



Organic Farm Knowledge Newsletter

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Dear reader,

The Organic Farm Knowledge platform (organic-farmknowledge.org) provides access to a wide range of tools and resources about organic farming that can help improve production.

We want your feedback on our tools! You can **rate tools** and **discuss** organic themes and tools on the platform and on social media.

- Rate tools: from 1-5 stars, located on the right-hand side in the green box.
- To discuss tools, we offer three options: 1. Disqus: located directly on the platform, just scroll down on the tool or theme page, register and start discussing, 2. Facebook: click directly on the relevant Facebook link on the right, 3. Twitter: click on the twitter link in the same location.

We are pleased to share our eighth newsletter with you. Featured here are the latest tools, videos, events and news available on the platform. We look forward to sharing more news with you in May!

News

- Oxford real farming conference 2021 videos available: <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/news-events/news/detail/oxford-real-farming-conference-online>
- EcoAgTube – open access video platform launched: <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/news-events/news/detail/ecoagtube-open-access-video-platform-launched>
- From lab to field: video on promising new plant protection products replacing copper in organic viticulture: <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/news-events/news/detail/from->

[lab-to-field-video-on-promising-new-plant-protection-products-replacing-copper-in-organic-viticulture](https://organic-farmknowledge.org/tool/39608)

New uploads

- SMART - Sustainability Monitoring and Assessment Routine, 2016 (EN, ES, EL, CZ, DE, FI, FR, HU, IT, LI, NO): <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/tool/39608>
- RELACS project practice abstracts & video:
 - Faecal egg counts to improve worm control in organic sheep farming, 2020 (EN): <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/tool/39609>
 - Farmer Field Schools – Using peer-to-peer advisory to reduce antibiotic inputs and to improve animal health and welfare, 2018 (EN): <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/tool/39633>
 - Ecological plant protection options for grapes, complemented by our experiments on copper replacement, Video 2021 (HU with EN subtitles): <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/tool/39630>
- OK-Net EcoFeed practice abstracts:
 - Lactic acid bacteria supplements for organic broilers, 2021 (EN): <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/tool/39521>
 - Feeding silage to organic weaning piglets: diarrhoea, gastric health and growth, 2021 (EN): <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/tool/39515>
 - Establishing forage turnips in the pasture for gestating sows, 2021 (EN): <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/tool/39514>
 - Feeding silage to pigs with an automatic straw distributor, 2021 (EN): <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/tool/39513>
 - Silage as bulk feed for pigs with restricted feeding, 2021 (EN, ES): <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/tool/39511>
 - Varieties of clover in poultry ranges: feed value and feeding preference, 2021 (EN, DE): <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/tool/39505>
 - Nettles for feeding, 2021 (EN, DE): <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/tool/39138>
 - Nettle cultivation for feeding poultry, 2021 (EN, DE): <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/tool/39136>
 - Using near-infrared tools to monitor heat damage in soya bean products, 2021 (EN): <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/tool/39510>
 - Heat treatment and dehulling effects on feed value of faba beans, 2021 (EN): <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/tool/39516>
 - The potential feed value of grain tailings for poultry, 2021 (EN): <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/tool/39517>

Upcoming organic events

- Second Swiss Organic Livestock Day online on June 10th, 2021 (DE, FR): <https://organic-farmknowledge.org/news-events/news/detail/2nd-swiss-organic-livestock-day-online-in-june-2021>

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