



# Organic farming support possibilities in Hungary between 2021-2027

# Rural renewal, agricultural renewal program (2021-2030)

Our vision: Farming is a profitable and socially recognized occupation, in an attractive rural environment, with modern technology, providing quality food with the sustainable use of natural resources.

Our mission: The Ministry of Agriculture promotes the knowledge- and technology-based competitiveness of small and medium-sized agricultural enterprises and the food industry through predictable and efficient administrative tools, in the Pannonic Basin with demographically renewable and sustainable resources.

**OK!**

**80% - national cofinancing of CAP**

**3\* funding 2021-2027 vs 2014-2020**

**36% for green future measures - 3,6 billion eurós**

Conditions necessary for the realization of our vision

Stable funding

Efficient institutions

Strategic objectives necessary for the realization of our vision



**I.A**

Economic development



**I.B**

Quality food



**II.**

Green future



**III.**

Rural renewal

# Organic agriculture and current support in Hungary

## Growth in organic production in Hungary (2012-2021) is impressive but support lead










	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Farmers	1 560	1 682	1 672	1 971	<b>3 414</b>	3 642	3 929	<b>5 136</b>	5 128	5 129
Controlled area (ha)	130 633	131 018	124 841	129 735	<b>186 322</b>	199 683	209 382	<b>303 190</b>	301 430	293 597
under transition (ha)	24 330	18 731	13 608	35 573	<b>95 023</b>	95 200	38 271	<b>117 963</b>	108 215	30 691

## CAP support for organic production in Hungary (2022-2024) involve new areas

- 290 million euros support with increased support rates (+74%)
- 3 454 supported farmers
- 156,5 thousand hectares, of which 60 thousand new hectares (under conversion)
- 50% arable land, 40% grassland, 10% orchards and vineyards
- From the 2019-2023 5 year call 1 955 farmers and 95 thousand hectares are still supported, thus **until 2023 total supported farmers are 5300 with 251 thousand hectares.**

# New greener CAP objectives (2023-2027)

## New CAP objectives 9+1

-  1. to ensure a fair income for farmers
-  2. to increase competitiveness
-  3. to improve the position of farmers in the food chain
-  4. climate change action
-  5. sustainable use of natural resources
-  6. to preserve landscapes and biodiversity
-  7. to support generational renewal
-  8. vibrant rural areas
-  9. to protect food and health quality

## Cross cutting objective- AKIS: fostering knowledge and innovation

## Green deal and CAP

- Farm2Fork strategy and Biodiversity strategy

## Objectives of Green Deal



-50% of pesticide use in agriculture



25 % organic agriculture



-50% use of antimicrobials in agriculture



Reduce nutrient loss by 50% and use of fertilisers by 20%



+10% diverse landscapes in EU

# Hungarian CAP Strategic Plan (2023-2027) green measures



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I-II. pillar:  
Increasing the  
supported area  
with green  
elements



I-II. pillar: Green  
basic  
requirements  
(conditionality)



I. pillar:  
Ecoscheme



II. Pillar: AEC,  
Organic, Natura,  
Non-productive  
areas, Genetical



II. pillar:  
Sustainable  
animal  
husbandry,  
welfare, AMR



II. pillar: Green  
investments

AKIS (training, advisory, innovation) CAP Network green support unit

# Messages to take home about Hungarian organic sector

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- Aim is to increase organic area from 300 to 500 thousand hectares (10%)
  - Impressive growth but mainly support lead – 2016 – 2019 – 2022
  - Increased CAP „area based” financing is crucial but not enough
  - Increased use of CAP market development and AKIS tools is also important
  - Economical and climate crises usually bring challenges and an opportunities
  - But 2022 is an extreme and unprecedentedly difficult year for our agriculture both in production and market situation – Need to survive this year first
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# Köszönöm a megtisztelő figyelmüket!

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