

Organic farming - Survey

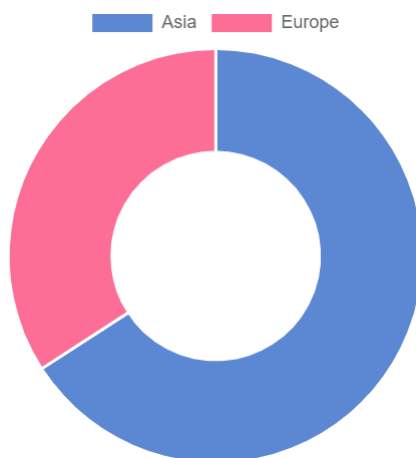
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Where are you from?

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Value	Frequency	Percentage
Asia	27	61.36
Europe	14	31.82

What is your age?

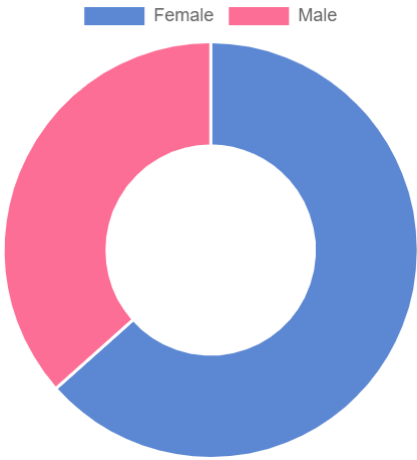
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Mean	Median	Mode	Standard deviation
26.50	18.00	16.00	14.85

What is your gender?

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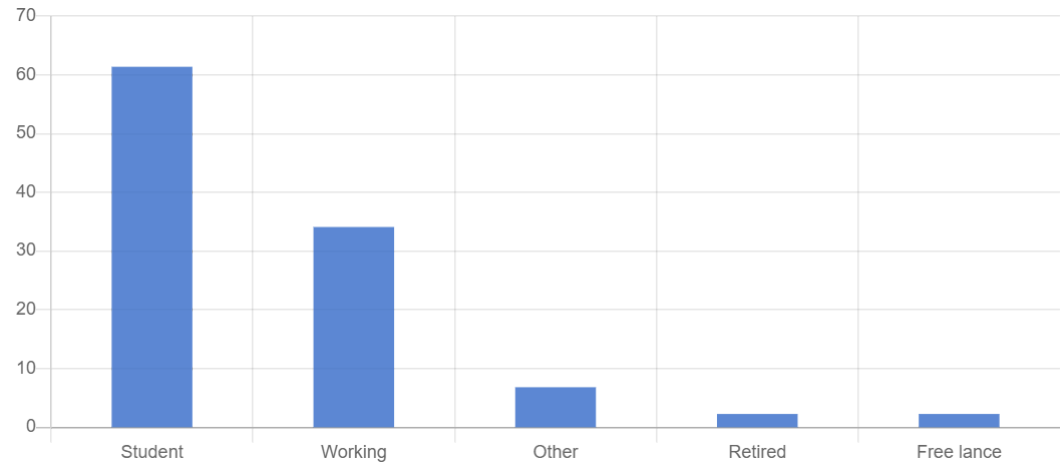
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Value	Frequency	Percentage
Female	26	59.09
Male	15	34.09

What do you do?

