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FiBL

FiBL is the world's leading knowledge center for best practice in organic food and farming systems. It combines excellence in science, innovation and sustainable practice.



FiBL Europe is an umbrella institute representing five FiBL national research institutes in Brussels by

- Providing a single contact point to access the full competences of the national FiBL institutes.
- Providing scientific knowledge and technical solutions to advance organic and sustainable farming.
- Contributing scientific excellence to the development of sustainable food systems in Europe and developing countries.



Main objectives of FiBL Europe

1. Promote and expand the use of internet-based databases and services for farmers, farm advisors, certifiers, associations, and public authorities in all aspects of organic agriculture and food production with a particular focus on:

- List of organic seed and propagation material.
OrganicXseeds.com is already in use in Belgium, Germany, Ireland, Luxembourg, Sweden, Switzerland and the United Kingdom and will be further expanded.
- Organic inputs list accepted for organic agriculture (see www.organicinputs.org). National lists of evaluated products are already produced for Germany, the Netherlands, and Switzerland; European input list is in preparation.

2. Enhance the availability and usage of data on production and trade of foods with organic or sustainability labels (www.organic-europe.net) gathered and analysed by FiBL.

3. Promote FiBL sustainability assessment concept and methodologies for agricultural businesses, companies in the food sector and for decision makers (using tools such as SMART, RISE and Life Cycle Assessment).

4. Offer FiBL refined comprehensive toolbox with information on organic farm techniques and knowledge in different European languages (see shop.fibl.org and www.farmknowledge.org).

5. Produce studies on all FiBL activities (namely aspects of socio-economics, market development, soils, plant production, plant protection, breeding, animal husbandry and health, food quality and safety).

6. Represent the network of national FiBL offices to potential partners and funding opportunities for cooperative projects in the European Union and in developing countries.

FiBL: Key data

Form of organization

FiBL Switzerland	Private charitable foundation since 1973
FiBL Germany	Charitable association since 2002
FiBL Austria	Charitable association since 2004
FiBL CEE (ÖMKi Hungary)	Non-profit private company since 2011
FiBL Team France	Charitable association since 2016

Projects

FiBL Switzerland	190
FiBL Germany	40
FiBL Austria	20
FiBL CEE (ÖMKi Hungary)	25
FiBL Team France	6

More information: www.fibl.org/en/themes.html

Personnel (number of employees)

FiBL Switzerland	190
FiBL Germany	44
FiBL Austria	30
FiBL CEE (ÖMKi Hungary)	15
FiBL Team France	4

Long-standing scientific, technical and practical expertise in all disciplines related to agriculture and food systems.

60 to 80 BSc-, MSc- and PhD students in co-operation with 15 European Universities.

Annual budgets (in million €)

