



The Research Institute of Organic Agriculture (FiBL) was founded in 1973 and is situated in Frick, Switzerland since 1997. It is the world's leading information and documentation centre for organic agriculture with over 30 years of organic agriculture experience. The close links between different fields of research and the rapid transfer of knowledge from research to advisory work and agricultural practice are FiBL's strengths. FiBL implements numerous projects worldwide – not only in research, consultancy and training but also in organic market development and cooperation.

FiBL implements in Ukraine the Swiss-Ukrainian project "**Organic Market Development in Ukraine**" (2012-2016) financed by the Swiss Confederation through State Secretariat for Economic Affairs (SECO, Switzerland).

The **Overall Development Goal** is to contribute to strengthening the competitiveness of the Ukrainian organic sector and micro-, and SME's from the Ukrainian Carpathians.

Project Objectives:

- SME's have increased their quality and trade volume of organic arable crops for export and of dairy products for the domestic market;
- Micro and SME's from the Ukrainian Carpathians benefit from a trade mark for regional food products;
- Commercial services for the organic sector are improved;
- Conducive business environment for the development of the organic sector is improved.

You can find more about the project at the web-site www.ukraine.fibl.org



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