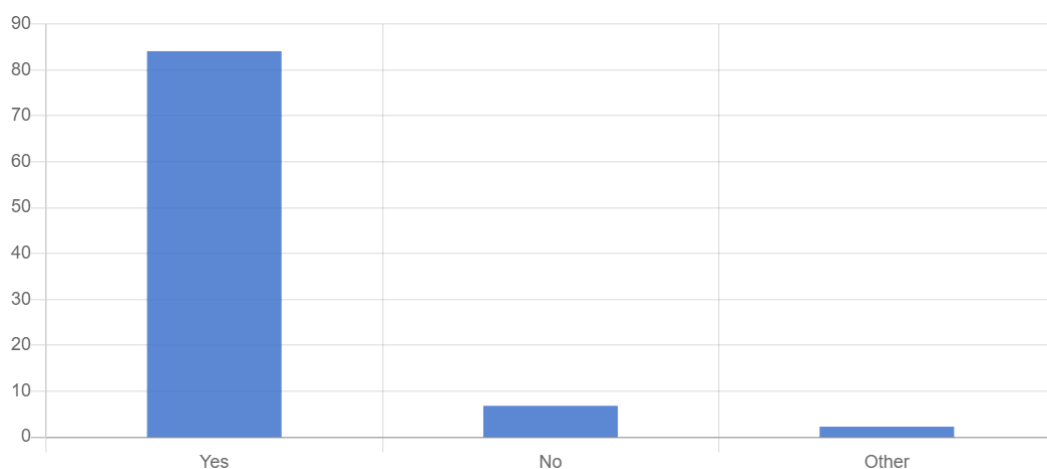
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Value	Frequency	Percentage
Student	27	61.36
Working	15	34.09
Other	3	6.82
Retired	1	2.27
Free lance	1	2.27

Do you think that organic farming is useful?

TYPE: "SELECT_ONE". 41 out of 44 respondents answered this question. (3 were without data.)



Value	Frequency	Percentage
Yes	37	84.09
No	3	6.82
Other	1	2.27

Can you tell us why you chose that?

TYPE: "TEXT". 34 out of 44 respondents answered this question. (10 were without data.)

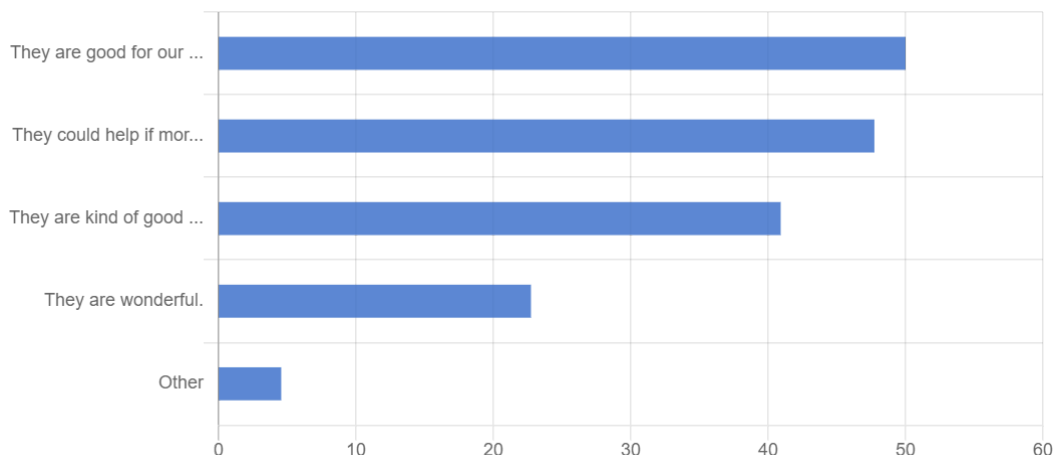
Value	Frequency	Percentage
I think it is important to protect the landscape and the soil.	1	2.27
Harmful to health	1	2.27
Because its more healthy and reliable.	1	2.27
Its better for the planet	1	2.27
Because it's sustainable for the environment, and doesn't yield less than conventional farming.	1	2.27
No chemicals are used as fertilizers and insecticide	1	2.27
Good for health	1	2.27
It's better for the soil and the crops. And we are also not putting chemicals in our food	1	2.27
No poison invoved	1	2.27
Because we can produce food without using chemical fertilisers	1	2.27
no	1	2.27
because the way it works would help the whole nation to change the way they work on farming	1	2.27
they use chemicals for their fruits, which can not be absorbed in the soil.	1	2.27
because it uses organic fertilizers rather than artificial ones that are less harmful to the soil	1	2.27
It's against the natur	1	2.27
they are good for our environment	1	2.27
it provides better quality food.	1	2.27
More food with lesser side effects	1	2.27
good for health	1	2.27
It's good for the environment	1	2.27
More healthy.Nothing great to worry about.	1	2.27
it reduces a lot of things such as the use of chemical fertilizers thus helping us move one step closer to protecting our dear earth.	1	2.27
Because it is good for health and is considered as a part of the organic way of living in accordance with the environment.	1	2.27

