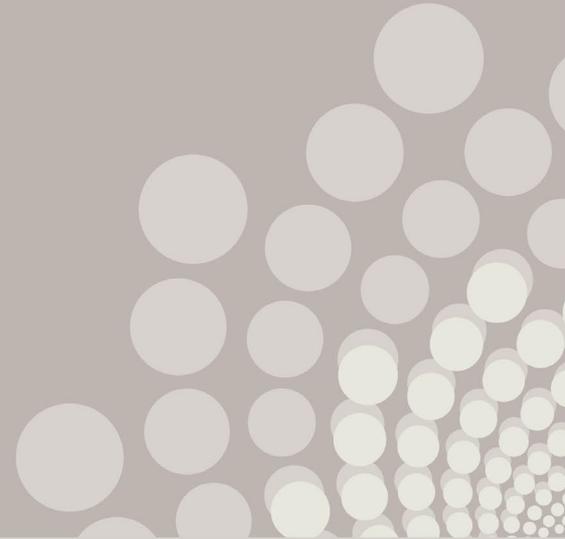
# Circular Economy – create new business models through recycling nutrients in food and agriculture production chains

## Circular Economy



What	Value drivers	Example
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Solutions to use recovered materials as sources for N, P and K</li><li>• Shape new business and value creation models in circular agriculture</li><li>• Alternative sustainable raw material sourcing to production plants</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Strengthen competitive advantage; respond to consumer and regulatory trends</li><li>• Create new business models/revenue streams</li><li>• Increased resource use efficiency</li><li>• Secure alternative resource supply and lower cost</li></ul>	<p><b>Yara-Veolia partnership</b></p> <p><b>What?</b> Develop the circular economy in Europe's food and agriculture value chains</p> <p><b>How?</b> By recycling nutrients and promote cooperation across the value chain (e.g. Nutrient Upcycle Alliance)</p> <p><b>Why?</b> Secure access to nutrients, position Yara in circular value chain</p>

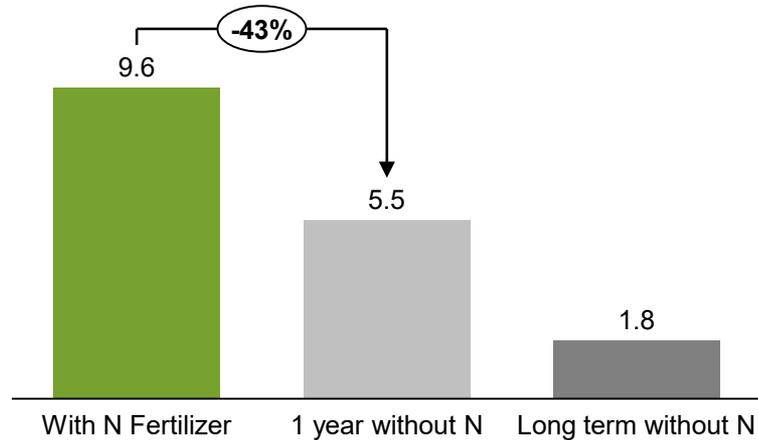
# Application



# Annual nitrogen application is required in order to maintain yields

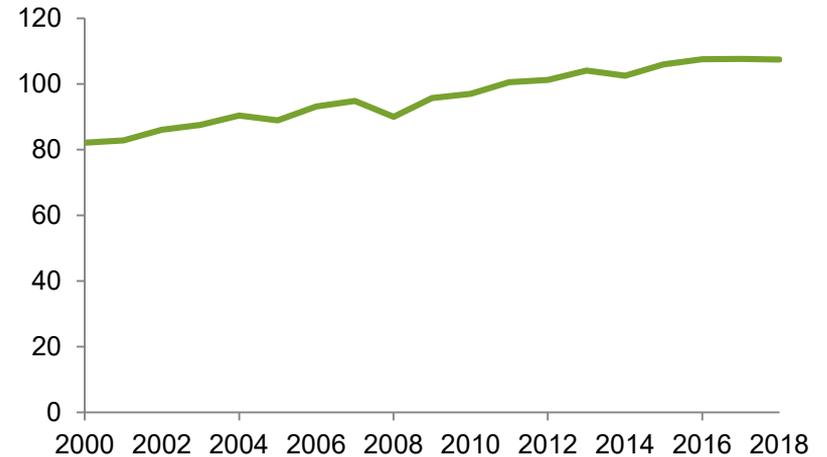
## Annual N-application is critical for yield

