

Fact Sheet

ImperialOel is a know-how-driven, owner-managed ingredient company founded in 1920. We supply selected natural lipids and specialties to customers around the globe. Focus areas include lanolins for cosmetic applications and omega-3 fatty acids for infant formula and supplements.

Status: 2026

The company's business model includes

- ingredient supply,
- full-service consulting,
- private label manufacturing
- and a consumer brand – MarisPlus Omega-3

Throughout history, Germany has been known for providing and exporting the world's highest-quality, purpose- and performance-focused goods and services.

For more than 100 years, ImperialOel has continued this proud tradition through its portfolio of science-based, highly effective and reliable products; a superior price-to-quality ratio; a reliable, traceable, and sustainable supply chain; and extraordinary expertise and personal service from the dedicated and professional team that calls ImperialOel home.

Founded: 1920, in Hamburg, Germany

Headquarters: Hamburg, Germany

Warehouse / Services: Hamburg, Rhineland, Lower Saxony, North Rhine-Westphalia, Schleswig-Holstein / Germany; Rotterdam / Netherlands

Ownership: Privately owned since 1920

Managing Directors: Oliver Kromer, Juliane Sassmannshausen

Number of Employees: approx. 20

Product Range: Omega-3 and Omega-6 oils and powders, lanolin & derivatives, specialties

Customers: Large and medium-sized manufacturers as well as multinational corporations

Geography: Operating in over 40 countries, on all continents

Main Markets Served: Human nutrition, personal care, pharmaceuticals, lubricants & fatliquors, oleochemicals

LanisLanolin

Wool grease, lanolin, and lanolin derivatives have been at the heart of ImperialOel's business since its founding. Today, as one of the world's largest independent suppliers of lanolin products, ImperialOel provides a diverse range of demand-oriented solutions that include modern lanolins and derivatives such as alcohols and various lanolin fractions. Our **Lanis and Lanis Tech** brands play an important role in cosmetic/pharmaceutical and industrial applications.

MarisOmega

With MarisOmega, we are a leading **omega-3 supplier** and Contract Manufacturer (CDMO), specializing in premium-quality omega-3 and omega-6 ingredients for the global market. Our portfolio includes **natural fish-, plant-based (Ahiflower®)** and **microalgal-derived oils**, as well as microencapsulated powders, covering **omega-3 and omega-6 fatty acids**, with a particular focus on **ARA**. We have long-standing expertise in supplying infant nutrition as well as functional foods and specialty supplements. With over 30 years of experience, we are recognized for deep product expertise, regulatory excellence, and comprehensive customer support

Specialties

Throughout its 100-year history, ImperialOel has offered a wide range of **specialty oils** for a variety of industries and applications. The diverse offering includes **natural lipids, bone products, and oleochemical specialties**. These are utilized around the world, all backed by a knowledgeable team of application experts serving the core industries: beauty and personal care, food, beverage, drugs and supplements, construction, and bitumen/asphalt.

