

## **VIVESCIA successfully finalizes a five-year financing package to open a new chapter with its project VIVESCIA 3.0**

**Grain cooperative group VIVESCIA announces that it has reached an agreement with its banking partners for a €750 million financing package, extendable to €900 million.**

**For the first time, this new five-year financing package includes ESG criteria related to climate change and sustainable agriculture.**

**Christoph Büren, President of the Group**, welcomes *“our banking partners’ heightened confidence in VIVESCIA’s strategic direction,”* adding: *“The VIVESCIA Group is confidently opening a new chapter with our transformation, development, and innovation plan, VIVESCIA 3.0.”*

*“With this new long-term financing, we now have the resources to fulfill our ambitions and create value for VIVESCIA’s cooperative farmers, which is central to our purpose. Our VIVESCIA 3.0 project is moving into the implementation phase!”* adds **Guillaume Mothe, Managing Director of the Group**.

This new financing enables the VIVESCIA Group and its two divisions — *Agriculture & Value Chains and VIVESCIA Ingredients*<sup>1</sup> — to roll out its new VIVESCIA 3.0 project, driving a renewed strategic ambition: to position itself as a leader in sustainable crop value chains and grain-based ingredients, and to help build the agriculture of tomorrow.

Linking the loan to ambitious ESG criteria underscores the strength of the Group’s sustainable development strategy, LINK, and how it is integrally connected to its business model.

- Reduction in absolute Scope 1 and Scope 2 greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions.
- Reduction in the farm-level GHG emission factor specific to grain production by VIVESCIA farmers who are part of the TRANSITIONS regenerative agriculture program.

### **About VIVESCIA Group**

VIVESCIA is an international, cooperative agri-food group with 7,000 employees in 25 countries, generating revenue of €3.8 billion for the year ending 30 June 2025. Specializing in producing and adding value to grain, VIVESCIA is owned by 9,000 farming entrepreneurs from the north-east of France. VIVESCIA strives to take care of grain, from field to fork, thanks to a collective of men and women who are committed to sustainable grain and crop value chains. 3.5 million tons of grain on average are collected every year by the Group in the Grand Est region of France. 2,000 beers brewed with Malteurop malt are enjoyed every second worldwide. 1 Francine product is purchased every second in France. 1 in 3 French artisan bakers work with Grands Moulins de Paris. We also have expertise in the milling maize industry, with KALIZEA; in animal nutrition with Nealia; and in biotechnology and the plant chemistry ecosystem with ARD.

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<sup>1</sup> VIVESCIA Industries will become VIVESCIA Ingredients: the change of name will be legally effective during the first half of 2026.