



EARL Ferme de la Clarine

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The herd

- **110 dairy Livestock Units (LU)**
- **73 Dairy cows (Holstein)**
- **Herd replacement rate: 44%**
- **Calving period:** From May to January
- **Age at first calving:** 28 months
- **625,000 kg of ECM milk produced**
 - 96 % sold
 - 3.90% fat and 3.13% protein
- **Stocking rate:** 3.1 LU per ha forage area
- **Milking parlour:** 2 desks * 6 stations
- **Sleeping area on 80 cubicles**

Innovations

- **Simplified herd management**
- **Key Performance Indicators** used to manage the farms' results
- Search for **balance between work and personal life**
- **Search for added value:** Processing a part of the milk production in yoghurt and ice cream
- **Commitments in favour of environment:** reduction of health plant molecules, maintaining biodiversity

The farm

- **Workforce: 3.8 WU**
 - **2 farmers (partners)**
 - **1.8 WU (employees)**
- **Agricultural area: 67 ha**
 - **Maize (silage): 25 ha**
 - **Grasslands: 11 ha**
 - **Cereals: 14 ha**
 - **Sugar beet: 6 ha**
 - **Potatoes: 7.5 ha**

Areas of interest:

Socio-economics

