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Quick Facts

Countries	Switzerland
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2026-08-31
Borrower	Planted Foods AG
Sectors	Agriculture and Forestry, Industry and Trade
Investment Type(s)	Guarantee
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 11.62 million
Project Cost (USD)	$ 16.27 million

Project Description

According to the EIB, the project finances the increase of production capacity and Research, Development and Innovation (RDI) activities for fermented plant-based products. This sub-project concerns the company's required working capital.

The project aligns with the Invest EU Main Priority Areas (MPPA) under the Research, Innovation, and Digitisation Window (RIDW) by contributing to the development of innovative and sustainable plant-based food product, thereby supporting the bio-economy area.

Investment Description

- European Investment Bank (EIB)

Private Actors Description

As stated on the company's website, planted was founded in 2019 by Pascal Bieri.

Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector	Relation	Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
-	-	-	-	Planted Foods AG	Client	Agriculture and Forestry

Contact Information

No project contacts provided at the time of disclosure.

ACCESS TO INFORMATION

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