

# **Israel State of Alternative Protein Innovation Webinar**

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#### **Welcome & introduction to the Good Food Institute**

- Alternative proteins: the why

#### Agenda



How Israel emerged as an alt protein powerhouse?



#### **2021** Israel state of alternative protein innovation:

- Commercial review: investments & market
- Industry landscape: ecosystem & startups
- Science and technology
- Policy





# 1. A (very) brief intro to alternative proteins and GFI

#### Intensive farming presents numerous risks





14.5%

GLOBAL GREENHOUSE
GAS EMISSIONS



**NO.1** 

USER OF FRESHWATER RESOURCES ON THE PLANET



**NO.1** 

CAUSE OF DEFORESTATION DUE TO CATTLE RANCHING AND SOY PRODUCTION



#### **MANURE**

& FERTILIZER RUNOFFS ARE CAUSING WIDESPREAD LAND & WATER POLLUTION



**NO.1** 

GLOBAL USER OF
ANTIBIOTICS, INCLUDING
SHARED-CLASS ANTIBIOTICS



**HEALTH** 

HIGH RISK OF NON-COMMUNICABLE DISEASES & FOOD-BORNE ILLNESS



**LABOUR** 

POOR VISIBILITY OF SUPPLY CHAINS

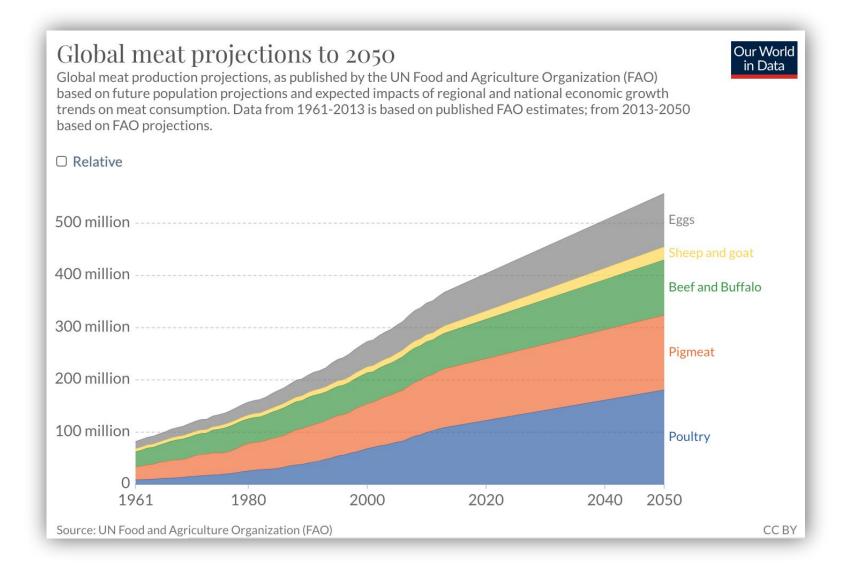


**WELFARE** 

CLOSE CONFINEMENT AND MUTILATIONS



#### **Global meat production**





#### So let's make meat...but in a better way.





Plant-based burger

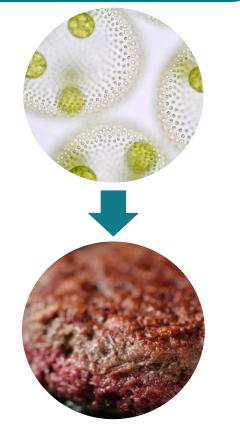


#### The alternative protein landscape

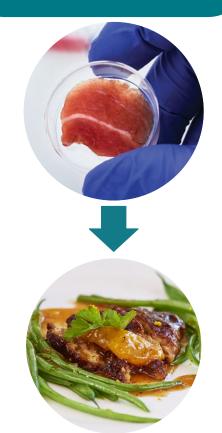
#### **Plant-based**



#### **Fermentation**



#### **Cultivated**





#### **The Good Food Institute**

We are developing the roadmap for a sustainable, secure, and just protein supply.

We identify the most effective solutions, mobilize resources and talent, and empower partners to make alternative proteins accessible, affordable, and delicious.



**Science & technology** 



**Industry** 



Policy

We act as a force multiplier, collaborating around the world for maximum impact.



