



## EMIRATES INDUSTRY FOR CAMEL MILK & PRODUCTS (EICMP)

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Over 25 years ago, the idea of a camel-milking facility was born at the Central Veterinary Research Laboratory (CVRL) in Dubai. Research commenced on a small number of camels that were raised there with the specific aim of obtaining scientific proof of the incredible health benefits of the traditional Bedouin staple that is camel milk. The goal was to later introduce camel milk to the market where it would be accessible to a large number of consumers and not limited to the few camel herders in the country.

After the completion of the research in 2003, Emirates Industry for Camel Milk & Products (EICMP) was born. By 2006, the milk production facility was completed and the first camel milk products hit the market in August of the same year.

The EICMP facility, housed within the camel farm, is unmatched– it is the world's first sophisticated camel milking plant, incorporating state-of-the-art technology and camel research. Special equipment for milking camels has been developed to optimize milk production and increase the comfort of the camels during the procedure. The UAE production facility incorporates latest technologies and meets the most stringent regulations set by Dubai Municipality, the EU, and various global organizations responsible for food safety and hygiene. Pioneering in developing a strong camel milk industry EICMP, in coordination with the Ministry of Environment and Water, was listed the first camel milk production facility in the Middle East to receive EU Commission approval to export its products to the EU zone in 2013. Also the export permit to Malaysia has been granted the same year. The Malaysian Halal certificate was granted in summer 2014.

Emirates Industry for Camel Milk & Products now has a herd of about 4,000+ camels producing life-enriching “Camelicious” camel milk, which is available in plain and flavored varieties including strawberry, dates, saffron, and chocolate. Research continues to develop even more flavors and products. Since 2013, the product range includes three types of cheeses.

The benefits of camel milk are numerous. Along with dates, camel milk formed the indispensable diet of Bedouins. It is rich in vitamins, naturally low in fat, rich in unsaturated fatty



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acids, and has three to five times more vitamin C as cow milk. It also boosts the immunity system and is easily digestible due to the fact it doesn't curdle in acidic environments such as the stomach. Some reports say that even some lactose intolerant people can enjoy camel milk. The high content of lactoferrin gives this exceptional milk anti-bacterial and anti-viral properties.

To date, the local and international demand for camel milk products is higher than the supply. EICMP is determined to grow production and to build a strong and sustainable camel milk industry in the UAE as the leading country worldwide.

Camelicious dairy products are currently sold in UAE and exported to Kuwait, Jordan, United Kingdom, Austria and Malaysia.

EICMP is associated with 'The Majlis Dubai- first and finest camel milk café, offering baking goods, ice-cream and numerous other treats, all made from camel milk.

For more information, please visit our website:

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