



EUREPGAP and biocontrol

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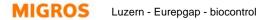


Eurepgap – standard for primary production

Good agricultural practice based on existing programs and regulations

Structure of the scheme

- General Regulations
- Control Points and Compliance Criteria
- Checklist





Eurepgap – some facts

- The most important standard for agriculture
- A global standard
- Increasing number of retailer involved
- Implementation in over 60 countries
- Multi stakeholder approach
- Certification scheme
- Benchmarking from existing national and regional schemes
- System applicable for industrial agriculture and small holders

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EUREPGAP[®]

Eurepgap – standard for primary production

They guide the long term and short-term deci- Stakeholder Participation sion making of EurepGAP.

Partnership

Retailers and producers are equally represented in the decision making committees of EurepGAP.

Integrity

We help to develop confidence in global farm certification by working to establish systems of certification which meet international norms as well as being credible with all our stakeholders.

Benchmarking

Benchmarking helps us all recognise best practice and encourages local adoption of farm certification. It means that there is a

We listen to the views of stakeholders both in the industry and outside it and strive to incorporate what we learn from them.

Efficiency and Effectiveness

We develop easy to use cost effective solutions for our members to avoid multiplication of standards, systems and audits.

Did you know?

EurepGAP is governed by the Industry through its Steering Committee.

FoodPLUS GmbH is a German limited company set up to act as the Secretariat for Eurep-GAP. FoodPLUS ensures Independence in the operation of the EurepGAP Standards and is a not-for-profit company.

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Eurepgap – standard for primary production

- GAP Plant production
 - Fruits and vegetables
 - Flowers and ornamentals
- GAP Integrated Farm Insurance
 - Animal production
 - Dairy production
 - Pig production
 - Poultry production, fish farming, etc.
 - Combinable crops
 - Cereals
 - Coffee, Tee, etc.
- MIGROS Luzern Eurepgap biocontrol

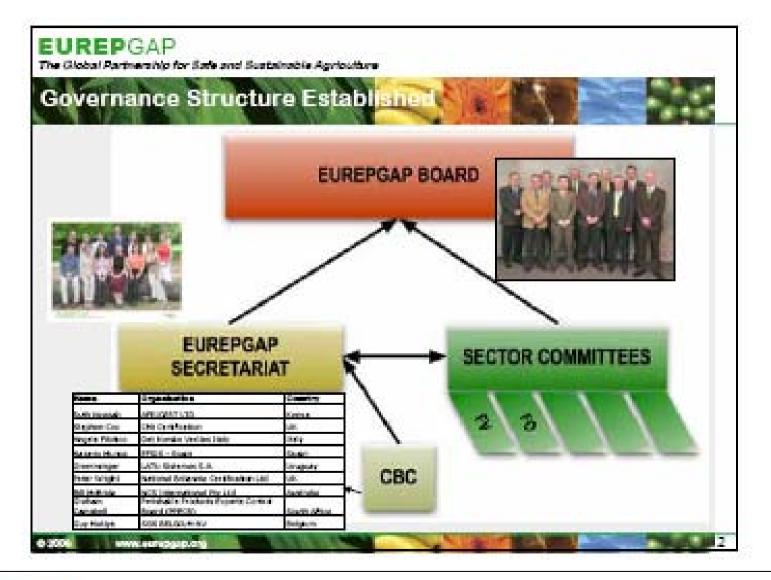
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Eurepgap – Revision process 2006



Round tables

Stakeholder approach

Consensus in decision making process





Eurepgap – Revision process 2006

Major outcomes:

Clear definition of the part health and safety

Adaptation of the part hygiene

MRL's establishment of working group

Introduction of alternative practices / methods (IPM) > recommendation

etc.





Possible inputs from

Fact is:



- There is only little knowledge about alternative methods within Eurepgap
- IPM has not yet been a central point of concern of Eurepgap
- IPM is up to now a national / regional concern
- Due to the last residue scandals, the interest for IPM is growing
- IPM is included in the new 2007 guidelines

Possible actions are:

- IBMA becomes an associate member of Eurepgap
- Members of IBMA become member of Eurepgap
- Participate in the Technical committee IPM of Eurepgap





Further information

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