
*Extracting Benefits for all from the Agriculture-Based Value
Chain –
With a special perspective on European pig producers*

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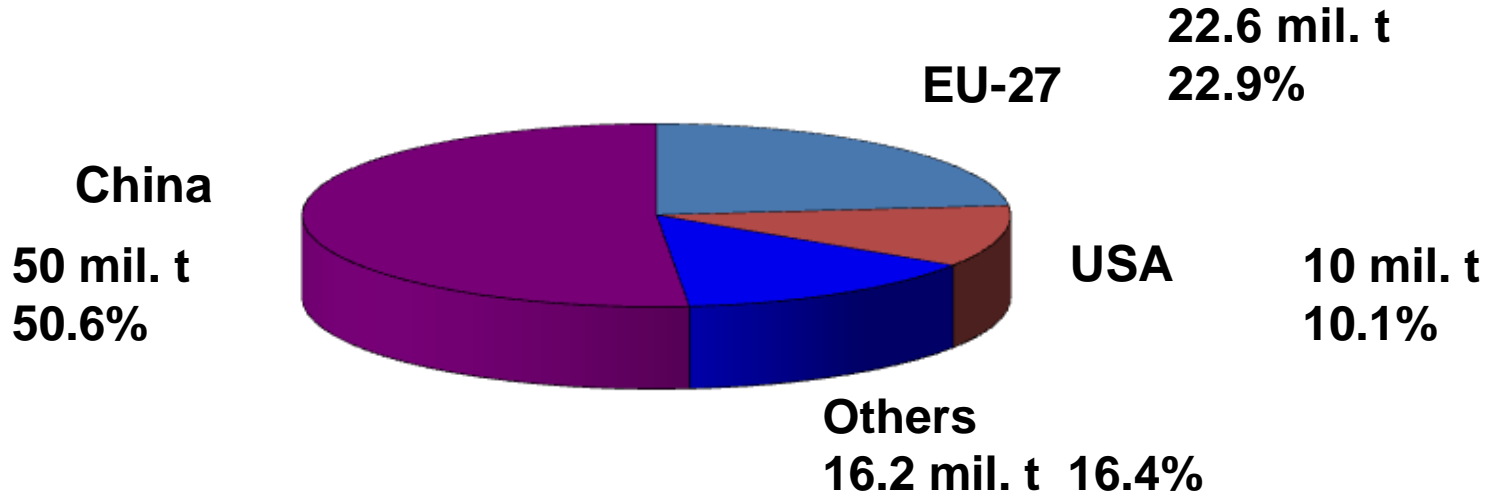
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Introduction to the European Pigmeat sector

Pigmeat - global production (mil. tonnes)

Total: 83.3 mil. tonnes 1999
 Total: 98.8 mil. tonnes 2010
 Total: 100.9 mil. tonnes 2011 (forecast)



Main others:

Canada	1.9 mil. t	1.9%
Brazil	3.2 mil. t	3.3%
Russia	2.4 mil. t	2.4%
Japan	1.3 mil. t	1.3%
Korea, Philippines, Mexico and Taiwan	4.9 mil. t	5.0%

Source: GIRA

EU pigmeat production has increased overall by 3.1% since 2006

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Year	000 tonnes	%-change per year
2006	21,960	+1.5
2007	22,844	+4.7
2008	22,694	-0.7
2009	22,153	-2.4
2010	22,585	+2.0
2011	22,647	+0.3