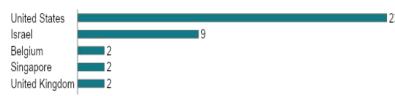


# Israel- A Global Hub for Alt-Protein Innovation

### How Israel has developed as an alt protein powerhouse?

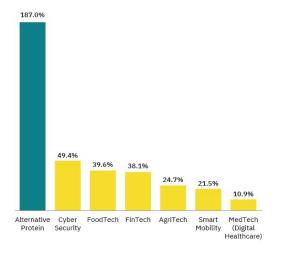


Israel is ranked 2nd in the world in the # of fermentation startups



Access to **Private Capital Entrepreneurship Supportive** Governmental **Ecosystem Activities** 

#### Industries by average investment CAGR (2018-2020) in Israel







#### **Industry Landscape**

#### Alt-protein startups in Israel by stage

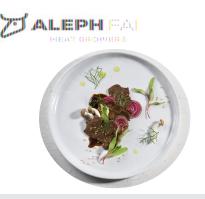
**Early Stage Venture Creation** 

30+ early stage startups in the pipeline





#### Israeli cultivated companies











Focus	Whole cut beef steak

Mostly fat (beef, chicken, lamb)

Chicken

Beef- 3D printed steaks

Milk

Total \$ raised

~\$14M

~\$43M

~\$4M

~\$36M

~\$5M

Type

Private

Private

Private

Public: Nasdaq; TASE

Public: TASE

Strategic Investors











Partnerships





#### Israeli fermentation companies

#### **Precision fermentation**

#### remilk.



ReMilk uses microbial fermentation to reproduce milk proteins. Raised \$11M in Series A.

#### **Biomass fermentation**

#### chunk



Plant-based ingredients and fermentation to create realistic, clean-label whole muscle cut meat analogues





Fermentation technology uses fungal mycelium, legumes, and grains.





Using computational systems biology integrated with AI technology for precision fermentation to increase the expression of milk proteins in microflora.

#### BREVEL



Cultivates microalgae using a combination of fermentation technology



Develops natural solutions for the plant-based meat-flavoring industry



Yeast-based single-cell proteins for the meat analogue industry.



#### Israeli plant-based meat companies





3D printed technology for whole cut plant-based meat analogue products. Advancing for scale up phase.



Novel technology to produce cold-cut plant based meat and cheese analogue products



Novel, scalable technology for plant-based seafood products.





3D printed technology for plant-based burgers.



Rilbite's technology blends and binds eight fresh ingredients to produce a minced meat equivalent.



Meat analogue from yeast and other plant protein sources.



Plant-based meat analogues products. In commercial phase, expending for international markets.



Meat analogue from yeast and other plant protein sources.



#### Israeli plant-based dairy & eggs companies

#### **Ingredientes**

#### CHICK.P



Non-GMO, 90% chickpea plant protein isolate, for products, such as plant-based meat, egg and dairy. Began commercial stage to APAC and U.S

#### **Plant-based eggs**





Plant-based egg. Secured a \$5 million Series A investment and expanding to the U.S market.

#### **MINNOVOPRO**



Protein concentrate that is 70 percent chickpea. InnovoPro raised \$18 million. in 2020. Began commercial and scale up stage.

#### 401



Plant-based sunny-side up egg, Aims to penetrate the foodservice market soon.

#### **Plant-based dairy**



Clean-label, soy-free, fermented plant-based prebiotic and probiotic foods. Began its commercial stage under the brand ONLY.





Plant-based formulas for infants and toddlers. Selling across the United States e-commerce and retail. Listed on TSX



