

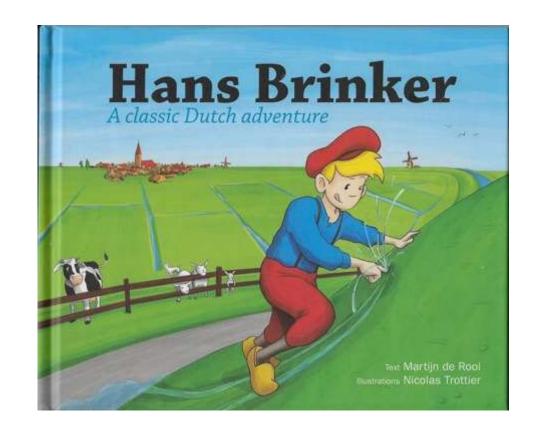
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- With a growing population, our planet needs more food in the next four decades than all farmers in history have harvested over the past 8,000 years
- This rapid growth of production needs to be matched by massive decreases in the use of water and fossil fuels
- The clock is ticking on changing what we grow (plant-based versus animal-based diet) and how we grow it
- But have no fears... because the Dutch are coming to the rescue!

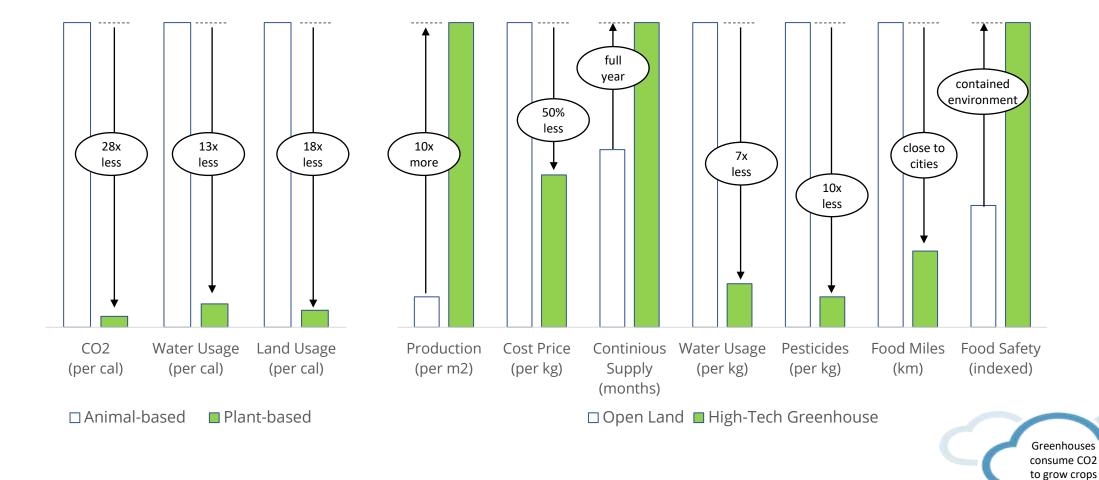






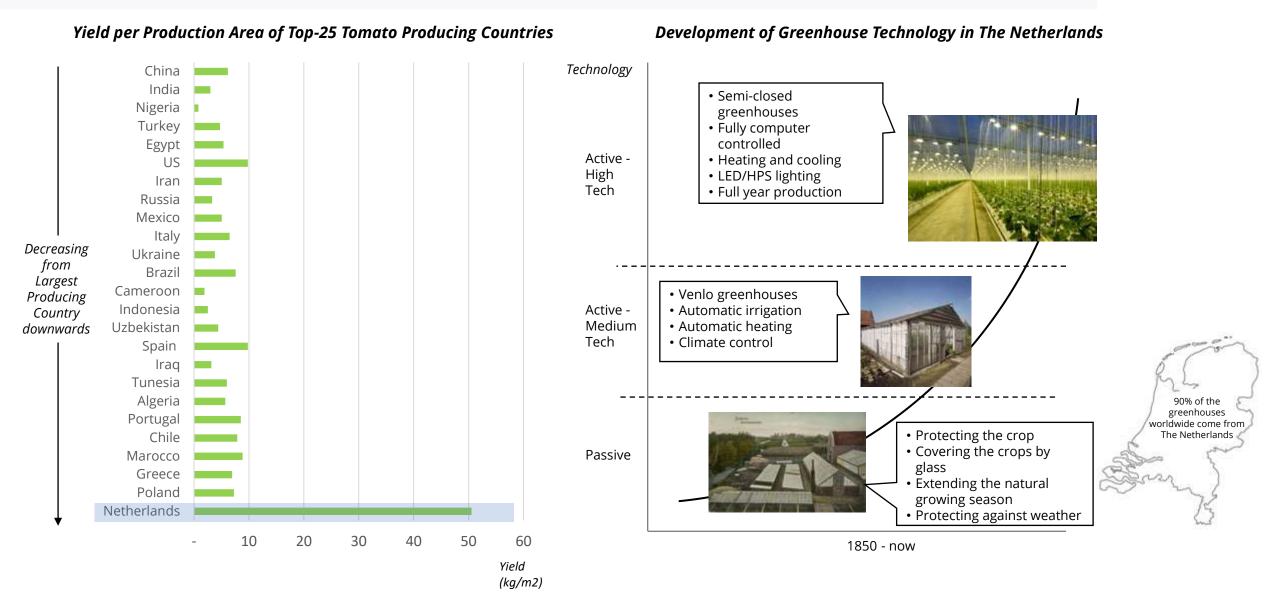
#### Animal-based versus Plant-based Food

