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## FRANCE, A LEADER IN GENETIC PROGRESS

Due to its high-quality terroirs, its production environment, and its producers' know-how, France has become



Backed by an average 2000 commercial hybrids developed every year, the Maize in France seeds have been created to address various challenges in the industry and provide farmers with an extra quality guarantee.

Learn about the criteria seed producers have used to improve the range of varieties available to professionals in France and elsewhere.

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EU Market for Maize Seeds, 2022 -Trends and Supply

European maize plantings are expected to remain stable in the spring of 2022, due to promising prices on the grain maize market and good yields in most European production countries.

Europe's seed production area has broken previous records, in 2021, having stood at 304 000 hectares.



Maize Prices Remain Relatively Stable, at High Levels

Market fundamentals remain solid and justify current price levels, particularly since the situation is tense on the world wheat market. In 2022, maize may become the first cereal plant traded worldwide, standing at 200 000 tons, above wheat. However, a return of volatility and rising prices may cloud the situation.

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## CHOOSING ONE'S MAIZE VARIETY?

To choose one's maize variety is to compromise among several factors: earliness adapted to local climate, consistent productivity, and tolerance to stressors such as lodging, drought, or disease.

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Sylvie Brunel's Column: "A Poor Example" "Seeds for Future" Promotion Campaign





A column that offers an objective look on today's agriculture and reminds us of the importance of maize, genetic progress, and food self-sufficiency.

Learn about the Various Field Days Focused on Promoting Maize and Western Maize Genetics

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