#### **Early Stage Programs**













**Partners** 









About the program

Incubator \$650K-1M

Incubator \$860K, 2 yrs Incubator

Incubator

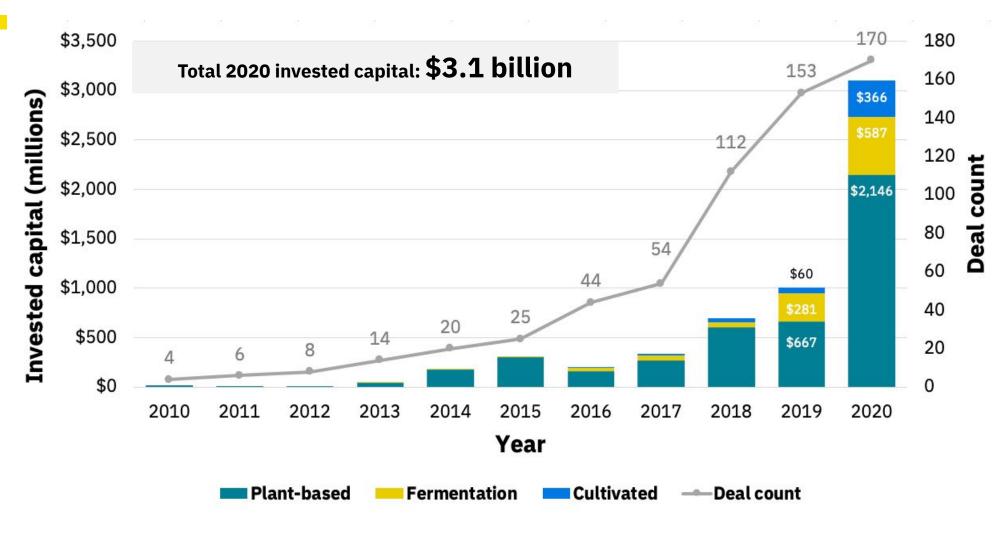
**Accelerator** Innovation lab with IAA

**Accelerator** with alt protein focus



# Investments

#### Private investments- global snapshot



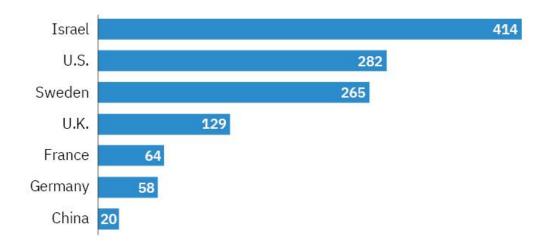


Source: GFI analysis of PitchBook Data, Inc. Invested capital includes accelerator and incubator funding, angel funding, seed funding, equity and product crowdfunding, early-stage venture capital, late-stage venture capital, private equity growth/expansion, capitalization, corporate venture, joint venture, convertible debt, and general debt completed deals.

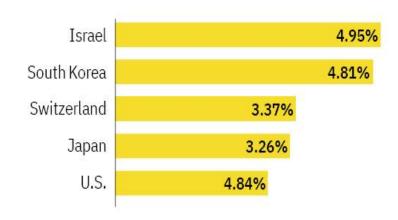
Note: Data has not been reviewed by PitchBook analysts.

#### Israel fundraising ecosystem

#### **Countries by VC investment in of USD per capita** (statista)



#### Countries by R&D spending as a percentage per capita (world bank)

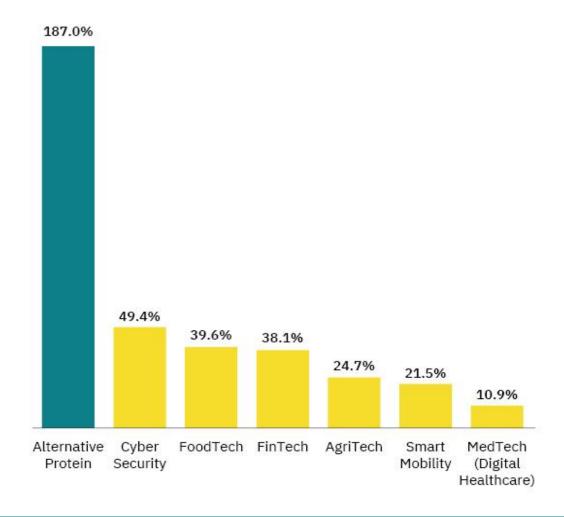






### Alt protein is the fastest growing tech industry in Israel

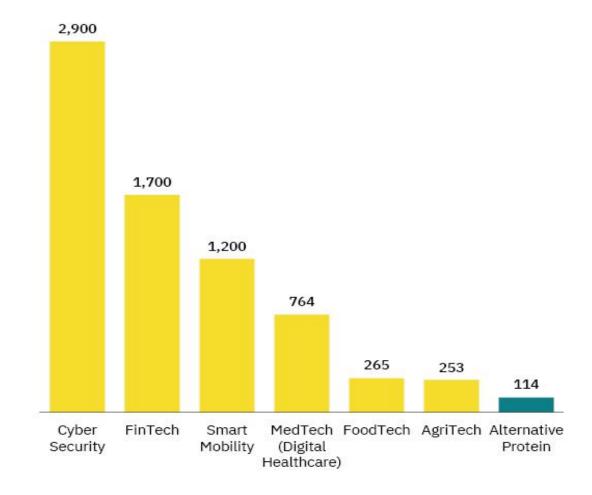
Industries by average investment CAGR (2018-2020) in Israel





#### Investments in alt-protein are still in its infancy

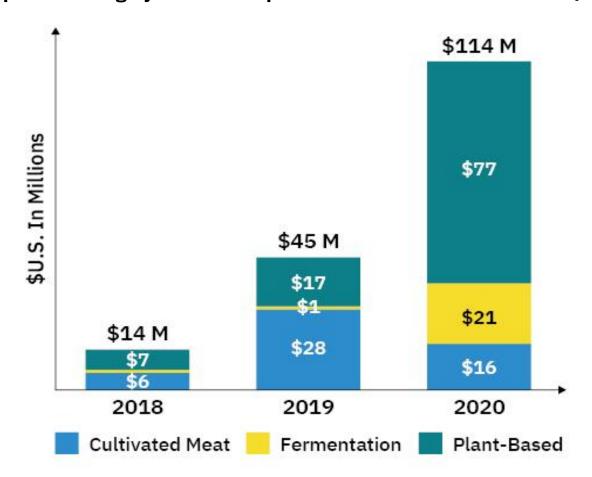
Industries by 2020 investment in millions of USD in Israel





