



LIETUVOS RESPUBLIKOS
ŽEMĖS ŪKIO MINISTERIJA

„FARMED IN THE EU“ LITHUANIA

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Why farmed fish?

- ❖ Top quality protein
- ❖ Promoting of local economies
- ❖ Choice of healthy and sustainable seafood and fish




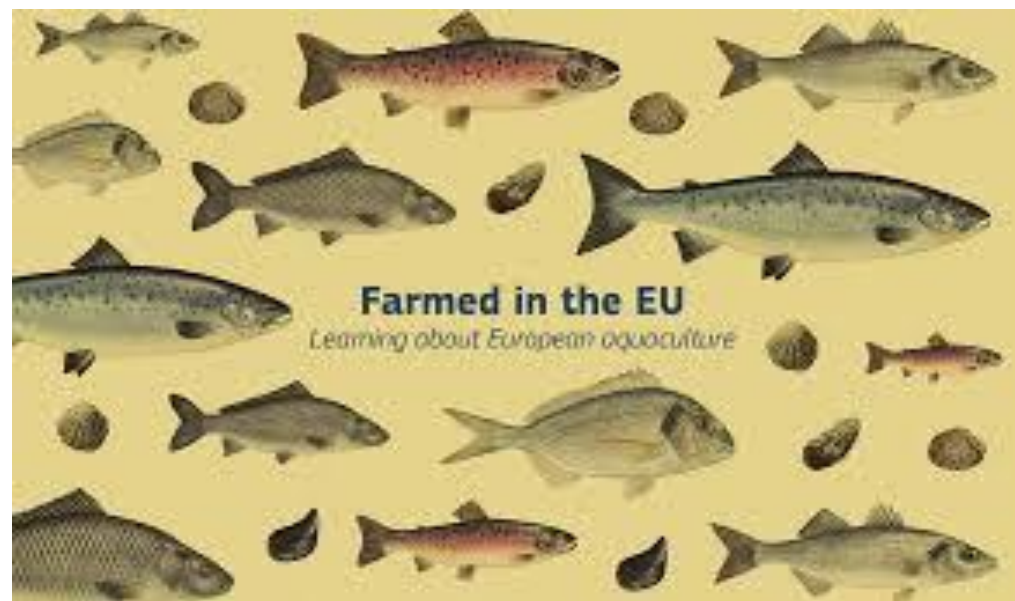
- ❖ Overfished oceans
- ❖ Damaged stocks

EUROPEAN COMMISSION'S INITIATIVE

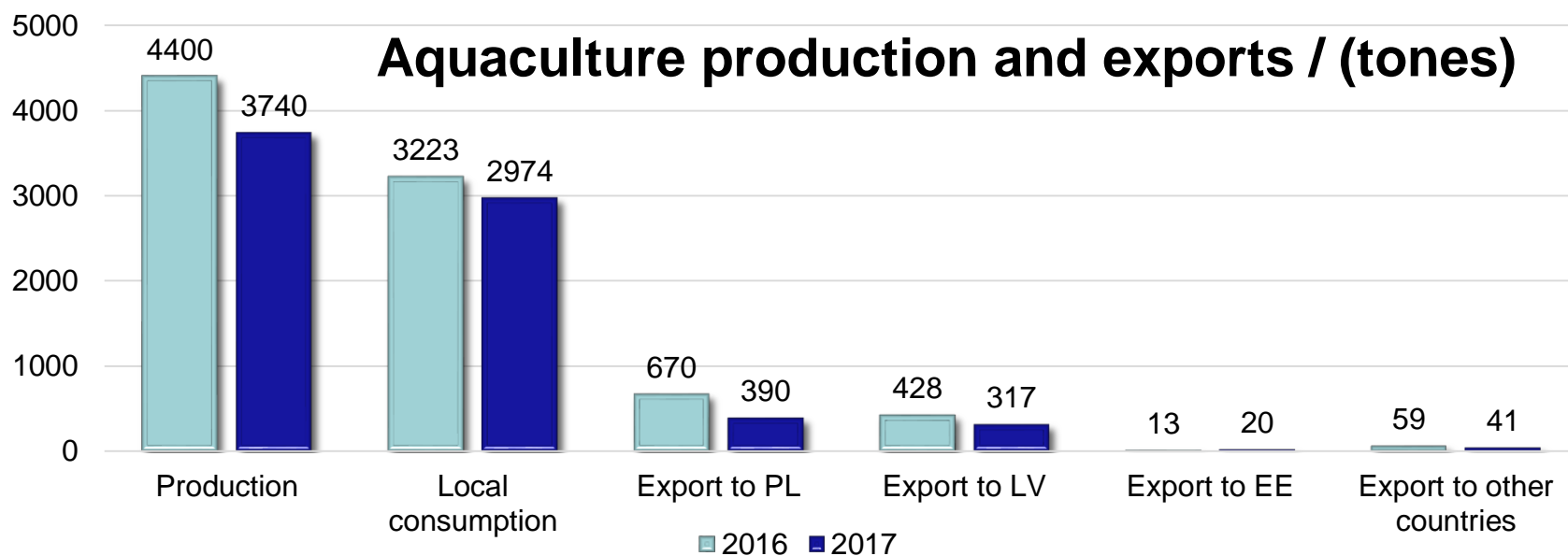
The project was piloted in 20 schools across 10 EU countries few years ago

Currently is being implemented in Lithuania, Spain....