Grain yield from Nitrogen fertilizer  
Ton per hectare



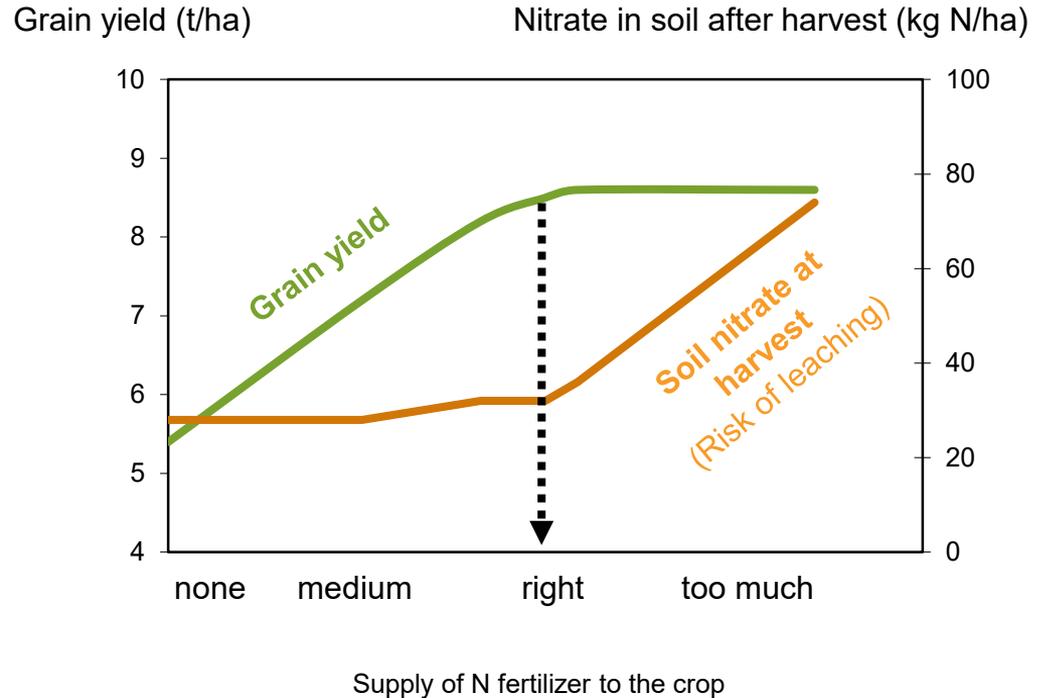
## Stable global nitrogen consumption pattern

Million tonnes nitrogen



# The right nitrogen fertilizer rate is key to avoid nitrate leaching

- Leaching of nitrate into groundwater affects water quality and contributes to eutrophication<sup>1</sup>
- The main driver for nitrate leaching is over-application of organic and mineral nitrogen fertilizer
- Optimum fertilizer application and high grain yields achievable with low levels of nitrate leaching



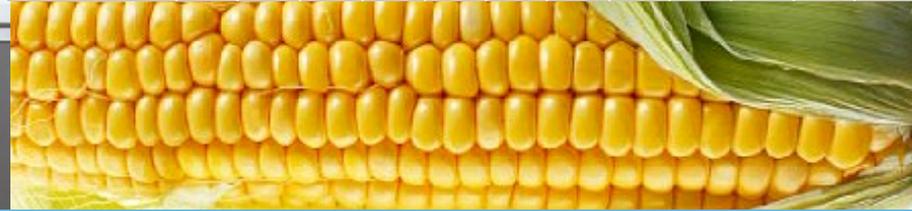
Ammonium nitrate



Ammonium sulfate + Ammonium chloride



	N	P	K	Ca	Mg	S	B	Cu	Fe	Mn	Mo	Zn
Grain Weight/Size	^	^	^									
Grain Set/Number	^	^	^				^					
Grain Yield	^	^	^	^	^	^	^	^	^	^	^	^
Grain Protein	^	^	^			^						^
Forage Maize Yield	^	^	^	^	^	^	^	^	^	^	^	^
Forage Maize Energy							^					
Resistance to Lodging	v		^									
Resistance to Frost			^									