#### **Israel - investment**

Startup fundraising by alternative protein sector in millions of USD (2018-2020)



	2019	2020
Number of Deals	10	18
Avg deal amount	\$4.9M	\$7.6M



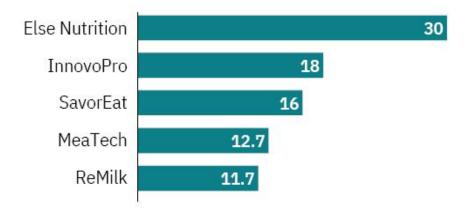
#### Top deals- global overview

Category	Invested capital, 2020	1-year growth	Largest round
Plant-based	\$2.1 billion	3x	<b>\$500 million</b> Impossible Foods Series F
Fermentation	\$590 million	2x	<b>\$300 million</b> Perfect Day Series C
Cultivated	\$360 million	6x	<b>\$186 million</b> Memphis Meats Series B



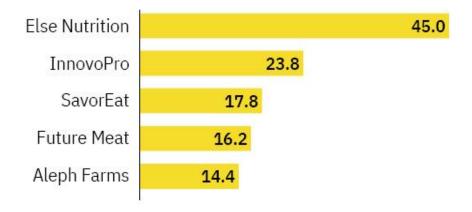
#### Top deals- Israel

#### 2020 deals ranked by millions of USD



# plant-b complete for toddlers dairy-free soy-free gluten-fre corn syrur non-gmo NET WT 22 OZ (1.38 NET WT 22 OZ (1.38 LB) 624 g

#### Companies ranked by total capital raised as of end of 2020







#### Q1 2021 leading deals



Future Meat Technologies has raised \$26.75 million in series B funding. Among the investors in the series B round were Tyson Foods, ADM, Müller

Group, alongside leading venture capital investors such as S2G Ventures



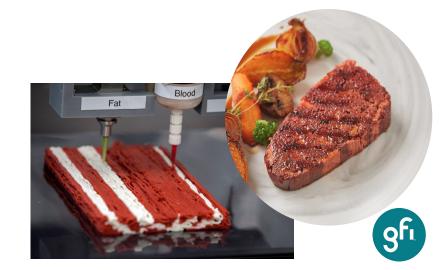
Lab-grown chicken start-up slashes production costs

Israel's Future Meat pulls forward timetable for reaching price parity with real poultry

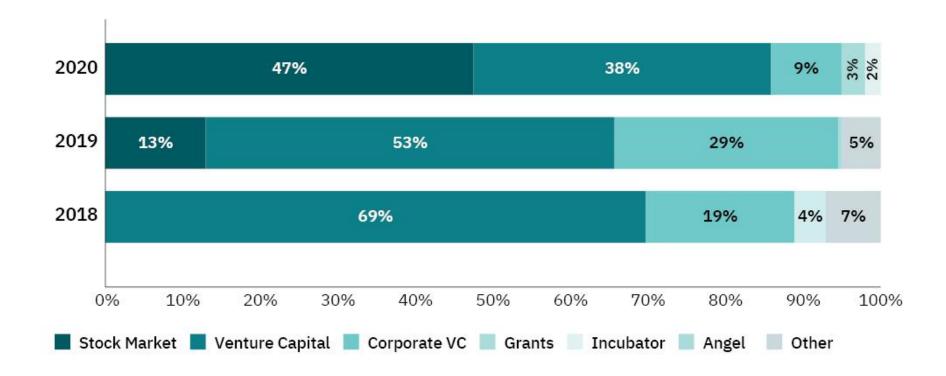




Israeli 3D-printed plant-based steak developer **Redefine Meat has completed a \$29 million Series A** financing round led by Happiness Capital and Hanaco Ventures and with the participation of CPT Capital and other international investors.