Aim  to raise awareness of the aquaculture sector among Europe's children

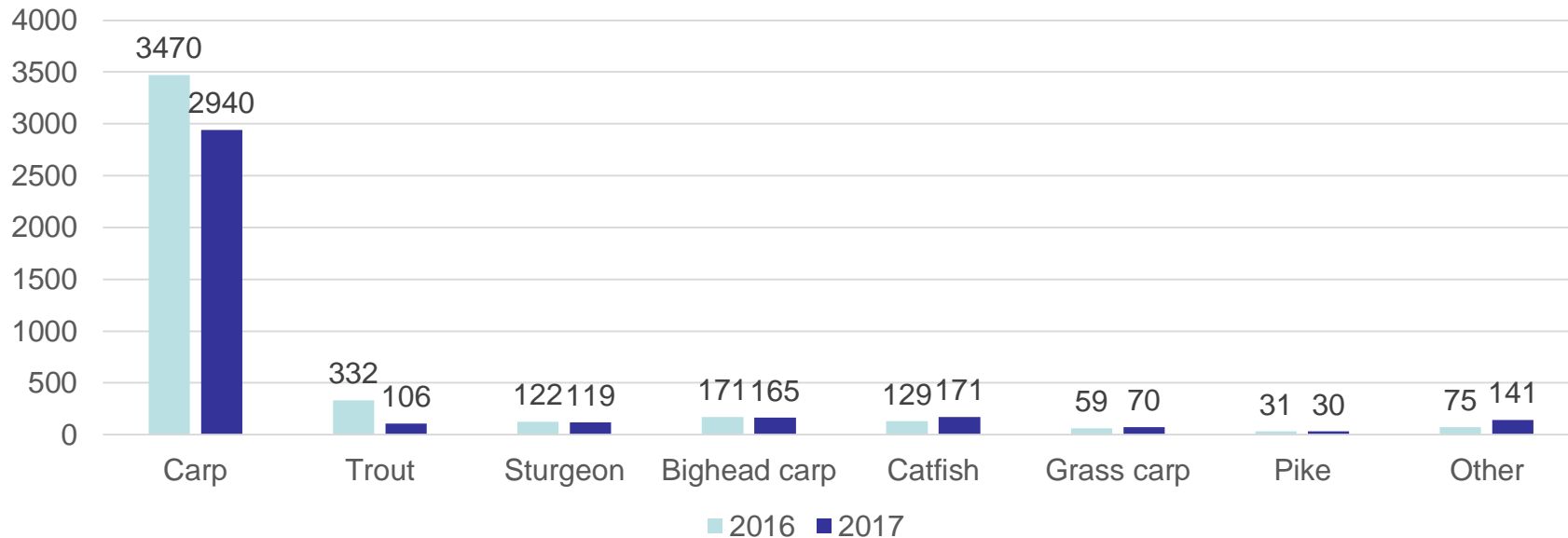


AQUACULTURE PRODUCTION IN LITHUANIA (I)

