

Energy, Water and Carbon Nexus in ABP Food Group

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Company Overview



£2.5bn Turnover 10,000 Employees

45 Production Sites 1.2 Million Cattle

2 Million Lambs



Ireland 9 operational sites; Processing >400,000 cattle and 1m sheep per annum. Poland 3 operational sites; Processing >200,000 cattle. <u>UK</u> 14 operational sites; Processing >600,000 cattle & 1m sheep per annum; Retail packing >2,000t per week.



One of Europe's leading manufacturers of private label pet food, producing <u>570,000t</u> every year from 9 facilities including pouch, alutray, canned & dry formats.



The largest collector of used cooking oil in the UK and Ireland. Collecting <u>100,000t</u> <u>UCO</u> and <u>70,000t Food Waste</u> from over 50,000 customers for conversion into renewable energy.



Processing the by-products from ABP's beef processing business into functional ingredients, organic fertilizer, pet food proteins, alternative fuel and a range of other products.

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Award Winning Beef

Our patented approach to maturation, our attentive care towards animal welfare and our unwavering dedication to quality have earned us plaudits from every corner of the globe.

Our award winning meat is available in over 200 Michelin starred restaurants globally.

Through our patented Ultra Tender® process, we can consistently supply all our customers with award winning beef.

For ABP, and all of our stakeholders, it's all about consistent, unbeatable, quality.



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We export our award winning beef to premium Retailers, Foodservice Operators & Manufacturers across 4 Continents...

... all with a keen focus on Sustainability - ABP Food Group is the first food company in the world to achieve quadruple Carbon Trust Certification Standards.



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Corporate Sustainability Targets

2020 aims









less water consumption



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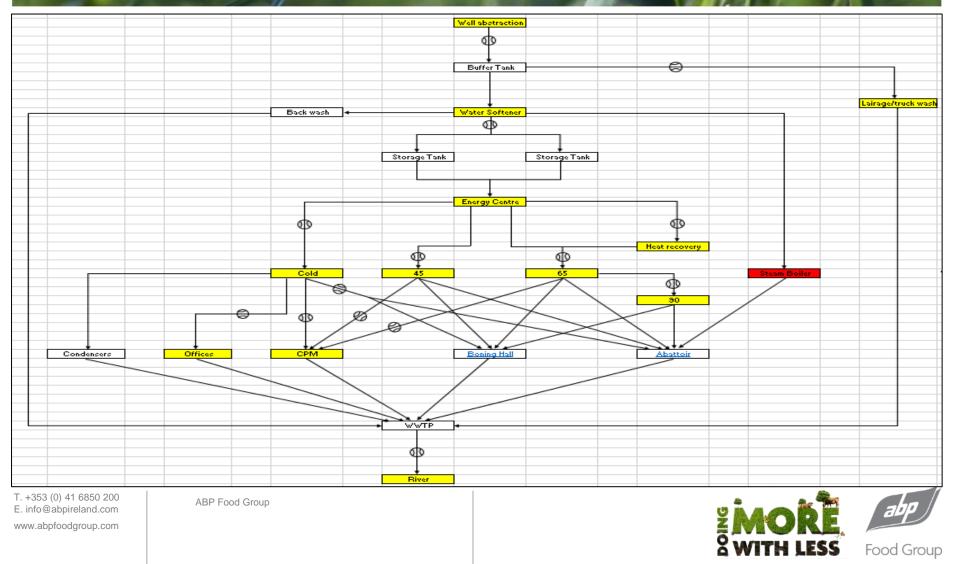
Project Background

- A significant water reduction program was launched in late 2013
- Extensive sub metering was installed
- A cost analysis was carried out to highlight the "true cost" of water
- Good housekeeping provided initial water reductions
- Innovative technology contributed to further reductions
- The project has prepared the site for European Water Stewardship



