PROJECT ACTIVITIES

Activity	Year 1 (3/2015-2/2016)				Year 2 (3/2016-2/2017)				Year 3 (3/2017-2/2018)			
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
1.1.1.1. Completion of Melikoleg's seminar facilities incl. processing at the project site												
1.1.1.2. Setting-up of a demonstrational apiary at the project site												
1.1.1.3. Installation of an integrated station for weather and nectar supply monitoring												
1.1.1.4. Renovation work in and at the School building for the project's purposes												
1.1.1.5. Establishing of an isolated mating station for controlled bee queen fecundation (year 1: preparation, year 2 and 3: exploitation)												
1.1.1.6. Arrangement of a demonstrational orchard of melliferous plants at the project site												
1.1.1.7. Installation of an own Website for the Competence Center												
1.1.2.1. Seminar on Varroa control and bee health												
1.1.2.2. Workshop on sustainable reproduction (bee colony increase)												
1.1.2.3. Seminar on innovative natural beekeeping methods												
1.1.2.4a. Course on genetic selection and bee queen raising methods, theoretical part												
1.1.2.4b. Course on genetic selection and bee queen raising methods, practical part												
1.1.3. Consulting of Romanian Beekeepers on best beekeeping practice												
1.1.4.1. Preparation and publication of a brochure on organic methods of Varroa control												
1.1.4.2. Edition and printing of a brochure on innovative natural beekeeping methods for Romania												
1.1.4.3. Edition and printing of a brochure on queen raising for Romania												
1.2.1. Practical course for organic beekeeping beginners in Romania a) theoretical part												
1.2.1. Practical course for organic beekeeping beginners in Romania b) practical part												
1.2.2.1. Expert consulting of Romanian Beekeepers on issues of conversion to organic beekeeping and certification												

1.2.2.2. Training of organic beekeeping advisors from other beekeeping centers of Romania at the project site												
1.2.3. Preparation and publication of a brochure for organic beekeeping beginners in Romania (preliminary online-version in 1st quarter of year 1, periodic updates; final edition and print of final version in the 4th quarter of year 3)												
1.3.1.1. Foundation of the National Organic Beekeeping Association incl. regional groups												
1.3.1.2. Website for the national organic beekeepers association and its regional groups												
1.3.2. Study visits within Romania												
1.4.1. Study visits of Romanian Organic beekeepers to FiBL and Swiss Organic Beekeepers												
1.4.2. Presentation of the project, the partnership and CEAS at the 4th World Conference on organic beekeeping, Argentina 2016												
2.1.1. Installation of a processing unit for high-quality Romanian organic bee products at the project site												
2.1.2. Organic certification of the processing unit for organic bee products at the project site												
2.1.3. processing of organic bee product raw material from the benefitting organic beekeepers												
2.2.1. joint marketing activities - markets and fairs, organic and natural products' retail shops in Romania, online-shop, promotion (advertisements, distribution of samples)												
2.2.2.1. joint marketing activities abroad - linkage at Biofach												
2.2.2.2. joint marketing activities abroad - linkage in Switzerland												
3.1.1. guided tours on the project site for tourists, groups of the general public and other visitors of the region												
3.1.2.1. Participatory events "Bee days" for children												
3.1.2.2. Participatory events "Bee days" for blind/deaf and handicapped people												
3.1.2.3. Participatory 1-week event "Şcoala altfel"												
4.1. Round table for stakeholders												
4.2. Mid-term event with Movie presentation ("MORE THAN HONEY" or other thematic), in presence of a film team member (requested)												
4.3. Closing event across target groups (organic beekeeping community and general public) with special interest guest												