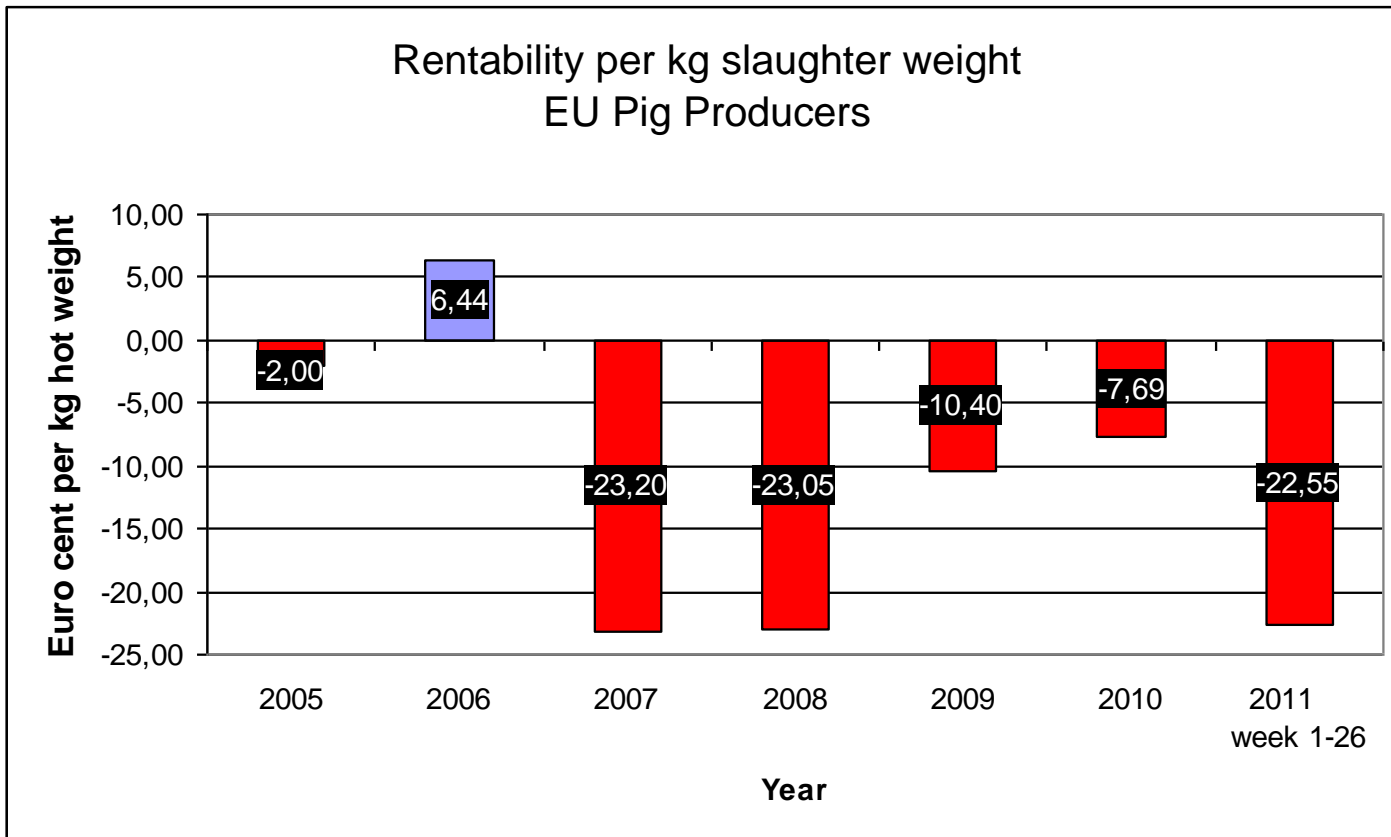
Source: Gira

EU production continued....

- Western Europe increased (85% of total production).
- Eastern Europe Decreased (15% of total production).

