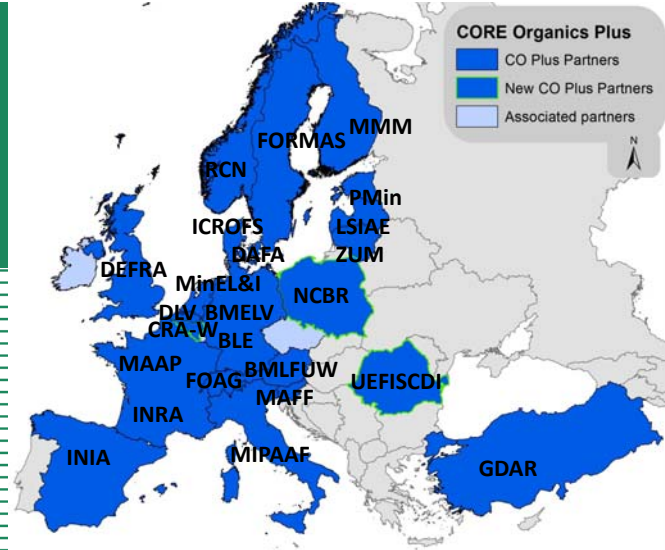




# CORE organic

**CORE Organics Plus**  
 CO Plus Partners  
 New CO Plus Partners  
 Associated partners



## Bridging researchers in organic agriculture

CORE Organic is short for Coordination of European Transnational Research in Organic Food and Farming Systems, a network designed to increase scientific cooperation between and across national research activities.

CORE Organic has existed since 2003 and has expanded to 21 countries/regions, 24 partners and the technology platform TP Organics as observer. CORE Organic is currently funded for a Plus ERA-NET by the European Commission in FP7.

## Research project dissemination

## Our vision

The Vision of CORE Organic is that the organic sector becomes a major and important example of sustainable and productive food and farming systems based on evidence from research and practice.

## Our experience

### We are most proud of...

- Partners show a very high level of flexibility, trust, support and an open transnational spirit
- We have a very dedicated management team
- All funding partners are funding projects
- We spent 94% of the allocated national funds in the Plus call
- We will prepare ready-to-use results for dissemination and possible implementation in all relevant countries to increase the impact.

**Difficulties** with national contracting in many countries! 2015 worse than ever

**Plan** to start a Cofund in 2016 – all interested funding bodies with funds for organic research are welcome to join!

## The Calls

- 2004-2007 CORE Organic ERA-NET** [www.coreorganic.org/research](http://www.coreorganic.org/research)  
 11 countries, 1 call (8.3 M€)  
 8 projects 2007-2010/11
- 2010-2013 CORE Organic II** [www.coreorganic2.org](http://www.coreorganic2.org)  
 21 countries, 3 calls (9.2 M€, 4.7 M€, 0.9 M€)  
 11 projects 2011-2014/15, 3 projects 2013-2016
- 2013-2018 CORE Organic Plus** [www.coreorganic.org](http://www.coreorganic.org)  
 21 countries/regions, 1 call (11.3 M€ incl. EU funds)  
 11 projects 2015-2017/8

## The partners



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