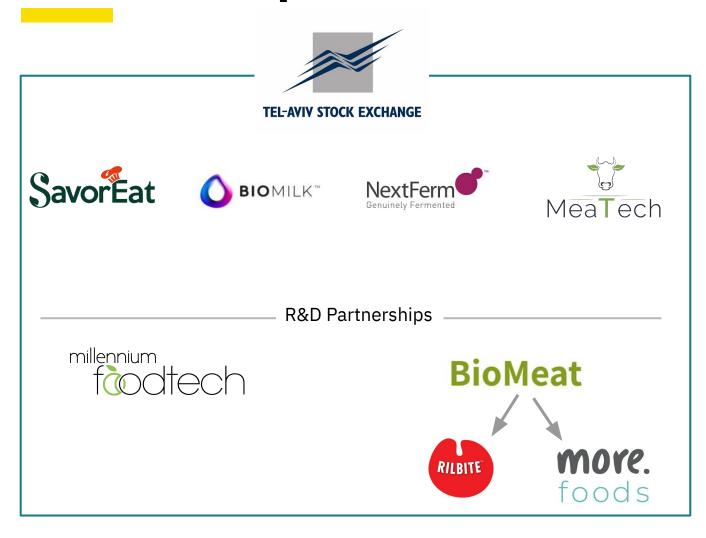


#### Fundraising by investor types





#### Alternative proteins Israeli IPO's







- 1st CM company to be traded on Nasdaq
- Raised \$22 million at \$10.30 per share.





- Raised so far \$45M since June 2018
- 176% rise on the 1st day



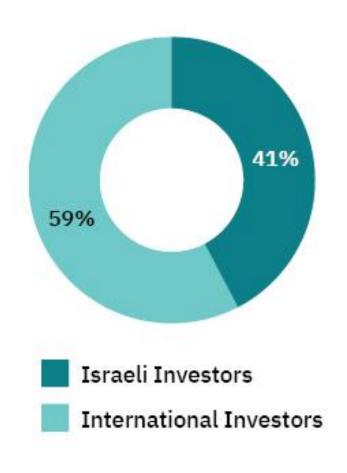
#### Leading investors in Israeli startups





a body of the European Union













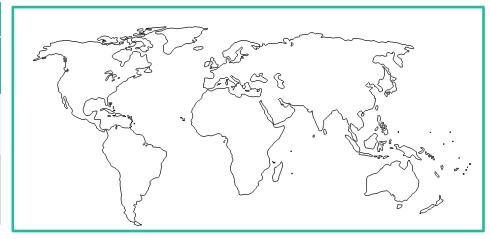


# **The Market**

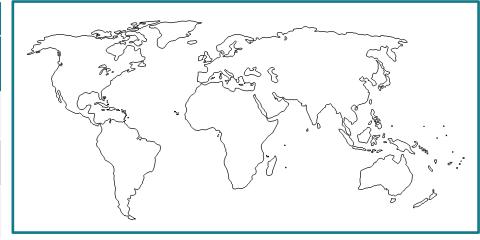
#### Global alt- protein market forecast

#### \$85b by 2030 and up to \$370b by 2035 (meat only)

Global plant-based and cultivated meat market projections				
Source	Projected market size	By year	Projected share of global meat market	
Barclays	\$140b	2030	10%	
Jeffries	\$240b	2040	9%	



Global plant-based meat market projections			
Source	Projected market size	By year	Projected share of global meat market
UBS	\$85b	2030	6%
J.P. Morgan	\$100b	2035	7%
A.T. Kearney	\$370b	2035	23%