The situation of European pig producers

EU pig producers have experienced losses for a five year period



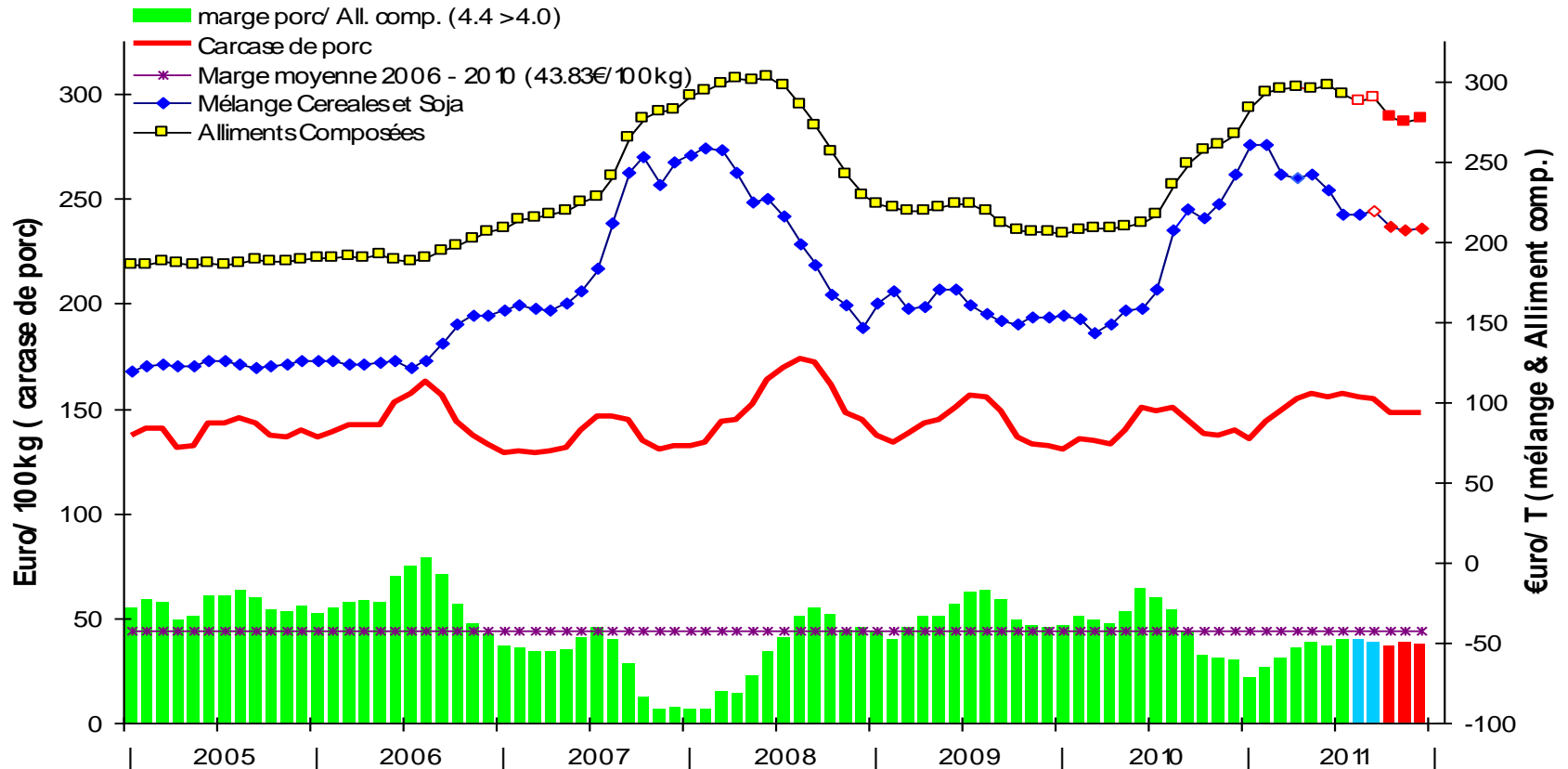
Source: Interpig and L&F Estimates

Pig prices

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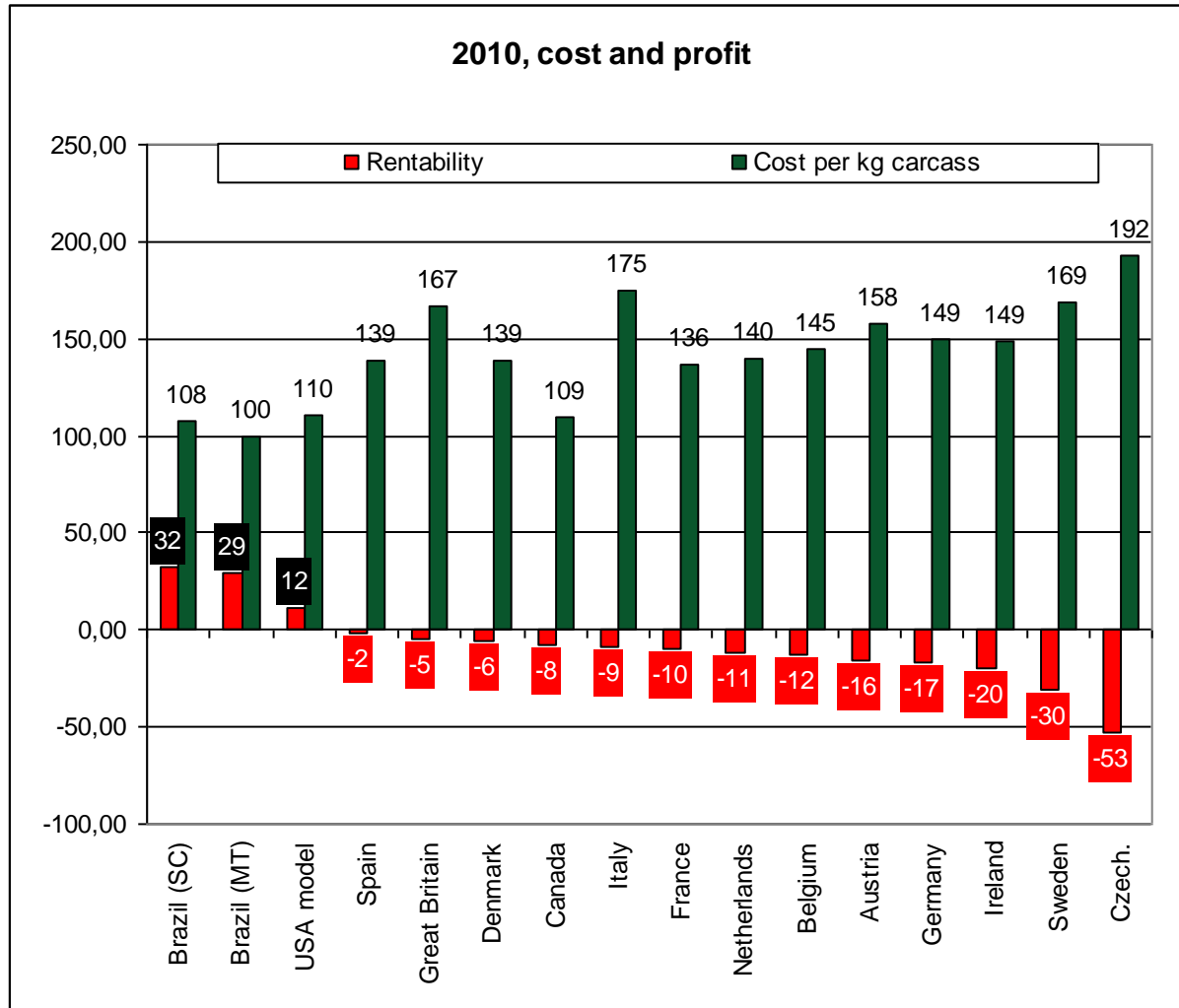


