

MILK PROCESSING INTO CHEESE IN TOGO

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Introduction

- ❑ The amount of milk and dairy products imported in Togo is estimated at 26.9 million \$ in 2019 (resourcetrade.earth, 2019)
- ❑ This huge amount of importation, is due to the failure of local production to respond to the whole need of the population.
- ❑ It is also due to the lack of process units within the country
- ❑ Cheese is the most important dairy product consumed in Togo (Self survey, 2019)
- ❑ Cheese value chain is affected due to the lack of collection units
- ❑ We need to do a group collection for milk
- ❑ To set up a process unit for cheese

Objective(s)

Create value and wealth through the dairy sector by:

- ❑ Transforming the raw material which is fresh milk
- ❑ Increasing the income of producers by ensuring them the market for fresh milk

SWOT

STRENGTH

- ❑ we master the process, motivation and involvement

WEAKNESSES

- ❑ Lack of money

OPPORTUNITIES

- ❑ Gouvernement will, uncovered demand

THREATS

- ❑ Milk supply in the dry season, poor infrastructures



Source: self survey, 2019

Conclusion

- ❑ The milk sector has important potentialities because milk contain a lot of proteins which can supplement food diet often based on cereals and tubers in Africa (Adanléhossi et al,2003).
- ❑ Then this project will contribute to strengthen the links between actors of the value chain.
- ❑ It will also allow people to eat healthy food and create wealth in order to improve the well-being of producers



Source: self survey, 2019

Implementation steps

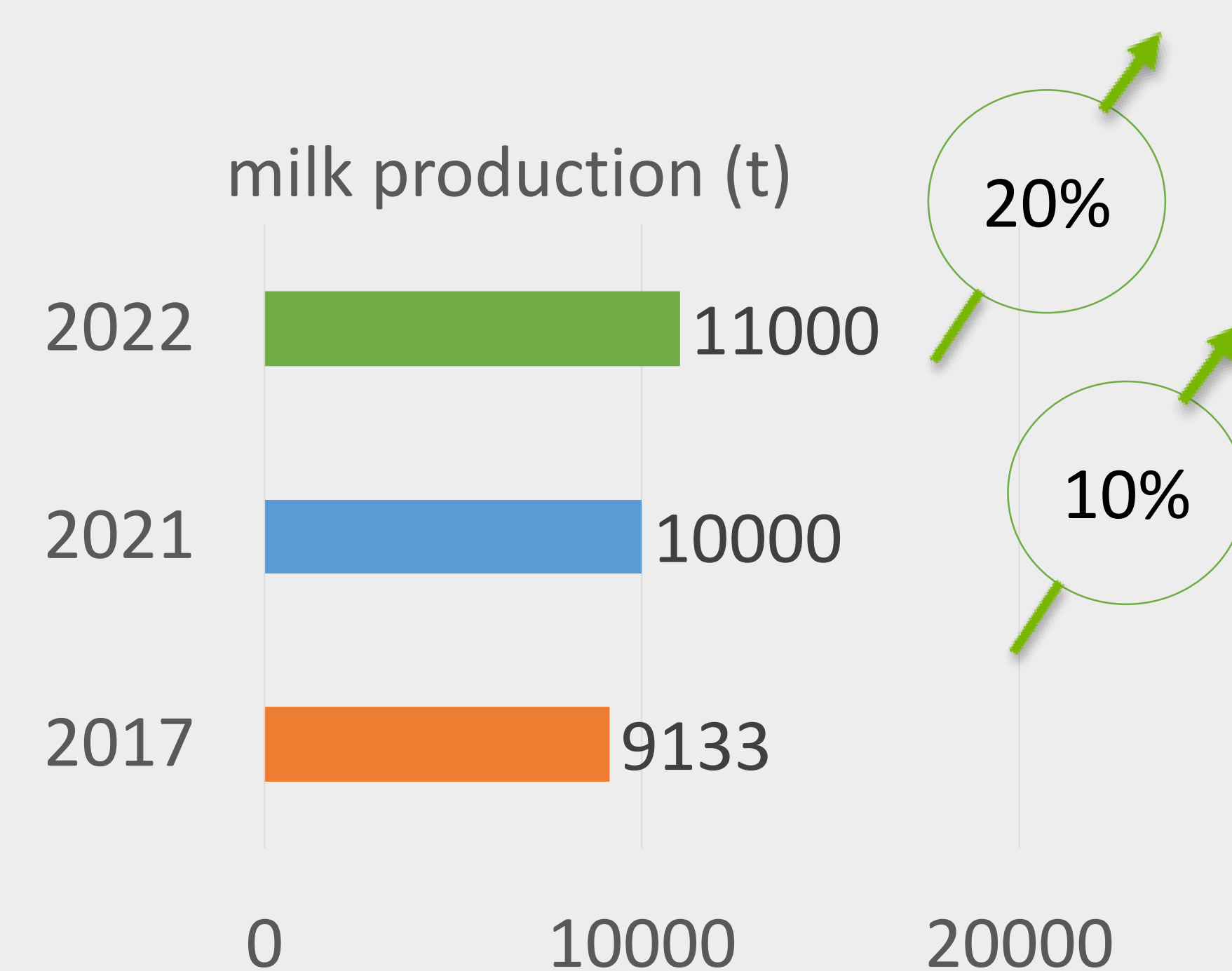
- ❑ Finalize the business plan in order to seek for finance
- ❑ Register the entreprise
- ❑ Acquire some materials such as cooling tanks
- ❑ We are already in contact with some producers so we need to build them in to cooperatives
- ❑ Start the advertisement
- ❑ Collect milk
- ❑ Start the production
- ❑ Sell our product

Results

- ❑ Creation of cooperatives and share of some experiences among the producers
- ❑ Strengthen the link between actors through some contracts
- ❑ Milk collection from producers
- ❑ Market for producers available
- ❑ Availability of cheese everywhere even in super markets

Expected outcome(s)

- ❑ Improvement of producers livelihood up to 30%
- ❑ Creation of value and wealth
- ❑ Employment of young people



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