



ORGANIKO - Revamping organic farming and its products in the context of climate change mitigation strategies - LIFE14 CCM/CY/000990

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4^o Training Course: Risk prevention, monitoring methods and analysis in agriculture: the role of the organic farming

**Ordine dei Dottori Agronomi e Dottori Forestali della Provincia di Roma
(Association of Agronomists and Foresters of the Roma Province)**

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15:00 – 19:00

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The organic sector: risks and opportunities for organic farming considering the latest legislative updates

Relatore

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Organic, a successful model?

- Certified surface: around 2.000.000 ha (15,4% of the UAA)
- 75.873 operators (4,4% of the total)
- Interesting trends of the consumptions (2017 + 16,6 %)
- Revenue of around 5 billions (3 domestic market and 2 export). 3 % of the agri-food sector.

**A small market segment but a model of technical
«orientation»**

FARMS AND ORGNIC SURFACES (2017)/ TOTAL PER REGION (ISTAAT SPA 2013). Incidence %

	% aziende agricole bio			% superficie bio		
	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017
PIEMONTE	3,1	3,8	3,9	3,6	4,8	4,9
VALLE D'AOSTA	2,9	3,0	3,0	5,6	6,1	6,0
LIGURIA	1,7	1,8	1,9	9,1	9,3	10,3
LOMBARDIA	2,3	2,7	3,5	3,2	4,0	4,9
P.A. BOLZANO	4,1	5,3	6,1	3,0	3,6	4,0
P.A. TRENTO	4,8	5,2	7,0	4,9	4,7	3,6
VENETO	1,3	1,7	2,3	2,1	2,9	3,4
FRIULI VENEZIA GIULIA	2,0	3,5	3,6	2,4	6,6	7,2
EMILIA ROMAGNA	4,8	5,6	6,1	9,6	11,3	13,0
TOSCANA	6,3	6,7	6,7	18,7	18,5	18,4
UMBRIA	4,1	3,1	4,8	11,3	12,4	14,2
MARCHE	5,5	5,9	6,8	14,1	17,5	19,5
LAZIO	3,7	4,5	5,1	18,7	22,4	23,3
ABRUZZO	2,2	2,5	2,5	6,6	8,7	8,8
MOLISE	0,9	1,8	1,9	2,9	6,3	6,1
CAMPANIA	1,4	2,8	3,2	3,5	8,6	9,7
PUGLIA	2,4	3,6	3,3	14,5	20,5	20,2
BASILICATA	2,5	4,7	4,6	10,1	19,2	20,6
CALABRIA	6,5	8,5	8,4	31,5	37,9	37,4
SICILIA	5,2	5,2	5,3	25,1	26,4	31,1
SARDEGNA	4,7	4,1	3,8	12,8	12,3	11,6
Totale Italia	3,6	4,4	4,5	12,0	14,5	15,4

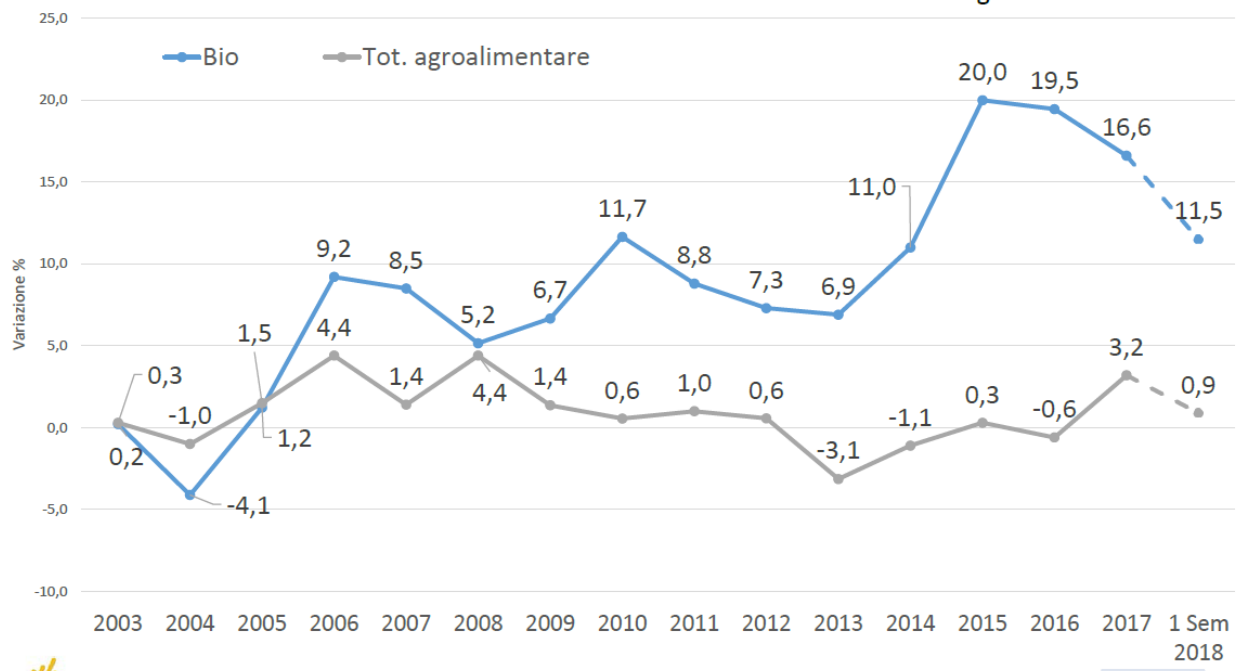
% AZIENDE AGRICOLE e % SUPERFICI BIO superiori al dato nazionale

