

Networks in support of **rural Europe**

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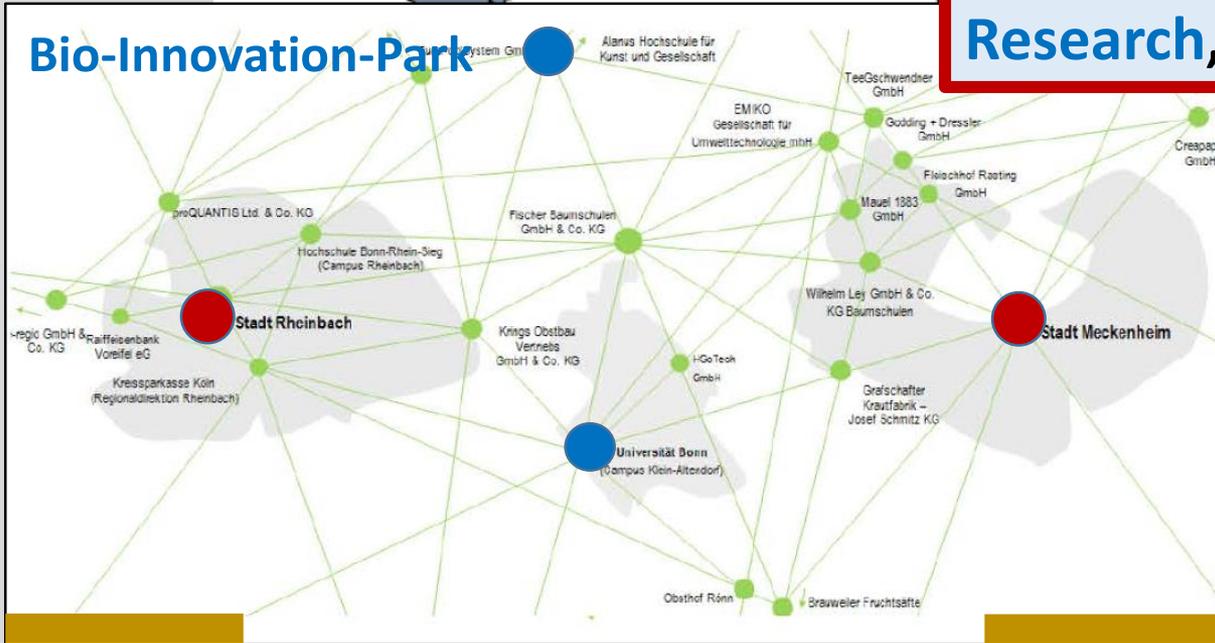
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Networks in support of rural Europe

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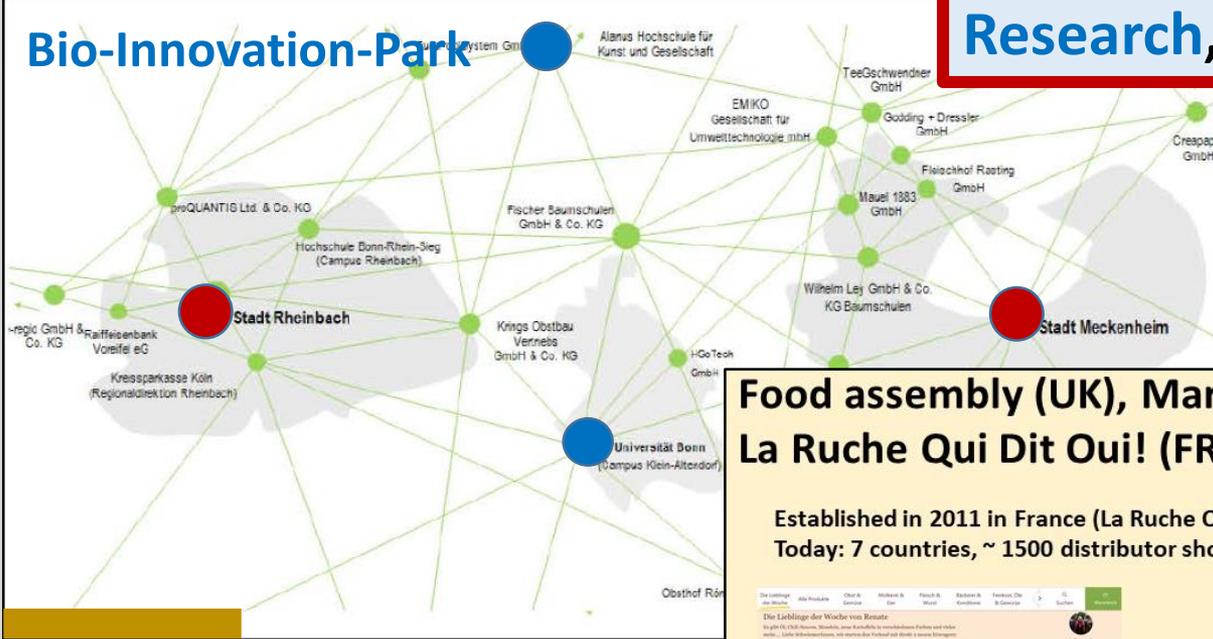
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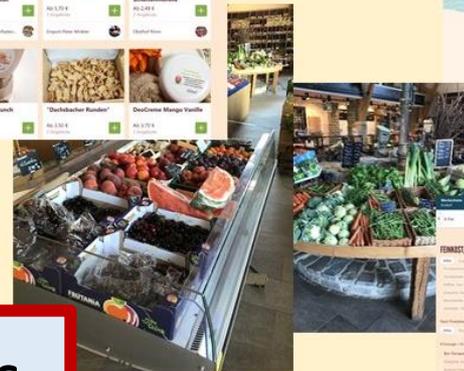
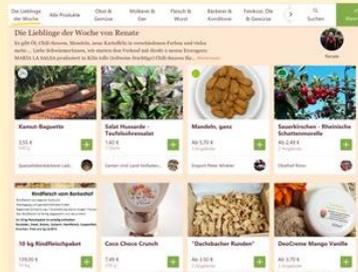


