



Cross-visit 'Circular and organic soil management'

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SOIL CIRCLE

Project Coordinator



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Application of circular economy principles to 2 pilot cultivations using Ecolabel soil improvers

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Country: Greece

**Area: Region of Central
Macedonia**

Starting date: 05/12/2022

Duration: 36 months



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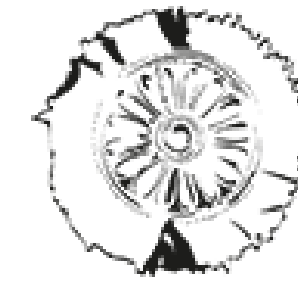


Operational Group Members

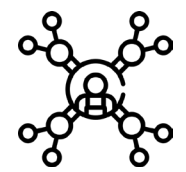
Companies



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Producers' Group

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Scope of the project

SOIL-CIRCLE aims at elaborating an Environmental Friendly Protocol to ensure the production of quality organic feedstuff, through the application of compost originated from agri-food wastes. In addition, the procedures for the certification of the compost will be developed.



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The innovation



Integrated management of agri-food bi-products and wastes.



Implementation of circular economy principles in organic feedstuff production



Ecolabel certified compost

Implementation method

4 Workpackages ➡ 9 Deliverables ➡ Duration: 36 months



The Soil-Circle protocol will be piloted on two farms of the operational group's members, and one compost producing company.

Expected results



Increasing the productivity of the organic feedstuff producing farms and improve the soil characteristics.



High added value, due to quality characteristics of both the produced feedstuff and the certified compost.



Reduction of the environmental impact of the produced feedstuff as circular economy's principles will be applied.



A protocol for the implementation of environmental friendly practices in the production of organic feedstuff



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