ORGANIC CONSUMPTIONS – TREND FROM 2003 TO THE 1° SEMESTER 2016

CONSUMI DEI PRODOTTI BIOLOGICI

ANDAMENTO DEI CONSUMI DAL 2003 AL 1° SEMESTRE 2018

Variazione % annua dei consumi «bio» in valore nella **GDO** e confronto con l'agroalimentare



Fonte: Panel Retail Ismea-Nielsen-GfK Eurisko

CERTIFICATION OF ORGANIC PRODUCTS

✓ **The actors => CUSTODY CHAIN OF LEGISLATIVE ORIGIN**

MARKET



- ✓ **Operator**
- ✓ **Advise**
- ✓ **Control Body**
- ✓ **(Inspection staff)**
- ✓ **Public authority**

LAW n. 20/2018

(23 February, GU n.67 of the 21-3-2018)

Provisions for the harmonization and standardization of the legislation on monitoring the organic agri-food production



Art. 2 Definitions

- d) **control body**: *independent third party carrying on inspections and certifications on the activities of production, transformation, marketing and import of products obtained by the organic farming methods according to the provisions of the regulation and of the present law;*
- e) **monitoring**: *verification of the control bodies, according to the article 27 of the regulation;*
- f) **control**: *with the scope of verifying that the operators act according to the provisions of the EU and and national legislation about organic farming production.*

Art. 3 Control system

*The Ministry carries out the functions of authorizing and monitoring through **ICQRF***

The monitoring on the control bodies is carried out according to the regulation (EC) n. 889/2008 and has to verify:

- *The **on-going maintenance of the required standards** of the control bodies,*
- *The **effectiveness and efficiency** of the monitoring procedures,*
- *The **impartiality** and not-discriminatory habit in giving the operators the access to the system,*
- *The correct application of the provisions given for the authorization according to the standard control procedure.*

Art. 4 Organismi di Controllo

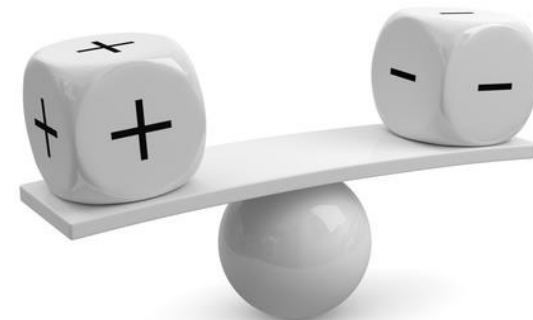
I requisiti di idoneità (comma 6 e allegato 2):

a) **Idoneità morale, imparzialità, ed assenza di conflitto di interesse** dei propri rappresentanti, degli amministratori, del personale addetto all'attività di controllo e certificazione;

b) **Adeguatezza** strutture e risorse umane;

c) **Competenza** ed esperienza delle risorse umane;

d) **Assenza di partecipazioni qualificate di operatori.**



- ✓ A professional working in the compliance assessment sector
- ✓ He must meet precise requirements about:
 - ✓ Educational level
 - ✓ Specific training (60 hrs)
 - ✓ Work experience
 - ✓ Personal skills
 - ✓ Impartiality and no evidence of conflict of interest.



- ✓ No business connection with any controlled operator on which are carried on the monitoring activities (n. 12063 06.08.2018)
- ✓ Maximun 3 consecutive verifications and two years of inability to carry out the verification on the same operator
- ✓ Qualified as subjects in charge of a public service according to art. 358 of the Criminal Code

Inspector/Auditor



What does he do?

- ✓ Carries out the verification of requirements
- ✓ In the framework of a precise certification scheme:
 - ✓ Field of application
 - ✓ System of Rules

Trained by the Control Body

Authorised by the MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE after the verification of the requirements

REG. (UE) 2018/848

The «whereas»: 124 vs 40 of the Reg. CE 834/07

- *It's confirmed the double social function*
 - *To satisfy the demand of organic products*
 - *To produce environmental goods*

- *To satisfy the consumers' expectations concerning the organic products' quality e and the satisfaction of the principles and rules established.*

- *The production connected to the soil is reaffirmed but with the openness to some cropping practices not connected to the soil, like the production of sprouted seeds of chicory and of pot ornamental plants or herbs sold directly to the consumer.*



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GROUPS OF OPERATORS

Is composed only by members who:

a) Are farmers or operators producing algae or aquaculture animals and whose activities can also include transformation, preparation and marketing of feed or food.

b1) Whose individual certification costs represent more than 2% of the income or of the standard amount of organic production of each member and whose annual income from organic production does not exceed 25 000 EUR or whose standard amount of organic production is no more than 15 000 EUR per year; or

b2) Have each one farms of max (5 ha, 0,5 for greenhouses, 15 for pastures)

Thanks for your attention

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