Food assembly (UK), Marktschwaermer (DE)

La Ruche Qui Dit Oui! (FR)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DOjc_7XXAJ0

Established in 2011 in France (La Ruche Qui Dit Oui!),
Today: 7 countries, ~ 1500 distributor shops, ~ 100.000 users, ~ 1100 producers



Who: Farmers + Consumers

How to characterize/find Networks

RUPAMO project matrix

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Sectors
/focus

Countries

Properties

Typology

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How to characterize/find Networks

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RUBIZMO project matrix

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- Improving information/knowledge
- Improving market access
- Improving production development
- Improving shared values for regional development

Impact

Cooperation

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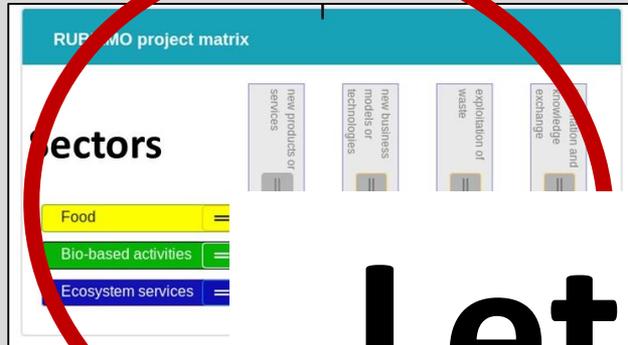
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Let's start
with tool



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Who is interested to know:

- **Policy:** Models for rural development
- **Initiators:** Finding network models
- **Networks:** Finding network partners
- **Enterprises:** Finding networks to join
- **Research:** Analysing criteria of success

The search platform

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3 Search opportunities:

→ **Matrix (1)**

→ **Countries (2a)**

→ **Properties (2b)**

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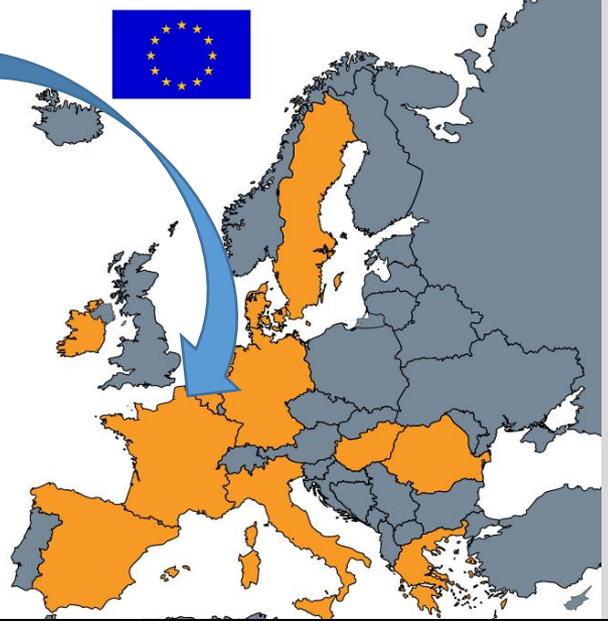
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Select networks from Sweden