### Open Land versus High-Tech Greenhouse Farming



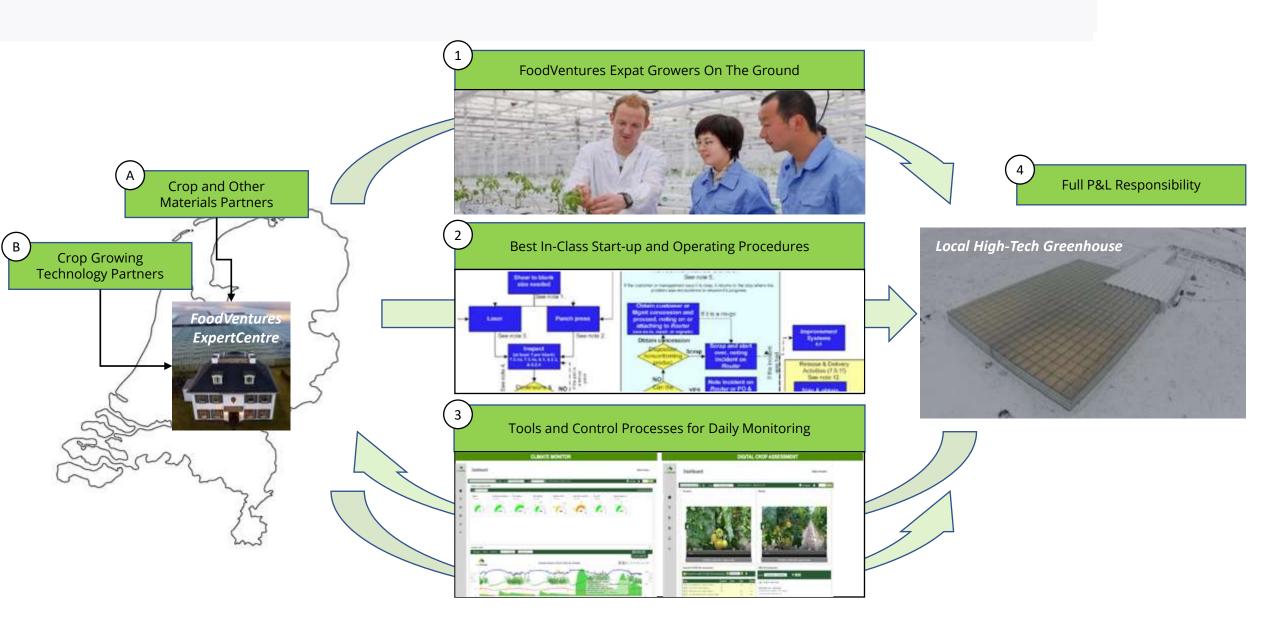


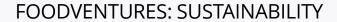
# THE NETHERLANDS IS THE UNDISPUTED POWERHOUSE OF HIGH-TECH GREENHOUSING, LEAVING OTHER COUNTRIES MILES BEHIND IN EXPERIENCE AND OUTPUT





### FV: "HIGH-TECH FARMING, SUSTAINABLE FEEDING THE GLOBAL CITIES"







# Sustainable by:

- 1. Circularity in the way to produce
- 2. Waste reduction by packaging

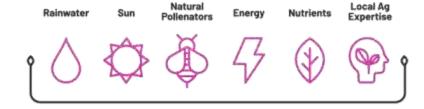


## Circularity in production



## Why high-tech farming:

- 7x Lower water/kg compared to trad farming
- 10x less pesticides compared to trad farming
- 2,5x less electricity compared to vertical farming
- 4000km less food miles









Source: AppHarvest USA



# Example in packaging China

- 1. All carton (first in its category)
- 2. Branding on being local for local
- 3. Premium pricing

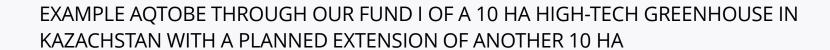
Working on introduction in KZ













2017 ---- Pa

2020

2021

Current -----

Partner & Site Selection, Contract Negotiations

2018 Construction 1st phase 5 ha + infrastructure

Set-up local organization and material sourcing

First phase at speed expanding second phase

Third Harvest Generating EUR 3.5m EBITDA

Extension with another 10 ha

- Partner with local regional agri PE Fund
- 57 ha land secured
- Sufficient flare gas for full scale project
- Local long term KZT debt
- Training and supervising Kazakh/Ukrainian work forces
- Budget and time in control
- Limited timeframes (harsh winters with minus 30)
- Initial 70 new recruits, including management
- Substituting imports for local suppliers and service
- Develop direct sales to Kazakh supermarkets (Magnum, Anvar, Dina) and Russia (Lenta, Magnit)
- 8 MW cogens fully operational
- Construction continued during COVID travel restriction
- 100% local workforce for construction
- Tomato yields up to 80 kg/m2
- 140 permanent workers
- Organizational improvements
- Letter-of-Intend with EBRD/FMO for debt financed expansion
- Planned for Q4-2021













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