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Marketing Communication

VanEck lists an ETF covering the global agricultural value chain

- **With the *VanEck Agribusiness UCITS ETF*, investors can gain broad global exposure to companies across the agriculture and food production value chain**
- **The ETF focuses on companies that generate at least 50 percent of their revenue in the agricultural sector at the point of inclusion, offering equity exposure to the businesses behind food production rather than a position in agricultural commodities. This revenue threshold is a financial eligibility criterion used to define sector exposure and does not represent an ESG or sustainability assessment of the companies included.**
- **Natural Resources and Sector Concentration Risk: The Fund may be particularly vulnerable to fluctuations in natural-resource supply, demand and prices, as well as political, economic, regulatory, environmental and industry-specific events, because its investments are concentrated in related sectors**

Frankfurt/Amsterdam, 9 September 2026 – Today, asset manager VanEck is listing the *VanEck Agribusiness UCITS ETF* (ISIN: IE000GLK5WA7). The ETF invests globally in the agribusiness sector, spanning seeds, fertilizers and agricultural chemicals, irrigation equipment and machinery, animal health, livestock breeding, aquaculture and fisheries, to crop cultivation and the trade of agricultural products.

Over the long term, the sector is supported by a durable structural backdrop. The United Nations projects the world population will rise from 8.2 billion in 2024 to around 10.3 billion in the mid-2080s[1], while global farmland peaked around 2000 and has since flattened[2]. Closing the gap between finite farmland and rising demand calls for higher crop yields and precision farming. This is macroeconomic context and does not imply that the fund directly delivers environmental or social outcomes.

Climate volatility compounds the pressure of efficient farming: warmer soils and heavier rainfall both accelerate nitrogen losses[3]— where globally, crops already take up only around half the nitrogen applied to them[4]. A 2023 meta-analysis in Nature Communications suggests better nutrient management could lift that towards three-quarters[5] — the kind of efficiency gain that drives demand for improved seed genetics, enhanced-efficiency fertilizers and precision application. These are gradual, multi-decade shifts rather than a sudden transformation, which is part of what makes the theme a steady rather than speculative one, and one that looks particularly relevant in today's environment of shifting trade patterns and fragile supply chains. Long-term shifts in food demand, agricultural productivity, trade patterns and supply chains provide macroeconomic context for the agribusiness sector. These trends should not be interpreted as sustainability objectives or outcomes delivered by the Fund.

For investors, the more compelling case is the role the sector can play within a portfolio. "Demand for food is inherently steady, and consumption remains relatively stable across economic cycles," explained Martijn

[1] United Nations, World Population Prospects, 2024.
[2] UK Food Security Report, 2024.
[3] Bowles et al., Nature Sustainability, 2018.
[4] World Resources Institute (WRI), Creating a Sustainable Food Future, 2019.
[5] You, L., Ros, G. H., Chen, Y. et al., “Global mean nitrogen recovery efficiency in croplands can be enhanced by optimal nutrient, crop and soil management practices.”, 2023.

Rozemuller, Head of Europe at VanEck. Many companies in the sector have historically been able to pass on higher input costs along the value chain over time, though those same costs can compress margins elsewhere. "In this respect, an engagement in agribusiness can act as a potential buffer within a portfolio in an unstable economic environment or one marked by supply bottlenecks, even if returns may vary."

The *VanEck Agribusiness UCITS ETF* offers exposure to currently established, globally recognized companies that aim to generate, at the point of inclusion, at least 50 percent of their revenue in the agricultural sector and play key roles across the supply chain. The concentrated portfolio of around 50 stocks spans both developed and emerging markets, reflecting the international nature of food production. "Here, you are investing in the real economy," Rozemuller added. "The ETF offers only limited exposure to the technology-intensive sectors that dominate the broad indices today."

The ETF tracks the *MVIS® Global Agribusiness Index* (MVMOOTR). The index invests in agribusiness companies rather than in agricultural commodities themselves, capturing the sector through the equities of the businesses behind food production. The index is rebalanced quarterly; it was launched in July 2012. It targets coverage of 90 percent of the free-float market capitalization of the eligible universe. For further information please refer to the Index Guideline.

The *VanEck Agribusiness UCITS ETF* offers exposure spread across the agricultural value chain, in a sector underpinned by steady demand and gradual, long-term change. An investment in the fund carries the risk of capital loss. The value of an investment may rise or fall, and investors may not recover the amount they invested. Past performance is no guarantee of future results and should not be the sole factor considered when selecting an ETF.

VanEck Agribusiness UCITS ETF	
Index Name	MVIS® Global Agribusiness Index (MVMOOTR)
ISIN	IE000GLK5WA7
Xetra Ticker	MO0E
LSE Ticker (USD / GBP)	MOO / MOOG
Management Company	VanEck Asset Management B.V.
Domicile	Ireland
Base Currency	USD
Index Provider	MarketVector Indexes GmbH
Rebalancing	Quarterly
Product Structure	Physical (Full Replication)
Inception Date	4 September 2026
Total Expense Ratio (TER)	0,55%
Income Treatment	Reinvestment

SFDR Classification	Article 6 – The fund does not pursue any sustainability objectives, does not apply ESG screens or criteria, and makes no sustainability claims.

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