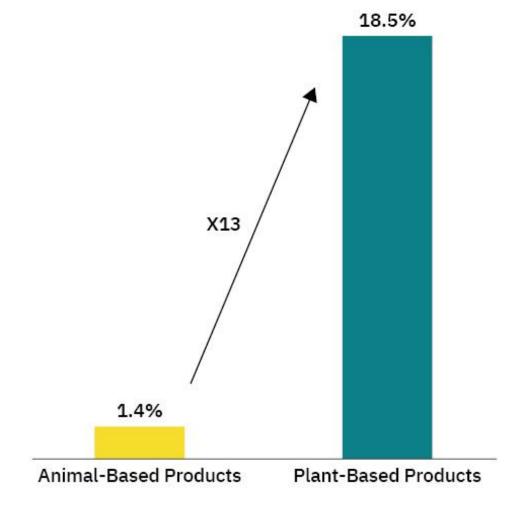


#### The opportunity is with omnivores and flexitarians.



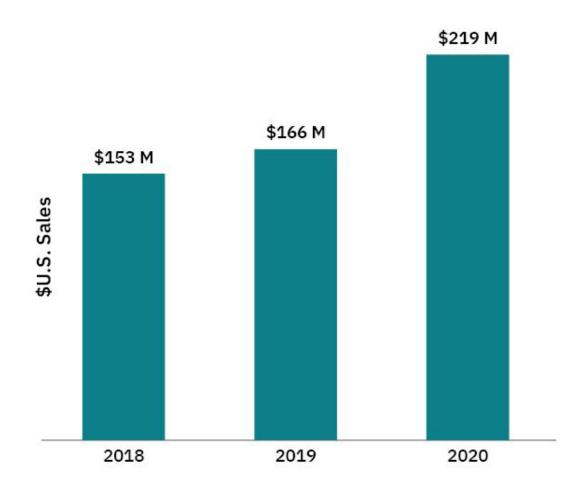


# Plant-based vs animal-based retail sales growth in Israel 2019-2020





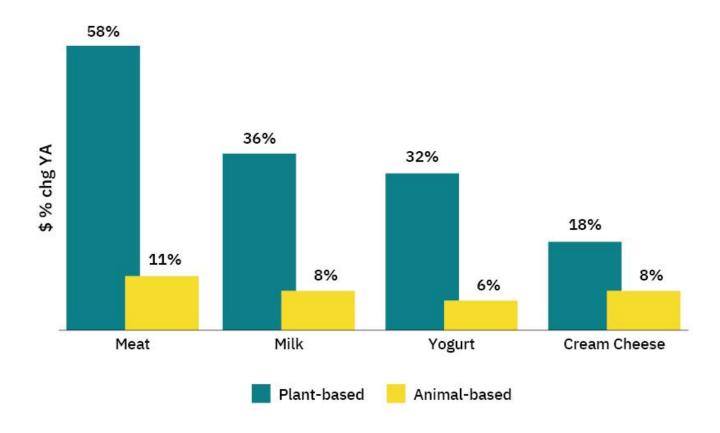
#### Israel retail sales of plant-based food





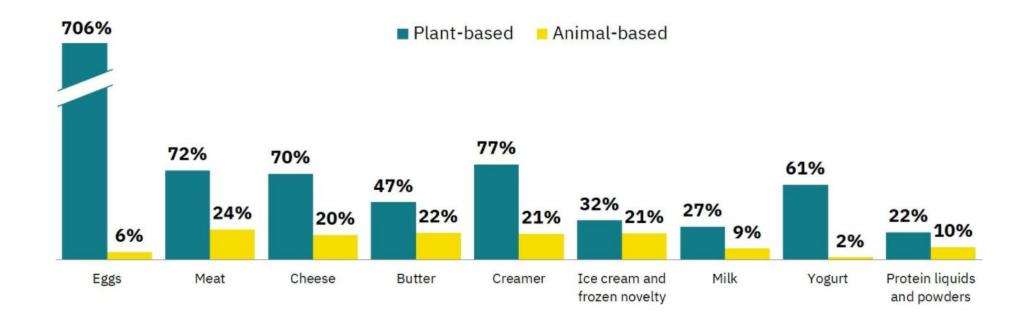
#### Israel sales growth by category

Plant-based vs animal-based retail sales growth in Israel by category 2019-2020





# Animal-based and plant based product comparison: two year \$ sales growth 2020



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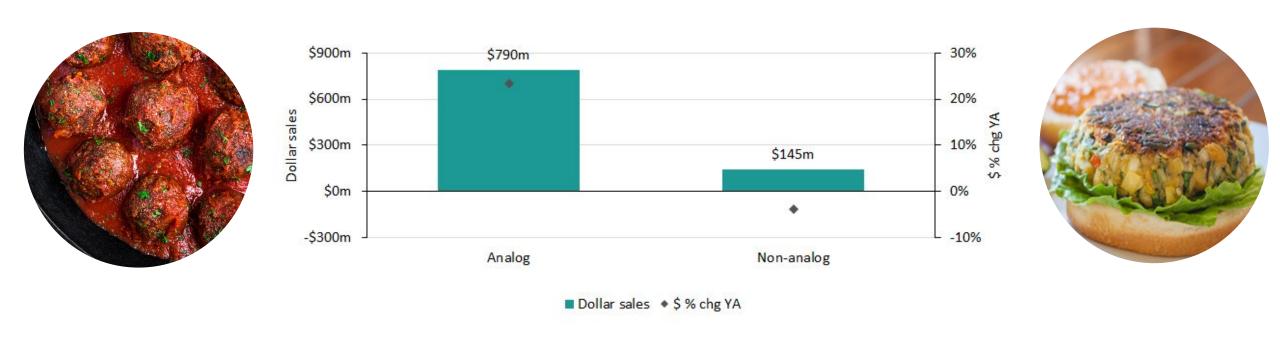






