

## An oriGIn Success Story: the Management of Production Volumes for PDO/PGI in the Milk Sector

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- Question of how to justify and preserve supply management plans, such as the ones that exist in certain sectors
- Start of proceedings aimed at putting in place measures of supply management for GIs.
- Green Paper on the quality of agricultural products → debates about the **« Quality Package »**
- High Level Group on the milk sector → debates about the « Milk Package »
- **→** 2 opportunities to open the debate on supply management for products with GIs

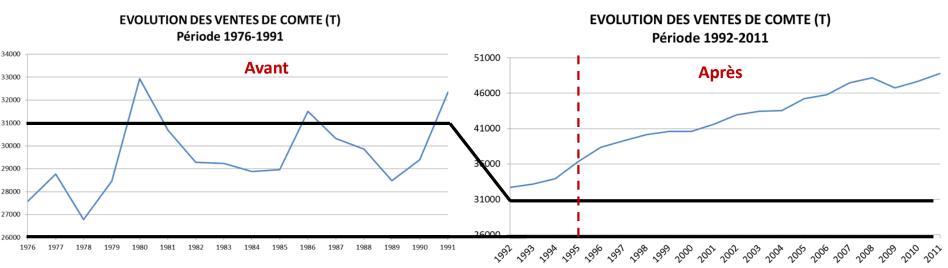


# Supply management



#### Why attach so much importance to it?

- Smooth development enabling crises to be limited,
- Improvement in the quality of products,
- Distribution of added value between the sector's various operators.





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Maintenance of dynamic sectors and jobs





# A great deal of persuasion required



- Necessary to convince:
  - Member states,
  - MEPs,
  - European Commission
- And to show the following issues:
  - Economic and social for the sectors,
  - Quality for the products,
  - Price for consumers.







### The network around oriGIn



This lobbying work has been made possible thanks to oriGIn's coordination of the motivation and efforts present in each sector and in producer associations:

- Prosciutto di Parma PDO,
- Pruneaux d'Agen PGI,





French and Italian PDO cheeses: Comté,
 Parmigiano Reggiano, Roquefort...



- Aicig, Qualifica, CNAOL...











#### **Present in debates**



oriGIn has proved to be an effective network for focusing efforts with the organisation of several meetings and conferences:

- 29 Sept. 2009: 1<sup>st</sup> round table at the European Parliament which led to the adoption of the Scotta report (23 Feb. 2010)
- 28 Sept. 2010 : 2<sup>nd</sup> round table at the European
  Parliament
- 18 June 2010 : meeting of Commissioner Ciolos in Roquefort
- 6 Oct. 2011 : meeting of Commissioner Barroso's Cabinet
- 14 Nov. 2011 :







# "Converting the try"



6 December 2012 : Obtained supply management for cheeses with GIs under the « Milk Package »

For other food products under GI, the supply management measure has been held back from « Quality Package » discussions in the debate about the CAP



## And questions remain...



An important step that created a move within the sectors to set up supply management tools

But,

Applying them is not a simple task, many questions and practical problems still remain in terms of their implementation.

And this measure is limited solely to the dairy sector...



# Thank you for attention