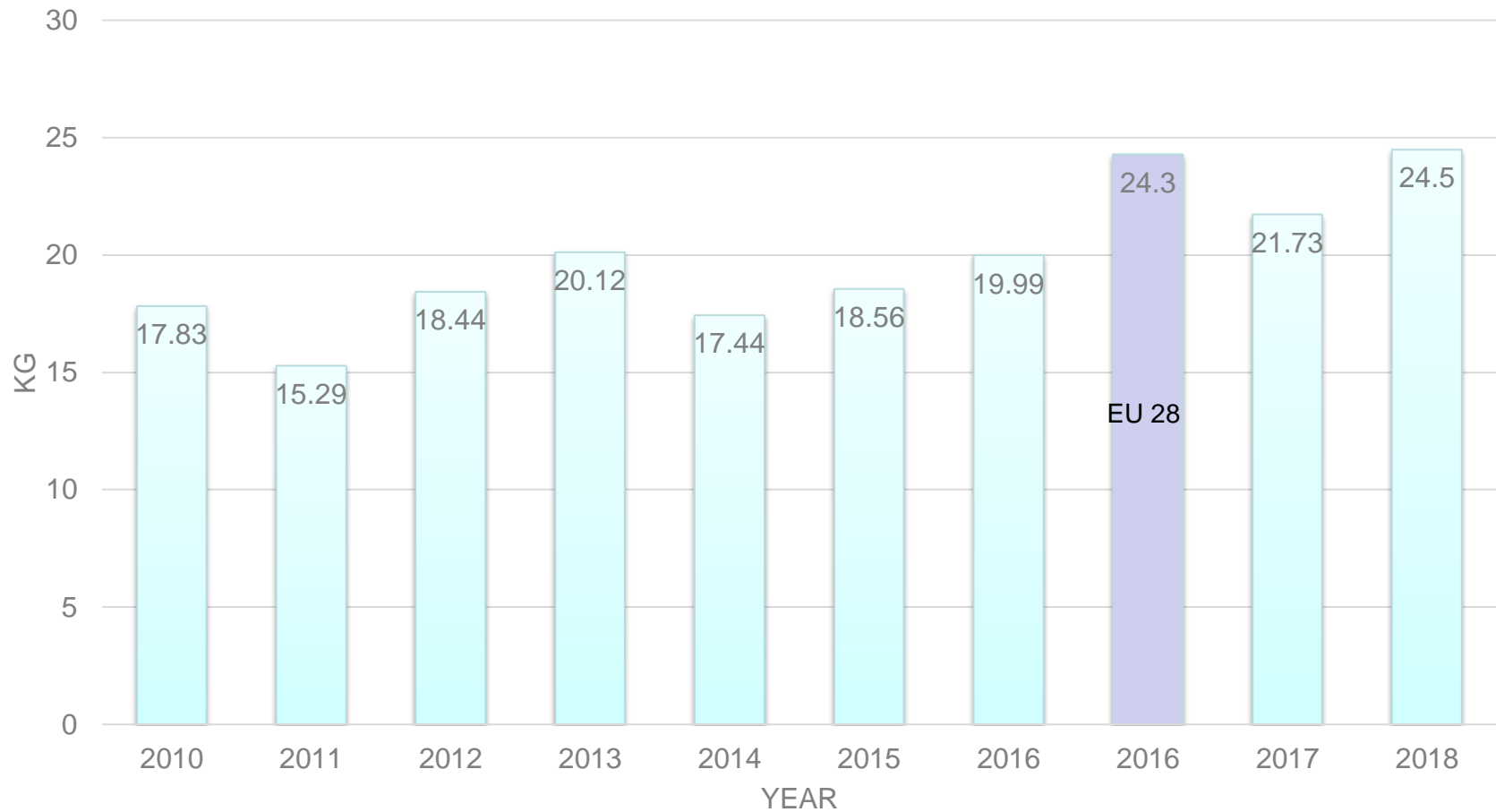


AQUACULTURE PRODUCTION IN LITHUANIA (II)

Aquaculture production by species (tones)



CONSUMPTION OF FISH AND FISHERY PRODUCTS IN LITHUANIA



PROJECT IN LITHUANIA (I)

Preparatory works (started in late 2016)



- Contacts with the Commission
- Drafting and approving national legal acts
- Looking for potential partners:
 - ❖ lecturers
 - ❖ fish farms/pisciculture centres
 - ❖ professional schools for aquaculture specialists



PROJECT IN LITHUANIA (II)

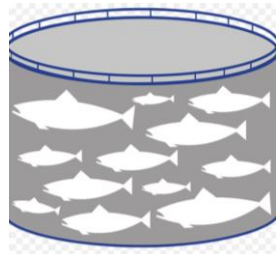
School project

I stage



Educational lessons for children in schools

II stage



**Visits to aquaculture/
pisciculture farms**



III stage



visits to professional schools

IV stage



Final contest

PROJECT IN LITHUANIA (III)

Project started in October 2018

- 12 groups within 6 schools (appr. 300 pupils) were selected – 7-14 years old
- Educational lessons with lecturer
 - farming methods
 - aquaculture species
 - role in food production
 - business and career opportunities in aquaculture sector
 - fish in our daily meals as source for healthy proteins



PROJECT IN LITHUANIA (IV)

Further activities in 2019 foreseen :

- **visits to aquaculture/pisciculture farms**



- **visits to professional schools**
- **final pupils' contest of creative projects „Farmed in the EU“**

PROJECT IN LITHUANIA (V)

Topics for final contest

Nutrition & cooking

- ✦ plan a school menu
- ✦ design a gourmet menu
- ✦ study on benefits of various types of proteins
etc...

Science & technology

- ✦ innovations on equipment of a fish farm
- ✦ ideas for improvement of fish feed
- ✦ planning the fish farm
etc...

PROJECT IN LITHUANIA (VI)

Topics for final contest



Communication

- ✦ a campaign to promote local aquaculture
 - ✦ study on a history of aquaculture in the local area
 - ✦ a 'journalistic' review of campaigns that are either for or against aquaculture
- etc...



Arts

- ✦ aquaculture - a past in pictures
- ✦ representing a fish (draw, paint, model, collage, or use digital media) etc...





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THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

