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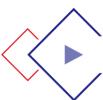
Doing business in China

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Alta-Agricorp China

Brief Introduction

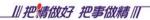






- ◆ Established in 2001, Alta-Agricorp China has become the biggest supplier of imported high-quality genetic products for Chinese dairy industry.
- Wholly-owned subsidiaries of the biggest private-owned Al company--Alta Genetics.
- We work steadily and persistently towards the goal: "Highquality Semen, High-quality Service".
- By providing reproduction solutions, we have been putting our commitment into practice.







The 5th Bull Stations of Alta Genetics







- ◆ First wholly foreign-owned bull station in China
- ◆ First and the only EU-standard lab in China
- ◆ Strict disease detection for over 7 items
- ◆ Progressive bull selection procedure
- ♦ All of our bulls participate NAAB genomic evaluation







- Farms with over 10,000 cows
- Middle- and small-sized farms
- Alta Asian Semen



Middle- and small-sized farms









▶ 12% drop in milk prices 2014-15 in China

China Monthly average prices of farm-gate milk fat 3,1% p.p. prot. 2,8% p.p. CNY/100 kg - € per 100 kg												
Month	2014		2015		2016		2017		± on prev.	± on 2016	± on prev	± on 2016
	CNY	€	CNY	€	CNY	€	CNY	€	month (CNY)	(CNY) mont	month (€)	(€)
January	423	51,38	356	49,26	356	49,86	354	48,37	+0,64%	-0.56%	+0.36%	-3,00%
February	426	51,23	344	48,48	356	49,00	354	48,40	0,00%	-0.56%	+0,06%	-1,22%
March	423	49,59	342	50,57	354	49,02	353	47,90	-0,28%	-0.28%	-1.03%	-2,27%
April	421	48,96	340	50,85	347	47,24	350	47,37	-0,85%	+0,86%	-1,12%	+0,28%
May	416	48,57	340	49,16	346	46,84	345	45,32	-1,43%	-0.29%	-4.33%	-3,26%
June	408	48,20	341	49,00	342	46,20	342	44,73	-0.87%	0,00%	-1,30%	-3.19%
July	400	47,65	341	49,95	340	46,00	341	43,74	-0.29%	+0,29%	-2.22%	-4.92%
August	395	48,19	341	48,28	339	45,48						
September	392	49,49	344	48,14	344	45,98						
October	390	50,24	347	48,64	345	46,50						
November	384	50,25	350	51,17	347	46,97						
December	379	49,65	354	50,43	352	48,20						
Avg Annual Price	405	49,45	345	49,49	347	47,27	348	46,55				



± on the previous year

▶ US Exports of Alfalfa to Top 5 Countries, 2015-2017

		Volume			% Total	
	2015	2016	2017.7	2015	2016	2017.7
Total	1939186	2485427	184218	100%	100%	100%
1. China	868595	1093810	84384	44.79%	44.01%	45.81%
2. Japan	463412	490379	39536	23.90%	19.73%	21.46%
3. Saudi Arabia	71492	257564	23236	3.69%	10.36%	12.61%
4. UAE	222900	319820	16158	11.49%	12.87%	8.77%
5. Korea, South	183104	193302	11379	9.44%	7.78%	6.18%
Top5	129683	2354875	174693	93.31%	94.75%	94.83%



Source: USDA



► China Imports of Alfalfa by Month, 2014-2017 Unit: MT

	0044	0045	0040	2017					
	2014	2015	2016	Current	YoY%	Total	YoY%		
Jan	66126.04	78795.94	110270.93	108607.80	-1.51	108607.80	-1.51		
Feb	33235.46	60757.87	58630.00	94524.23	61.22	203132.03	20.27		
Mar	72161.88	71212.97	132187.14	147462.77	11.56	350594.81	16.44		
Apr	89344.68	112500.86	120220.40	142589.41	18.61	493184.22	17.06		
May	82506.11	112891.74	131617.82	173539.75	31.85	666723.97	20.58		
Jun	62217.80	131343.29	140118.37	167748.55	19.72	834472.52	20.41		
Jul	73542.80	124568.26	140352.00	132047.84	-5.92	966520.36	15.97		
Aug	70675.86	115793.08	157077.28	130101.78	-17.17	1096622.14	10.72		
Sep	89652.60	126558.05	134743.50						
Oct	79122.28	83365.65	105618.89						
Nov	72176.02	100097.61	107471.47						
Dec	93770.58	95505.99	124882.23						
Total	883,995.11	1213391.29	1463141.29						



