



# **AFBI Science and Industry Progress**

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**AFBI Science – Shaping Livestock Farming for 2030**

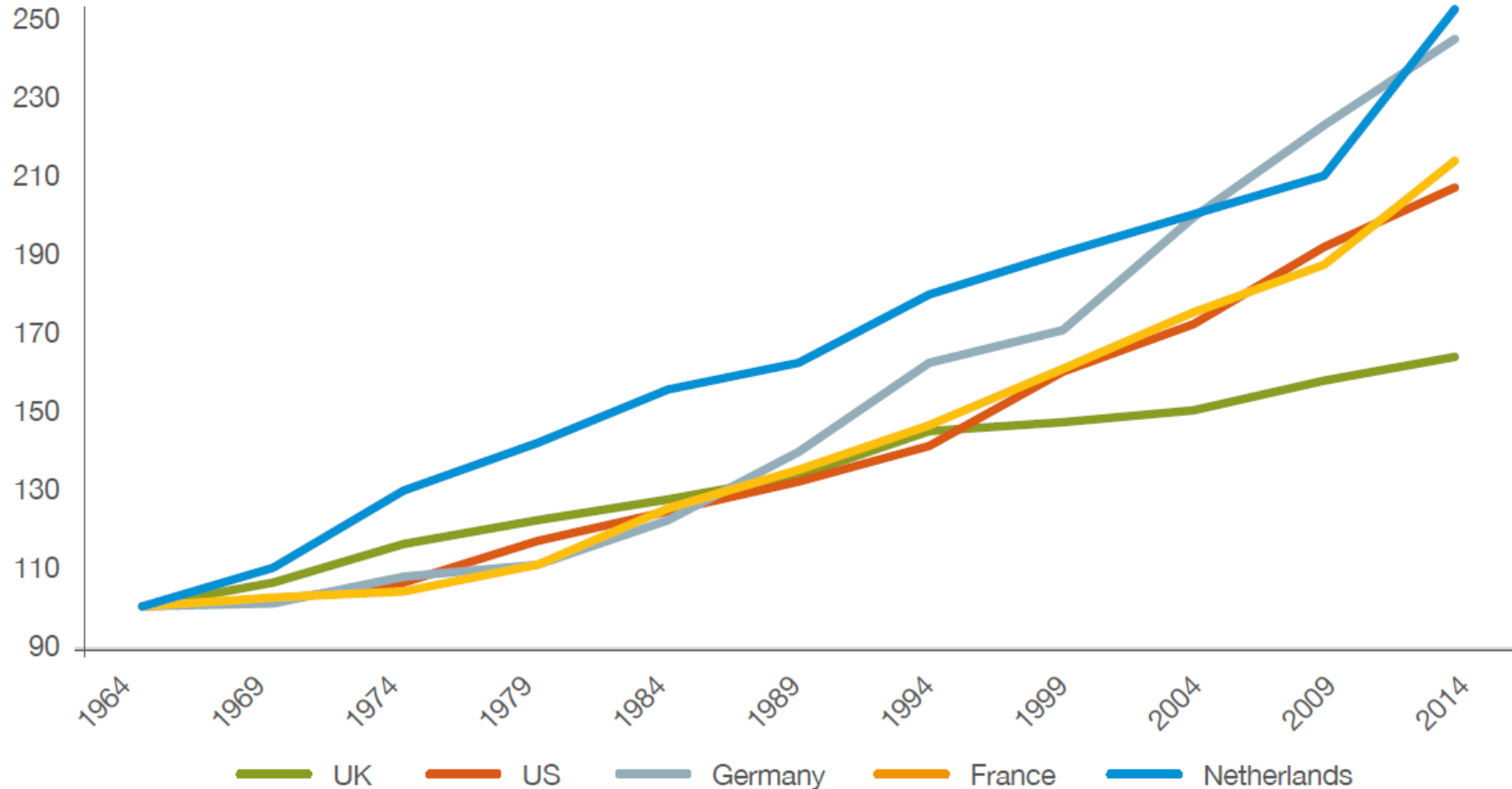
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- Northern Ireland has some of the most productive and dynamic farming businesses in the world.
- Achieving further growth needs to be sustainable for all
  - Both Economic and Environmental sustainability



# Productivity of UK Agri-Food & Hort Sector

(Total Factor Productivity annual growth 1964-2014)



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- Investing in our people – excellent scientists and support staff
- Investing in our facilities
- Working closely with farmers, processors and retailers
- Partnering with other research providers – national & international
- Communicating our science