Relation entre les prix de l'alliment composé pour porc et une mélange des Céréales et Soja



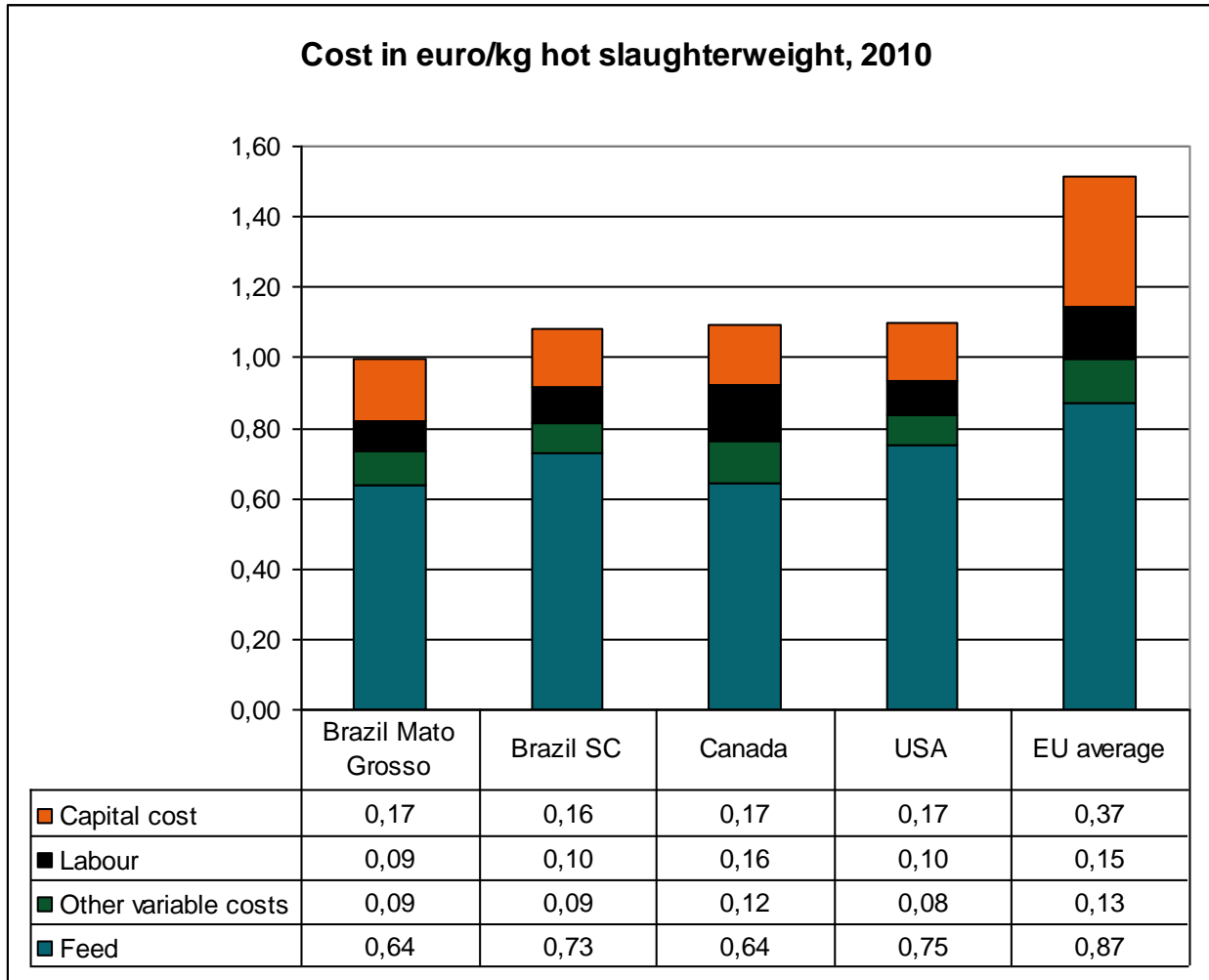
NB: All. Comp et leurs composants Aout et Sept. = prévision. Oct. - Dec. = Estimation
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2010 Cost and Profit - Euro/100 kg (hot weight)