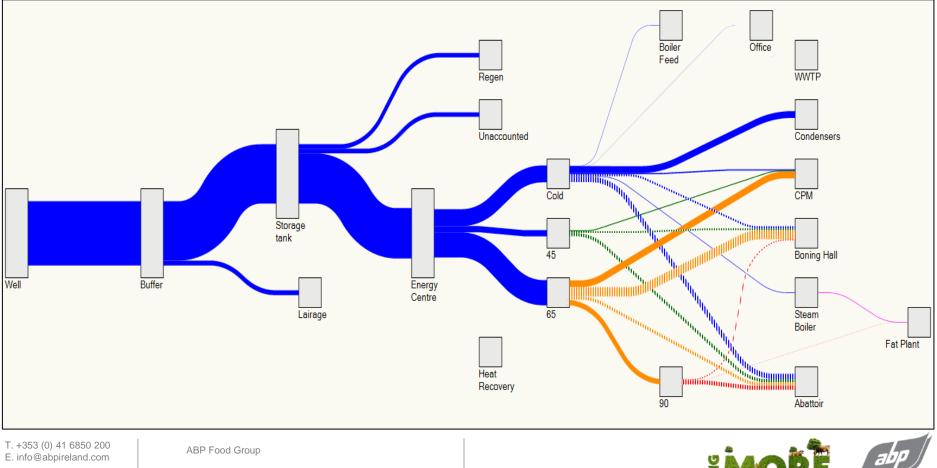


Meter Plan



Sankey Diagram (Flow)

Blue = cold Green = 45 Orange = 65 Red = 90 Pink = Steam



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True Cost

- Cost analysis was carried out
 - Abstraction
 - Treatment
 - Distribution
 - Heating
 - Waste water treatment
- Accurate info allows for a more detailed assessment of investment and payback period

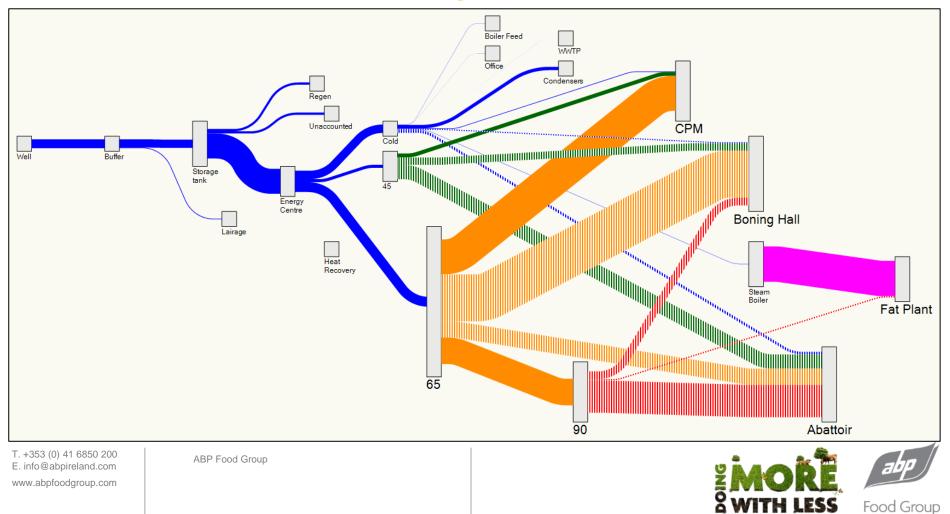
Water	Cost/m3	
Hard	€ 0.11	
Soft	€ 0.27	
45°	€ 2.90	
65°	€ 3.45	
90°	€ 5.38	
Treated	€ 0.90	
	Cost/kg	
Steam	€ 0.05	
	Cost/m3	
Steam	€ 49.31	



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Sankey Diagram (SMTM)