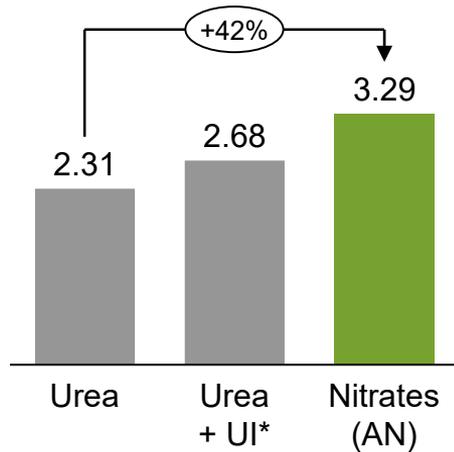


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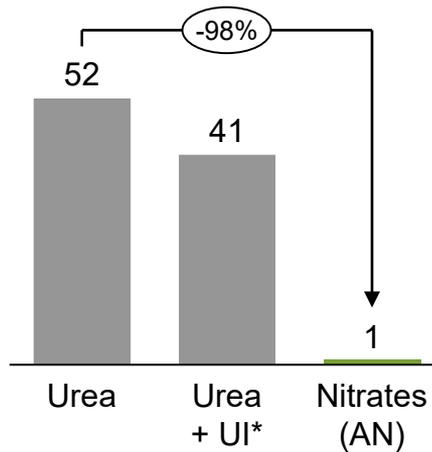
# Yara drives sustainable agriculture with the right nitrogen fertilizer products and precision farming tools

Premium products give higher output per hectare and lower in-field emissions (coffee field trial, Brazil 2018/2019)

Bean yield (t/ha)



Ammonia emissions (kg NH<sub>3</sub>-N/ha)



Precision farming tools promote sustainable farming



- Precision farming promotes best agricultural practices
- Yara's digital tools help optimize application rates
- Yara's solutions help farmers reduce environmental footprint while supporting their competitiveness

# Precision Farming requires tools as enablers – Yara provides innovative solutions



# Results using Yara solutions: Wheat example from France



***21,000 French farmers used the N-Tester to measure the nitrogen status of 710,000 hectares of wheat***



€19 million additional income



310,000 additional people fed



71,000 tonnes CO<sub>2</sub> reduction



# Results using Yara solutions: Coffee example from Vietnam

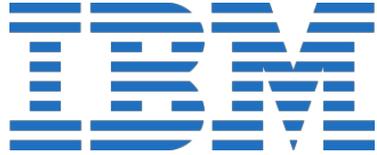
- Improved ripening
- Farmer income:  
ca. **+ 500 USD** / ha
- Reduced losses
- Yields: **+10%**
- GHG emissions: **-15–20%**
- Bigger berries



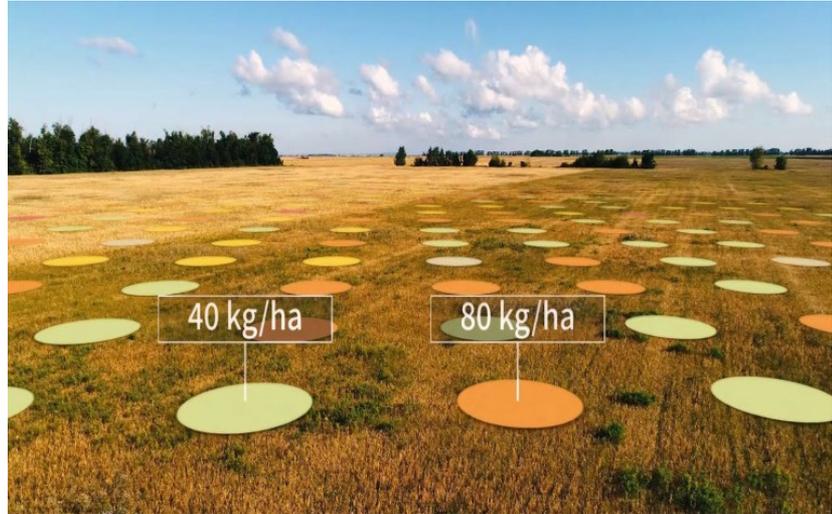
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# Industry-shaping partnerships

## Yara and IBM partner to transform the future of farming

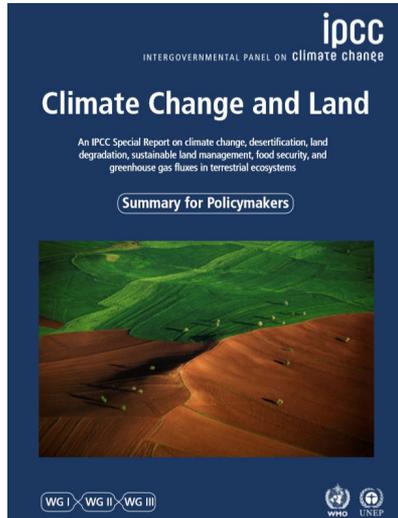


- **Combining world-leading capabilities**
- Building the globally leading **Digital Farming data and services platform**
- **Joint innovation teams** across Digital Hubs
- **Bold ambition:** reaching 100 million ha incl. millions of smallholder farmers