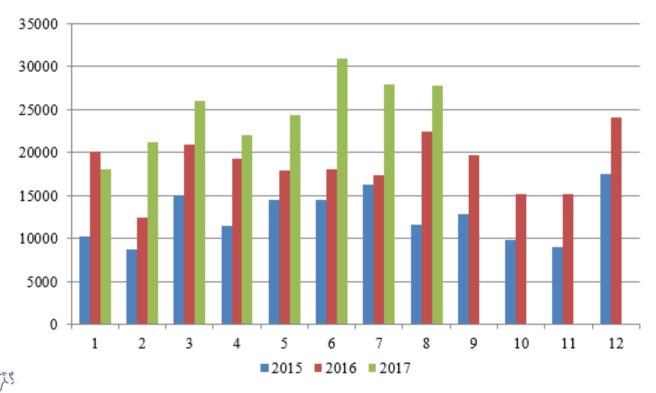
Source: China Customs



► CIF Prices of Imported Alfalfa by month, 2014-2017 Unit: \$US

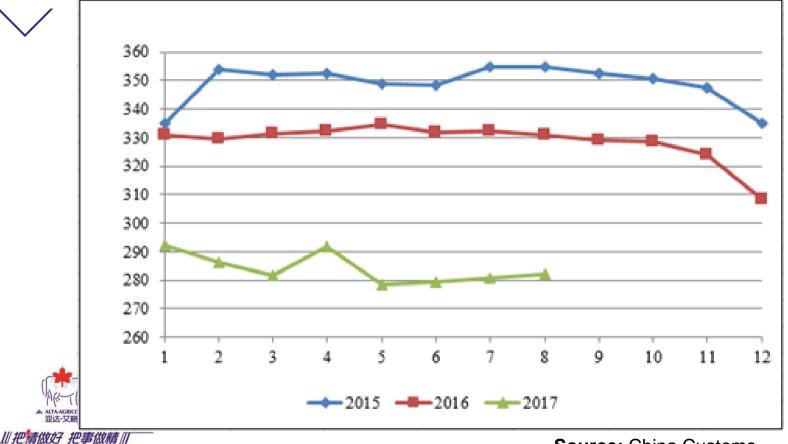
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		2014	2015	2016	2017	МоМ	YoY
	Jan.	364.31	403.47	319.74	299.27	0.65%	-6.40%
	Feb.	365.03	401.93	320.84	296.10	-1.06%	-7.71%
	Mar	364.00	411.34	334.40	279.34	-5.66%	-16.47%
	Apr	366.71	406.43	300.43	271.29	-2.88%	-9.70%
	May	372.84	410.64	302.16	267.06	-1.56%	-11.62%
	Jun	379.75	402.59	267.09	267.89	0.30%	0.31%
	Jul	394.75	390.39	307.67	281.95	5.25%	-8.36%
	Aug	400.62	377.33	316.85	267.38	-5.17%	-15.61%
	Sep	402.23	374.84	316.59			
	Oct	411.55	363.60	312.03			
	Nov	405.88	353.76	304.30			
25	Dec	401.20	343.47	297.35			
害体排	Average	387.23	386.32	307.55			







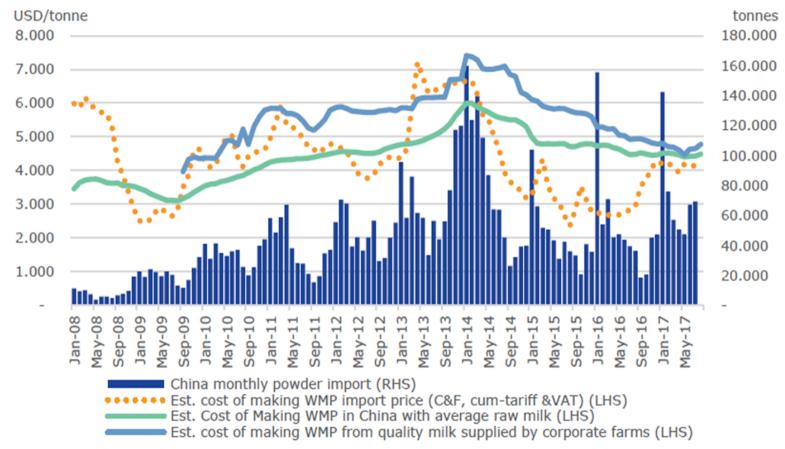
CIF Prices of Imported Oaten hay by month, 2015~2017



Source: China Customs



China WMP import parity analysis, Jan 2011-Aug 2017







Culture

- Be a respectful visitor
 - China has a long history with many interesting traditions.
 - You are not expected to know all the customs on your first visit. If you make an effort it is appreciated.
- Be a good host.
 - Do not just drop the client at the hotel after the meetings are done.
 - Communication to figure out exactly what they would like to do







Partner Selection

- Make sure your goals are aligned.
- Do not take things at face value.
- Move at a speed you are comfortable with and do not be pressured.
- Look at all options available to you.
- Due diligence







Customer Loyalty

Can be difficult to achieve.

Extremely large clients will rarely sole

source product.

Tough negotiations.