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Innovative Technology

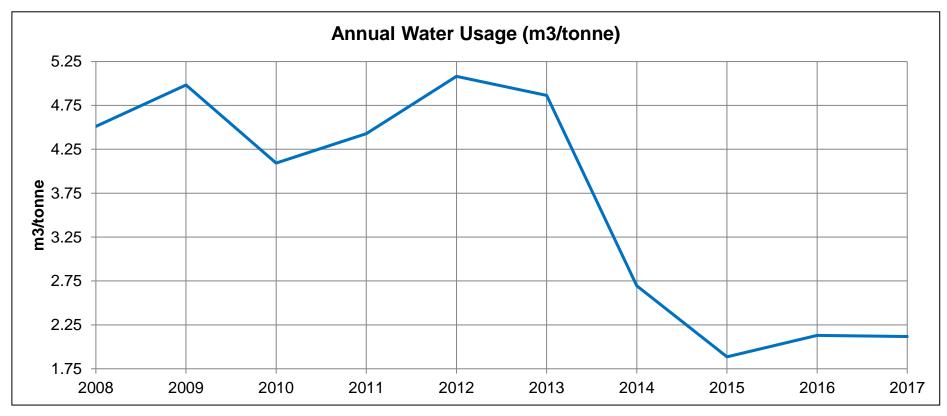
- Sensor operated knife and saw sterilisers and hand washers
- Improved wash down efficiency, including pressure and nozzle optimisation
- Optimised 5th Quarter processing with fully automated temperature control system
- Tray wash optimisation
- Heat recovery from renewable sources refrigeration
- Water reuse through reverse osmosis and ultrafiltration

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ABP Cahir example

Relative water reductions at ABP Cahir

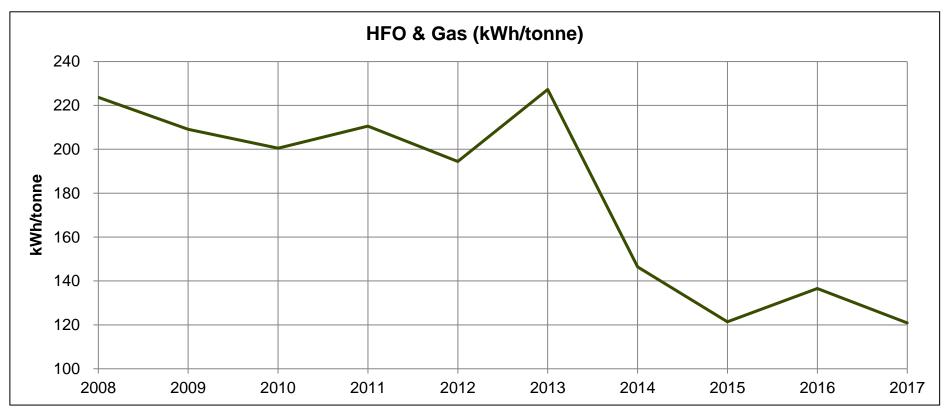


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Water / carbon Nexus

Relative fossil fuel reductions at ABP Cahir



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Benefits of Water Reduction

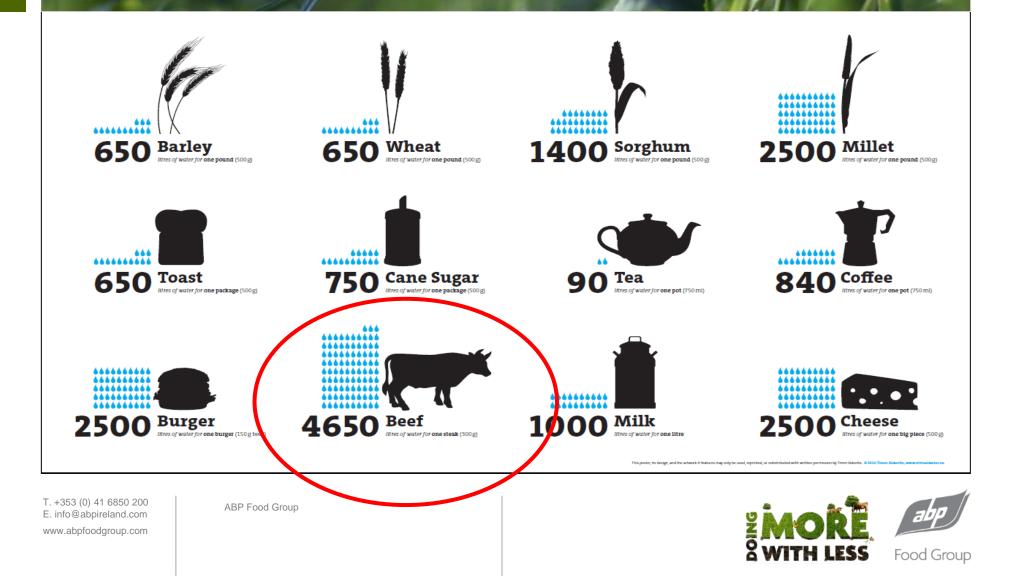
- Significant reductions in water usage and fossil fuel consumption
- Improved business performance through reduced costs
- Staff behavioural changes respect water and save
- Further sub metering required to set KPI's, benchmarks and targets to fully optimise water usage







