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Better by Half roadmap

The Eating Better alliance is working to stimulate a 50% reduction in meat and dairy consumption in the UK by 2030, and for a transition to 'better' meat and dairy as standard. This will be better for the environment, our health, for land use, animal welfare and social justice.

Better by Half: A roadmap to less and better meat and dairy provides 24 actions to be taken across 5 sectors to create an enabling environment to drive the necessary transformation in eating habits.

Click into the sectors below to find out more and see where these actions are already taking place.



Government

Deliver a crossdepartmental food and farming strategy

Sustainable and healthy dietary guidelines underpin all policy development



Producers

Harness opportunities for more plant production

Switch to better meat and dairy production

Harness the profitability of



Food Retail

Label origin and method of production for all meat and dairy

Encourage sales of plant foods

Set targets for more plants in the basket

MENU



Mainstream progress in school food

Rebalance agricultural policy towards plant production and better meat and dairy

Develop an integrated land-use plan

Local authorities improve access to fruit and vegetables

Make vegetables and better meat affordable

Assess future trade deals for their impact on human health and the environment



Food Service

Put more plants on plates and menus

Make plant dishes

the business

Develop a sourcing policy that delivers 'better'



Investors

Evaluate risks and opportunities of companies in meat and dairy production and sales



evaluate progress

Provide exciting plant-based training and development for chefs

Develop a sourcing policy that delivers 'better'

Roadmap in Action







Sourcing "better" meat and local produce from British farms

13 April 2022

The menus at the Mexican inspired chain Wahaca, which has 13 sites across the UK, is now around 50% plant-based, while its sourcing policy focuses on "better" meat and local produce from the best of British farms



Producing better dairy

7 April 2022

Certified by Pasture for Life, award winning, Organic dairy farm Mossgiel in Ayrshire is "working with nature, not against it."







Tracking and reporting on sales of healthy and sustainable food

1 April 2022

The Plating Up Progress report from the Food Foundation tracks the progress of food retail and food service on setting and reporting on targets towards a healthy and sustainable food system. The dashboards can be used by policy makers, food businesses and investors.

INVESTORS





Evaluating risks and opportunities in meat and dairy

1 April 2022

The FAIRR Initiative is a collaborative investor network of 250+ institutional investors with around \$15tn in combined assets that has been engaging global food companies across the supply chain on a range of ESG issues since 2015.

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