# Yara Food Chain initiatives address key global challenges

The environmental footprint of agriculture is at the top of the political agenda



Yara's food chain initiatives create connections from production to end consumers



- Yara is strengthening its Food Chain Collaboration activities to grow both **value** and **reach**
- Yara and Nel collaborating to produce clean hydrogen for low-carbon fertilizer production
- Cooperation with Lantmännen aims to eliminate fossil fuels throughout the supply chain to reduce the carbon footprint of Lantmännen's end-products

# Partnering to promote carbon footprint measurement



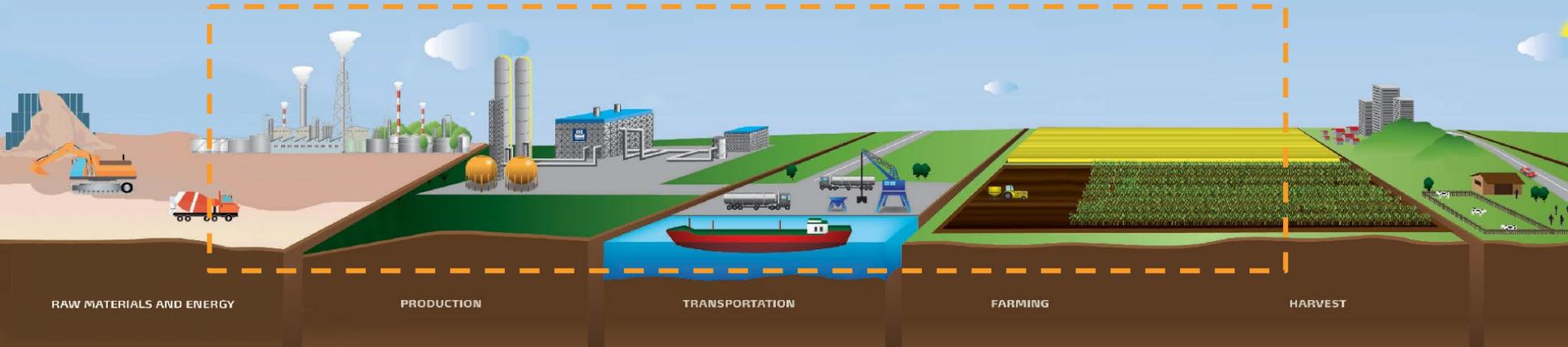
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## Production:

- Catalyst technology halves the emissions

## Use:

- Best practice application



RAW MATERIALS AND ENERGY

PRODUCTION

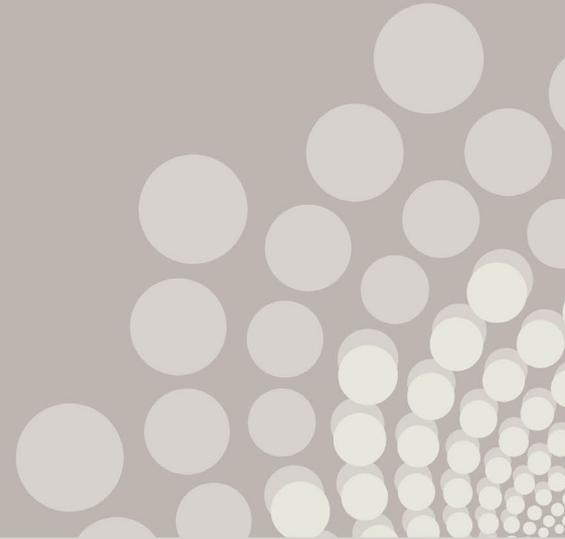
TRANSPORTATION

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# Closing remarks



# Sustainability is integrated in our strategy

- Yara's strategy is to become the **Crop Nutrition Company for the Future**, delivering sustainable crop nutrition solutions to farmers and industry, while delivering superior return on capital
- Crop nutrition solutions include products, knowledge and services including digital farming tools that enable farmers to optimize crop yield, resource efficiency and financial return

