

# THE INNOVATIVE BIOPHARMA ECO-SYSTEM IN BELGIUM

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know?

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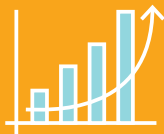
1<sup>st</sup> in number of clinical trials  
per capita in EU (in 2012)



1<sup>st</sup> R&D employer in Belgium (2011)



Fastest growing manufacturing sector  
since 2010 in Belgium



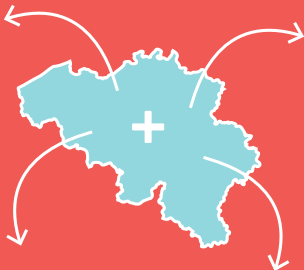
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2<sup>nd</sup> largest BioPharma exporter  
in Europe (2013)

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Within manufacturing industries  
in Belgium, BioPharma has the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest  
added value per job (2011)

Source: EFPIA, Eurostat, Statbel



3<sup>RD</sup>

In Belgium, 1 job in BioPharma  
generates 3 indirect jobs

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3<sup>rd</sup> in number of biotech patent applications  
in EU (2007-2011)



4<sup>TH</sup>



4<sup>th</sup> largest BioPharma producer  
in EU (2013)

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4<sup>th</sup> most productive country in life science  
patent applications in EU (2007-2011)



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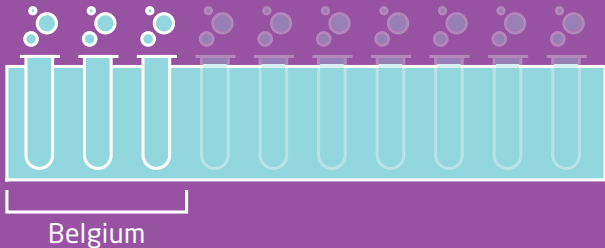
5<sup>th</sup> largest BioPharma employer  
in Europe (2013)

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5<sup>th</sup> largest in number of molecules  
in development worldwide (2000-2009)



30%



30% of European biotech industry (in value)  
is located in Belgium

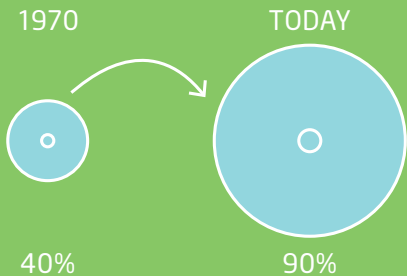
43%



Number of new orphan -EMA approved-  
drugs increased with 43% in 5 years in EU

90%





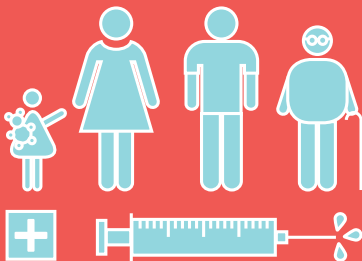
The survival rate of breast cancer increased from 40% in 1970 to 90% today

273%



In Belgium, investments (infrastructure & equipment) in the BioPharma sector have grown with 273% between 2007 & 2012

1507



Number of open clinical trials  
in Belgium (09/2014)

**THE BIOPHARMA INDUSTRY IN BELGIUM**

**A VECTOR  
OF GROWTH**

**THE BIOPHARMA INDUSTRY IN BELGIUM**

**LEADERSHIP  
IN RESEARCH &  
INNOVATION**

**THE BIOPHARMA INDUSTRY IN BELGIUM**

**PARTNER  
IN HEALTH**



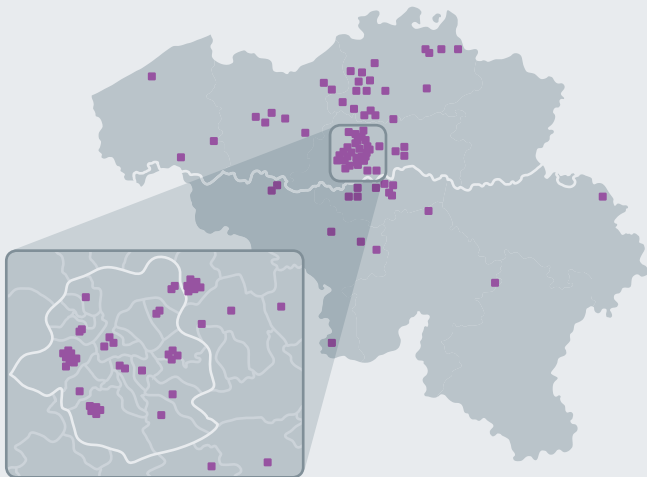
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**INNOVATION  
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