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Regulation (EU) 2018/848 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 30 May 2018 on organic production of agricultural products.

# Organic farming in Ukraine – Certified according to EU-organic regulation



31.12.2022: 412 organic operators (2021: 528 organic operators) - 78 %

31.12.2022: 260.000 ha (2021: 420.000 ha) – 62 %



Certification possible since August 2023. 100 companies have already been certified so far.

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## Organic farming in Ukraine – Certified according to Ukrainian organic regulation



#### LAW OF UKRAINE

On Basic Principles and Requirements for Organic Production, Circulation and Labelling of Organic Products

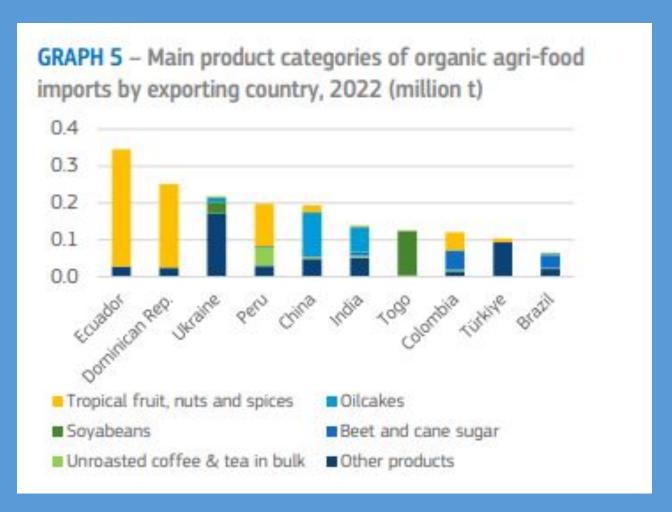
(The Official Bulletin of the Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine (BVR), 2018, No. 36, Article 275)

{As amended under Law No. 2740-VIII of 06.06.2019, BVR, 2019, No. 28, Article 116}

This Law defines core principles and requirements for organic production, circulation and labelling of organic products, principles of legal regulation of organic production, circulation of organic products and functioning of the organic product market, legal fundamentals in the activity of central executive authorities, organic market entities and state policy in these areas.



#### **Organic farming in Ukraine – Export to EU**

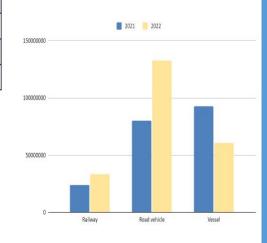


Source: EU

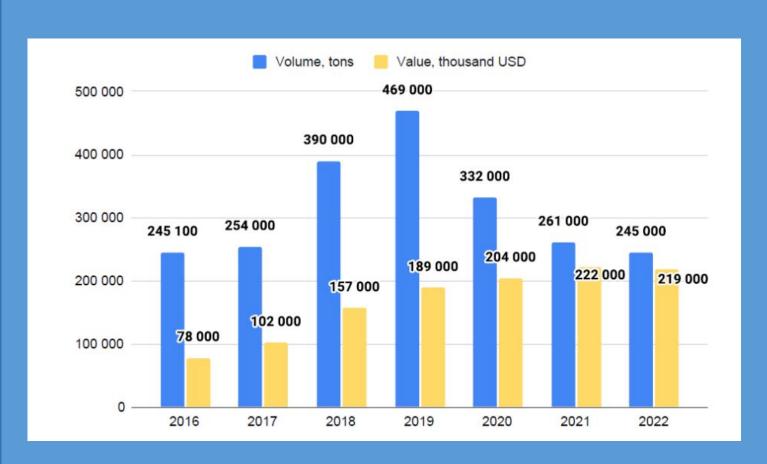
#### Organic export from Ukraine to Europe\*

Type of transport	Net weight, MT	
	2021	2022
Railway	24 022	33 162
Road vehicle	79 945	132 586
Vessel (sea+river)	92 477	60 617

Source: TRACES
\*EU+Switzerland+Norway



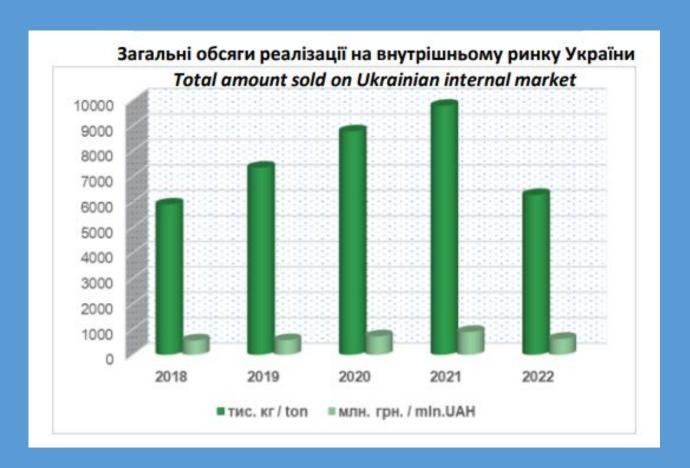
### **Organic farming in Ukraine – Export to EU**



Sources: Organic Standard



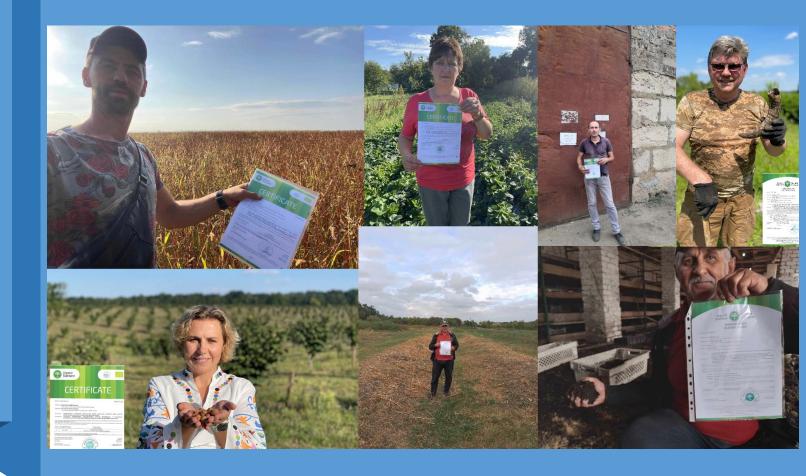
### **Organic farming in Ukraine – Internal Market**



Source: Organic Standard



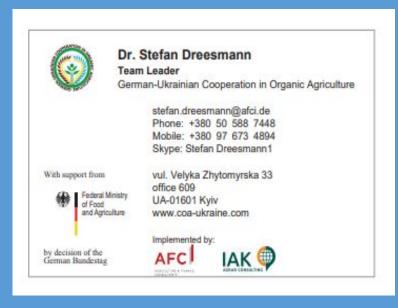
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#### **Organic farming in Ukraine – Perspectives**

Organic farming should play an important role in Ukraine now and after the end of the war. Especially through the reduced use of inputs, a holistic management approach and the integration of legumes. It thus offers solutions to the current challenges in Ukraine, for exports and for food supply in Ukraine.



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### Thank you for your attention!



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