Improving understanding of the contribution of the organic farming sector to sustainability

Horizon Europe

PENDING

Code
HORIZON-CL6-2027-02-FARM2FORK-04

Scope
International

Location
Europe

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FINANCIAL DETAILS

Support type
Non-Refundable

Maximum Funding Rate
100%

Budget
6M€

Eligible Project Value
Up to 6M€

DATES & DEADLINES

Publication Date
December 12, 2025

Opening Date
April 20, 2027

Deadline
September 23, 2027 at 05:00 PM GMT+2

DESCRIPTION

Objectives

This call aims to improve the understanding of the contribution of the organic farming sector to sustainability across environmental, economic, and social dimensions. It targets the entire organic value chain, from farm to consumer, and seeks to enhance data collection and reporting capacities within the EU organic sector. The call is open to consortia that implement a multi-actor approach, ensuring the involvement of key stakeholders such as organic farmers, certification bodies, supply chain actors, and data providers. Proposals must address all EU Member States and support the implementation of the EU Action Plan for the Development of Organic Production, the Common Agricultural Policy, and related EU sustainability policies.

Funding

The call provides a single Coordination and Support Action (CSA) grant with a lump sum contribution of 6.000.000 EUR. The funding rate is up to 100% of eligible costs. Only one grant is expected to be awarded under this topic, and the total available budget for the topic is 6.000.000 EUR.

ELIGIBLE EXPENSES

- Personnel Costs
- Travel costs
- Equipment costs
- Other goods, works and services costs
- Subcontracting
- Indirect Costs

BONUSES & MAJORATIONS

- Proposals must implement the multi-actor approach and involve main stakeholders
- Proposals should address all EU Member States
- Proposals should build on results of relevant past/ongoing EU-funded R&I projects

ELIGIBILITY

Application Mode
Consortium / Copromotion

Eligible Sectors

- Agro-Food
- Energy & Environment
- Other

Company Typologies

- Micro
- SME
- Small Mid-Cap
- Mid-Cap
- Large
- Private non-profit entities
- Public entities

Action Types

- Mapping of existing data collection tools and platforms for organic production
- Analysis of cost-effectiveness and best practices in organic data collection

- Facilitation of exchange of experiences and best practices across the EU
- Assessment of leveraging certification data for sustainability reporting
- Development of recommendations for effective data collection governance
- Organisation and implementation of training for organic farmers and value chain operators
- Networking activities to foster cooperation in organic agri-food supply chains
- Multi-actor approach involving main stakeholders in the organic sector
- Coordination and Support Actions

EU PROGRAMME DETAILS

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Cluster
Cluster 6: Food, Bioeconomy, Natural Resources, Agriculture and Environment

Destination
D2. Fair, healthy and environment-friendly food systems from primary production to consumption

Submission Mode
single-stage

EU Contribution
€6,000,000.00 per project

Expected Projects
1

Funding Rate Rule
Up to 100% of eligible costs for Coordination and Support Actions (CSA)

OFFICIAL LINKS

Official Regulation
https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/opportunities/topic-details/HORIZON-CL6-2027-02-FARM2FORK-04

Grantavia page
https://grantavia.com/en/incentives/improving-understanding-of-the-contribution-of-the-organic-farming-sector-to-sustainability

Schedule a meeting
https://calendly.com/filipa-silva-epsa/reuniao