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OT4D 2022 Online Training

>> Bio Suisse Standards and Import Regulations

Date: November 08, 2022 // 09:30 – 11:30 (CET)
Trainer: Hans Ramseier (Bio Suisse)
Moderator: Toralf Richter (FiBL)
Target groups: Inspectors, quality managers of export companies, local consultants, staff from local associations, ministries and authorities

Switzerland is an interesting export market for many third countries in Europe. The vast majority of organic products sold in Switzerland are labeled with the Bio Suisse logo, the so called “Bud”. The Bio Suisse Standards differ from minimum governmental regulations in several important respects, e. g. those of the EU. But even when you follow the Bio Suisse standards not all certified organic products can be exported to Switzerland due to import regulations of Bio Suisse.

The online training will introduce the main differences to the EU Regulations and inform about general import regulations and requirements of Bio Suisse. The participation is free of charge.

Day / Time	Topic	Responsible
09:30 – 09:45	Reception, welcome and introduction	T. Richter, FiBL
09:45 – 10:00	Introduction Bio Suisse and its label Bud	H. Ramseier, Bio Suisse
10:00 – 10:40	Bio Suisse Standard and the most important differences to the EU Organic Regulation	H. Ramseier, Bio Suisse
10:40 – 10:45	New EU Organic Regulation - What impact on Bio Suisse Standards	H. Ramseier, Bio Suisse
10:45 – 10:55	Q&A Bio Suisse Standards	T. Richter, FiBL H. Ramseier, Bio Suisse
10:55 – 11:15	Import regulation and requirements of Bio Suisse	T. Nizet, Authent
11:15 – 11:25	Q&A Bio Suisse Import Regulations	T. Richter, FiBL H. Ramseier, Bio Suisse
11:25 – 11:30	Wrap up and closure	T. Richter, FiBL

How to register

Please register until November 06, 2022, midnight [here](#)

About the trainer and moderator

	<p>Hans is the Head of the International Division at Bio Suisse in Switzerland. He is an expert in organic standards and import regulation for 25 years. He has had a decisive influence on the import guidelines of Bio Suisse over the past two decades.</p>
	<p>Toralf works for FiBL, the Swiss Research Institute for Organic Agriculture, the global organic competence center combining research, trainings and consultancies all over the world. He works as senior consultant in international organic market development projects and has vast organic project experiences in Ukraine and Balkan countries since 2014.</p>



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