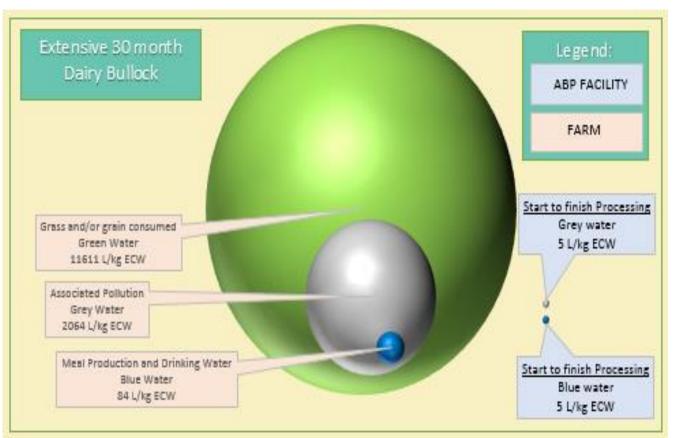
Water Footprint



Supply Chain Water Analysis

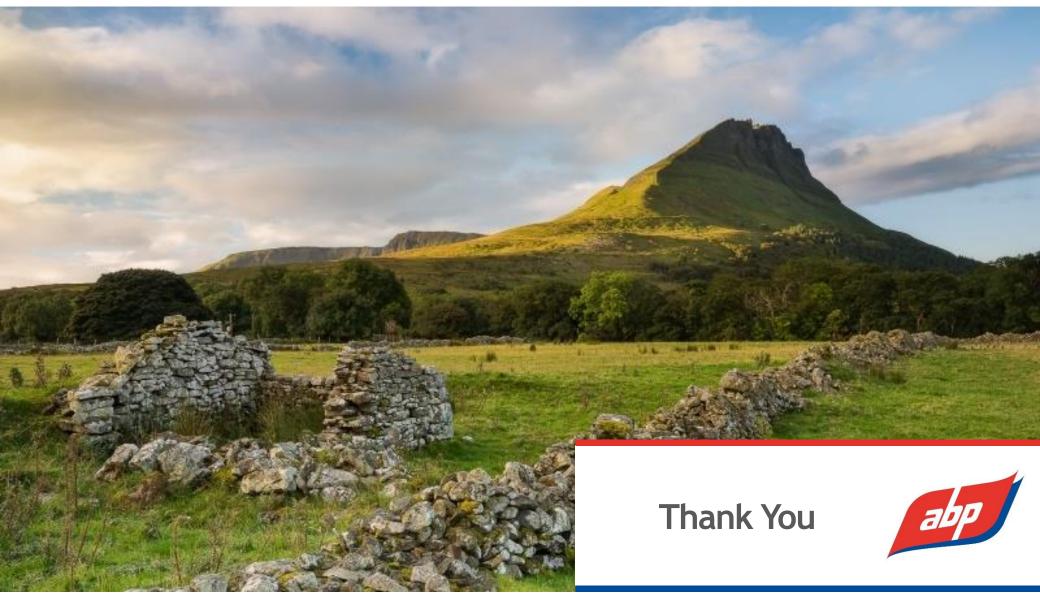
<u>Farm</u>		Factory	
	(L/kg ECW)		(L/kg ECW)
Blue	84.15	Blue	5.03
Green	11611.30	Green	0.00
Grey	2063.90	Grey	5.03

Combined		
Blue	89.18	
Green	11611.30	
Grey	2068.93	
TOTAL	13769.42	



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