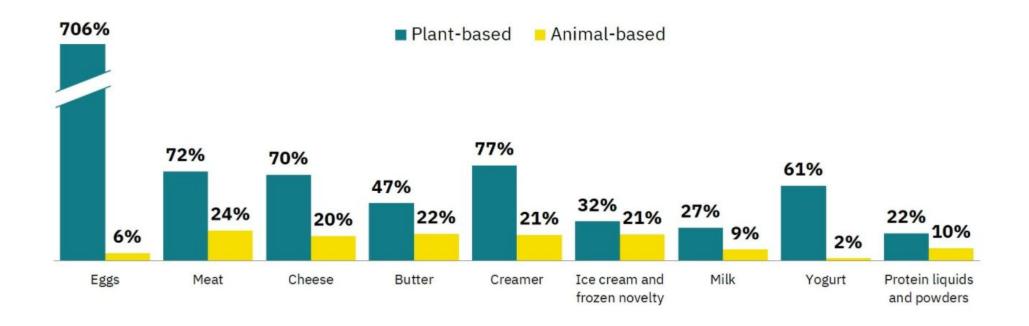
## Products that are analogous to meat are growing faster

Analog vs non-analog plant-based meat product sales and YoY growth





# U.S Animal-based and plant based product comparison: two year \$ sales growth 2020



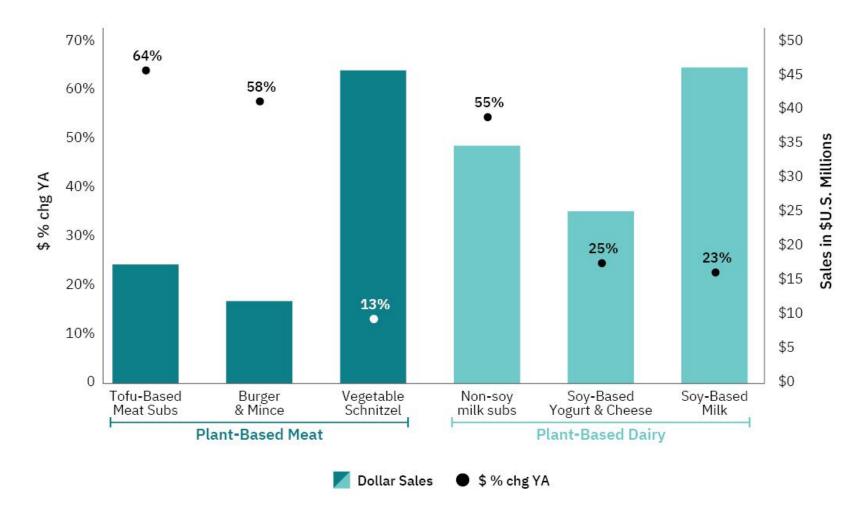
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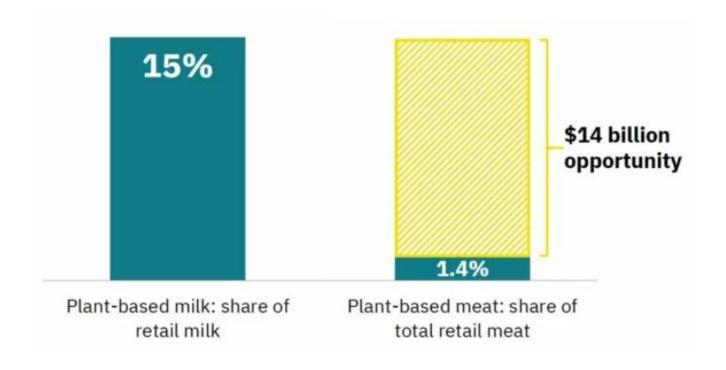
# Israel plant-based market size and growth by category 2019-2020