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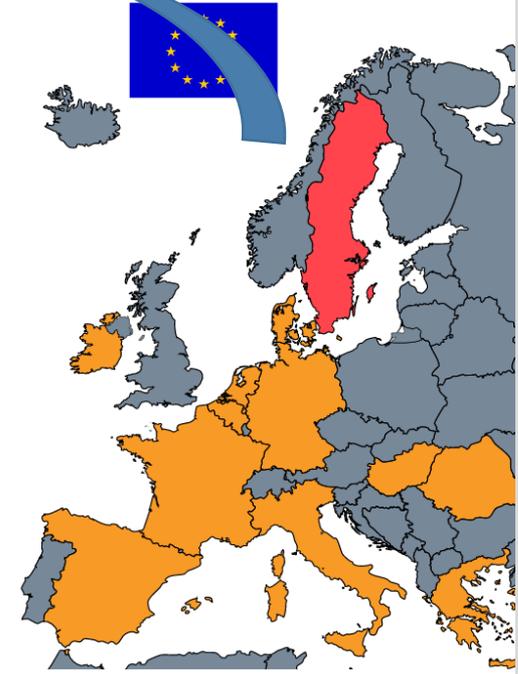
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3 networks selected for comparison

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- Skane Food Innovation Network (SFIN)
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Other countries could be added

Option: Allocation of networks in countries

Select networks (if too many) for detailed analysis

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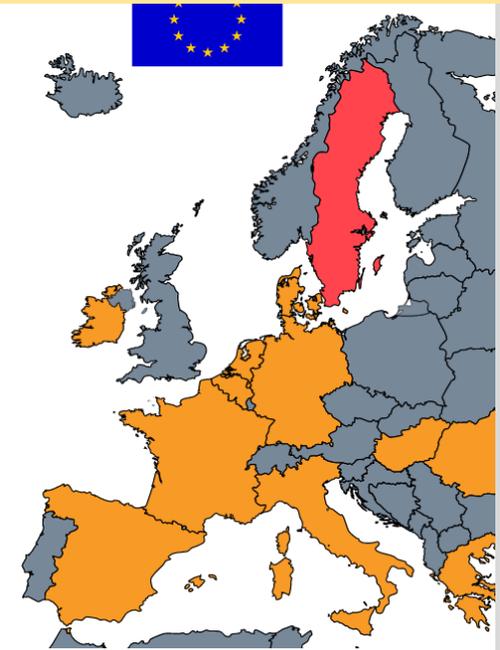
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Overview on selected networks



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Detailed information

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The right side of the image shows a detailed view of the 'WagrAlim' project:

WagrAlim

Description: WagrAlim is a public-private funded regional network, developed in 2006 through the initiative of the Walloon regional government. It aims at fostering the competitiveness of enterprises in the food industry and at increasing business activities and employment in the sector by bringing enterprises together, developing the spirit of innovation, improving the profitability of food chains and encouraging the positioning of enterprises in growing markets. It counts at the moment 187 members, half of which being research centers and universities and half of which being food SMEs.

Contact:
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Rue Auguste Piccard 20
6041 Gosseries
Belgium
+32 (0) 71 99 286

Further Information:
<https://www.wagrAlim.be>

Network Profile:

Cooperation type	
<input type="checkbox"/> Enterprises	
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Further information

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Menu ▾

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Summary printout about favorite network (example)

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
External								
Internet	4	1=none; 5=5G	2	3	1	n/a	n/a	
Public transport	3	1=none; 5=frequent	1	3	2	n/a	n/a	
Roads	4	1=gravel; 5=highway	3	3	0	n/a	n/a	
Service environment	4	1=poor; 5=exceptionel	1	3	2	n/a	n/a	
Attractive environment	3	1=poor; 5=exceptionel	3	3	0	n/a	n/a	
Internal								
Marketing knowledge	4	1=poor; 5=perfect	2	3	1	n/a	n/a	
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Engagement of employees	5	1= poor; 5=very high	5	3	-2	Offering bonus payments	2	<= 100.000
Access to new customer group	4	1= none; 5=perfect	4	3	-1	Hiring marketing group	3	<= 100.000
Proximity to new customers	3	1=close; 5=outside region	4	3	-1	Improving online communication and house delivery services	4	<= 500.000
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Log in

[Forgot your password?](#)

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- **Open for general use mid 2020**
- **Status: number of networks 70**
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