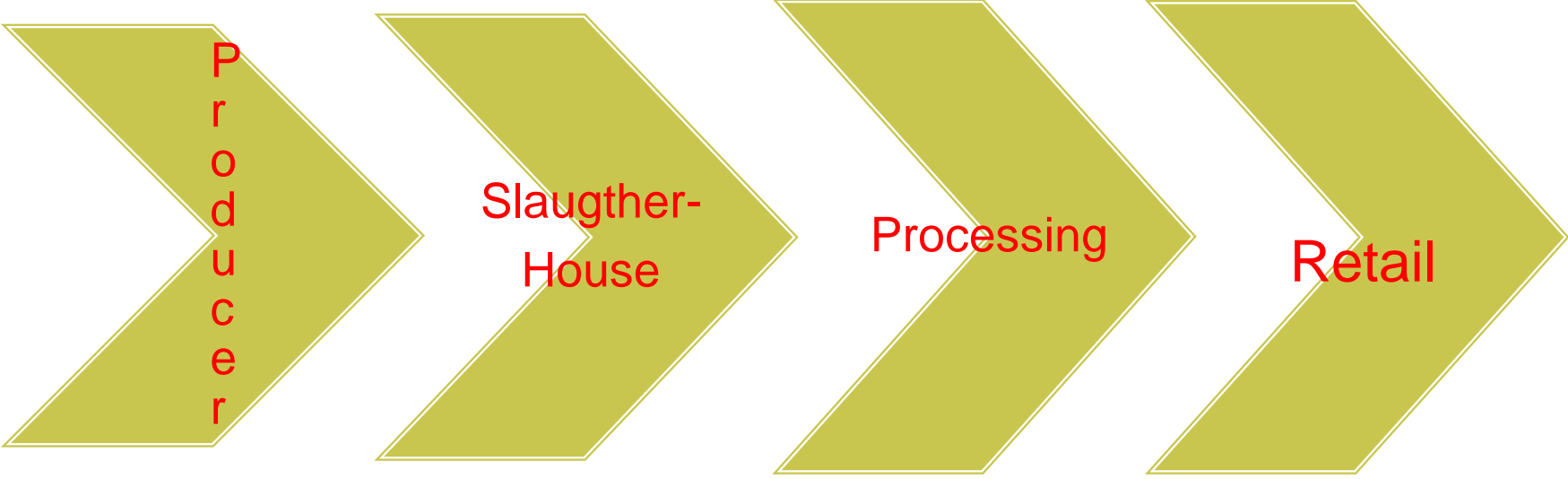
Cost of production

- Euro/kg 2010 (hot weight)



The profit along the supply chain

The supply chain



Producer pig price vs consumer price (Denmark 2010)

- The average producer price:
 - 9.93 ddk/kg (1.32 EUR).
- Consumer prices:
 - Tenderloin 68.56 ddk/kg (8.84 EUR)
 - Loin 45.82 ddk/kg (6.11 EUR)
 - Belly 43.81 dkk/kg (5.84 EUR)
 - Ham 60.83 dkk/kg (8.11 EUR)
 - Minced pigmeat 39.45 dkk/kg (5.26 EUR)

Answers to the challenges

- Consolidation and positioning along the supply the producers' bargaining power.
- National/EU legislative framework.
- Creating level playing field with competitors outside the EU.
- Market access (diversification).

Summary and conclusion

- Difficult situation for European pigproducers
- Higher costs (labour, capital costs, feed, etc).
- The profit is to be found further along the supply chain
- Improve bargaining position, framework conditions and level playing with competitors.