# U.S plant-based milk and meat shares of total categories

U.S retail plant-based milk and meat shares of total categories 2020

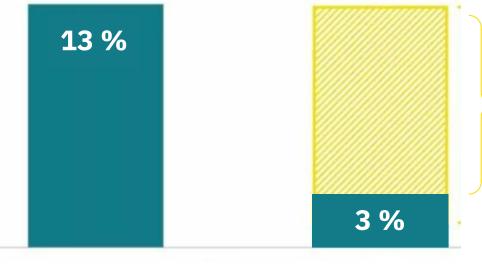




# Israel plant-based milk and meat shares of total categories



2020 Plant- based milk market share



2020 Israel plant-based milk share of total retail milk market 2020 Israel plant-meat share of total retail meat market

#### **Immediate opportunity**

Israel retail meat market (including frozen, chilled fish and chicken) ~\$1.3B

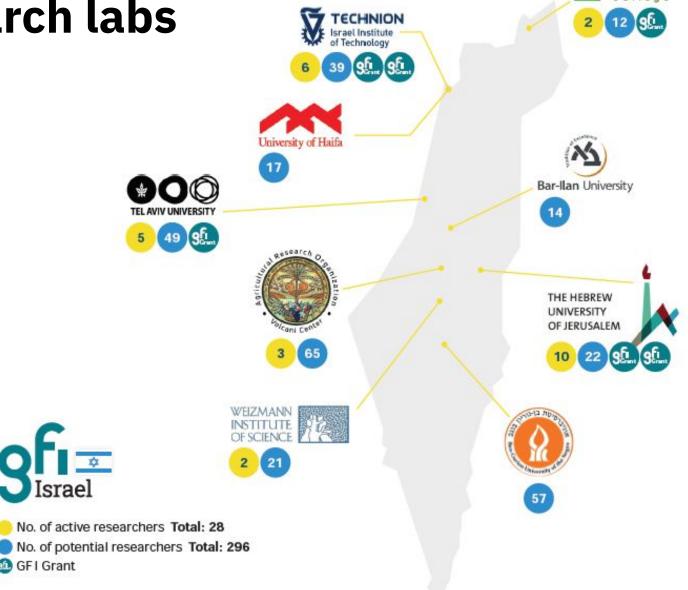


## Science and Technology

### **Active Israeli research labs**

@ GFI Grant

- **28 active** research labs in the fields of cultivated meat, fermentation and plant-based
- 296 potential and related research labs for alternative proteins





## Alt protein research in Israel





Researcher	Research Center	Field	Description	
Dr. Ofir Benjamin	Tel-Hai College	Plant based meat	Food sensory and food structure.	
Prof. Ido Braslevsky	The Hebrew University	Plant based meat, 3D printing	Food biophysics and cryobiology lab. Co-founder of Savor Eat.	
Prof. Yoav D. Livney	Technion	Plant based meat	Lab of biopolymers for food and health.	
Prof. Ram Reifen	The Hebrew University	Plant based products	Nutritional quality and safety of foods. Founder of ChickP.	
Prof. Oded Shoseyov	The Hebrew University	Plant based meat, 3D printing	Nanobiotechnology, protein engineering, and plant molecular biology lab. Co-founder of Savor Eat.	
Dr. Zvi Hayouka	The Hebrew University	Fermentation	Novel antimicrobial agents for food applications. Advisor - The Mediterranean Food Lab.	
Prof. Tamir Tuller	Tel Aviv University	Fermentation, milk alternative	Computational Systems and Synthetic Biology. Co-founder of <u>Imagindairy</u> .	



## Alt protein research in Israel

Researcher	Research Center	Field	Description
Prof. Yaacov Nachmias	The Hebrew University	Cultivated Meat	Application of tissue engineering and microfluidics.
Prof. Shulamit Technion Levenberg		Cultivated meat	Stem Cell and Tissue Engineering. Scientific advisor- Aleph Farms.
Dr. Iftach Nachman	Tel Aviv University	Cultivated meat	Organoid development for suspension-based muscle mass production.
Prof. Marcelle Machluf	Technion	Cultivated meat	Lab for cancer drug delivery and cell-based technologies.
Prof. Shlomo Magdassi	The Hebrew University	3D printing	Formation and stabilization of inorganic and organic nanomaterials.  Advisor - MeaTech.
Dr. Sharon Schlesinger	The Hebrew University	Cultivated meat	Epigenetic regulation in embryonic stem cells
Dr. Nurit Argov-Argaman	The Hebrew University	Cultivated milk	Metabolism and lactation biology. C0-founder of BioMilk.
Dr. Marganit Levy	The Hebrew University	Cultivated milk	Plant-pathogen interactions and glucosinolate accumulation. Co-founder of BioMilk







## Israel alt- protein national plan



Securing adequate funding for basic and applied scientific research



Transitioning from applied research to product development and scaleup



Obtaining regulatory approval and launching products







▲ L > Israel Innovation

✓ → ■ Authority









Ministry of Science, Technology and Space









### Resources - gfi.org.il

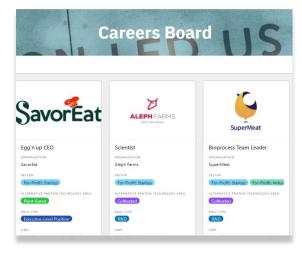
### **Reports**



#### **Startup Manual**



#### **Careers Board**



### **Company Database**





### **GFI Israel Experts**



Nir Goldstein Managing Director



Aviv Oren Business Engagement



Alla Voldman Strategic Relations



Or Benjamin Director of Operations



Tom Ben Arye PhD, Senior Scientist



Michal
Halpert
PhD,
Academic
Engagement



Hadas Karshai Marketing Communications



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