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Various sugar related articles

The Executive Director would like to draw your attention to the article below which is relevant to the sugar sector.

Sugar Online - Ebriefing 18-10-2018

BRAZIL: First genetically modified cane variety planted by more than 80 producers

The world's first variety of genetically modified sugarcane approved for commercial use in June has already been planted in areas owned by more than 80 Brazilian mills and cane suppliers, according to Brazil's Canaonline news website. Brazil's Cane Technology Centre (CTC) received approval earlier this year for its transgenic sugarcane variety CTC20BT, which is resistant to sugarcane borer, a pest that generates BRL5 billion (US\$1.4 billion) in losses for Brazilian sugarcane mills and produ...

Food Navigator.com 17-10-2018

Online grocery sales more than tripled in past five years, expected to quadruple in next five

17-Oct-2018 By Adi Menayang

A report by market research firm Packaged Facts revealed that online groceries more than tripled between 2013 and 2018, though it still accounted for only 2% of total grocery spending.

<https://www.foodnavigator-usa.com/article/2018/10/17/online-grocery-sales-more-than-tripled-in-past-five-years-expected-to-quadruple-in-next-five>

Food Navigator.com 19-10-2018

Incremental innovation or game-changing NPD: Have Unilever and Nestlé really started to tap new trends?

19-Oct-2018 By Katy Askew

Two giants of the global food sector - Unilever and Nestlé - reported increased sales momentum yesterday (18 October). The news will be welcome respite for the two 'big food' manufacturers who have seen market share come under pressure from the fragmentation of the global food market. But does it point to a turning tide?

<https://www.foodnavigator.com/article/2018/10/19/incremental-innovation-or-game-changing-npd-have-unilever-and-nestle-really-started-to-tap-new-trends>

Food Navigator.com 19-10-2018

Former Green & Black's co-founder talks about Gusto Cola, biochar, sugar tax & the plastic waste debate

19-Oct-2018 By Jenny Eagle

Former Green & Black's co-founders Craig and Greg Sams will take to the stage next week to talk about how they entered the healthy-eating market with their Whole Earth Food Brand in the early 70s, before it became on-trend and how biochar is changing the future of organic farming.

<https://www.foodnavigator.com/article/2018/10/19/ex-founder-of-green-black-s-talks-about-gusto-cola-biochar-sugar-tax-the-plastic-waste-debate>
