

## Ekiola:

manage feeding of a milk sheep flock based on the use of milk fatty acid composition to better care for animals and increase the health value of dairy farm-products

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## Ekíola: GAEC Elízagaraía

- 670 ewes (about 500 milked)
- 1st lambing at 2 years
- 130 000 liters of milk
- 720 lambs (for spanish market)
- 25 ha permanent grassland and summer mountain grassland
- 6 work unit



## Ekiola: GAEC Elizagaraia

- Diversification de la production:
  - Pressed paste in PDO Ossau Iraty
  - A soft cheese like 'Camembert' : Arditik
  - Breuil/Greuil: whey proteins
  - 'mamia'
  - Yogourt
- Sales channel:
  - local markets, direct to the farm,
  - on-line,
  - contracts (creamers, retirement home, clinic)
- These products benefit from the unfavorable claims to cow's milk

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# The Bleu Blanc Cœur approach



FILIÈRE  
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BLEU BLANC COEUR  
une démarche  
nutritionnelle & qualitative.

Concept:

Better feeding animals for their health and produce higher nutritional quality foods

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Using foods rich in omega 3: flaxseed, pasture, alfalfa

Reducing foods favorable to saturated fatty acids (maïze)



IT3 is the Omega 3 Technical Index

IT3 characterize the quantity and the availability of the Omega 3 fatty substance of forage or concentrate

valorex:  
a production compagny for  
development of flax products



**Valorex**  
ICI, LA NATURE INNOVE

A production Chain for flaxseed

And original tools for technical assistance of breeders

**VISIOLAIT**

Visiolait is based on the interpretation of a MIR spectrum of milk analyzes, to qualify:  
the quality of fatty acids  
the quality of the ration and  
the emissions of enteric méthane (CH<sub>4</sub>)

# In our text, we discuss the results of analyzes of fatty acids

- From data obtained in reference method (gas chromatography)
- Using the french CIQUAL nutritional composition tables for sheep milk and pyrenean cheese  
-and initial study to establish them
- We compare references with :  
-analytical results from producers and Ekiola products

We explain the principal difficulties of understanding them for producers :

- according to the expression of the results in g / 100 g product or in % FA
- Without forgetting names and ratio of FA !!!!!



- The BBC approach is
- a timely and
- holistic (with certain limits) approach
- in line with societal expectations
  
- It improves product quality (and give evidence)
- Valorex offers a real supervision of breeders
  
- it begins to be recognized,
- It allows a better economic valorization of the products,
- towards markets and consumers demanding or turning away from cow's milk

*Thank you*  
*And with the excuses of Désiré*