Because organic farming does not have so many hard impacts on our environment.	1	2.27
It reduce pollution, conserve water, reduce soil erosion, increase soil fertility, and use less energy.	1	2.27
Organic is more sustainable for our environment	1	2.27
it is the most effective and healthy and environment-friendly way of farming	1	2.27
Organic farming is useful because it prevents the use and consumption of various chemicals like pesticides, insecticides, etc.	1	2.27
fertilizer & pesticide are not good for human, animal, water	1	2.27
pursuing long-term rather than short-term goals, with respect for the entire ecosystem, soil, water, climate	1	2.27
Its healthy	1	2.27
Organic farming is really environment friendly. It does not cause any harm to the soil. We will get fresh fruits and vegetables which are very healthy for us.	1	2.27
It practices to reduce pollution, conserve water, reduce soil erosion, increase soil fertility, and use less energy.	1	2.27
because we can reduce the use of pesticides and reduce the chance of causing dangerous diseases	1	2.27

What are your thoughts on olden/ancient organic farming methods that our forefathers used for agriculture?

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Value	Frequency	Percentage
They are good for our environment.	22	50
They could help if more research was done on them.	21	47.73
They are kind of good but a little time consuming.	18	40.91
They are wonderful.	10	22.73
Other	2	4.55

If you chose 'other' , then please tell us about your thoughts.

TYPE: "TEXT". 2 out of 44 respondents answered this question. (42 were without data.)

Value	Frequency	Percentage
Physical exertion lead to a healthy lifestyle and also preserve the available resources for the future.	1	2.27
perhaps they are "less bad" & nearer to the nature	1	2.27

What are your thoughts on the harmful effects on our environment due to harsh/unsustainable farming methods?

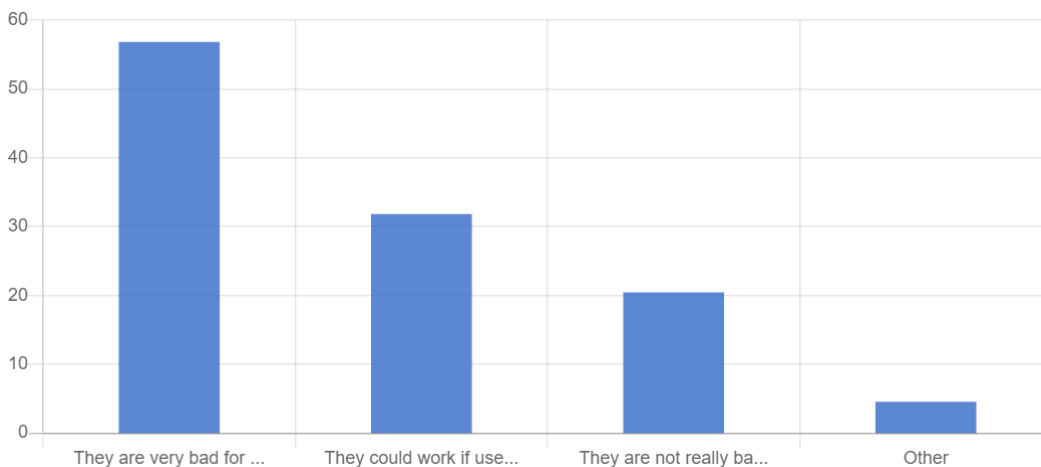
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Value	Frequency	Percentage
I think that more research and development should be put into the harsh and unsustainable farming methods. These older methods cause various types of pollution especially soil pollution thereby degrading the nature of the soil.	1	2.27
Use of chemical fertilizers spoil the soil fertility as well as harmful to the entire mankind	1	2.27
We are losing soil and soil fertility, and also it is leading to pollution	1	2.27
We can see the side effects all around us	1	2.27
The harmful farming has to be stopped!	1	2.27
Unsustainable farming methods mainly results from pesticide contamination, waterlogging and salting.	1	2.27
Erosion of soil, depletion of the fertile layer of soil, harmful pesticides and insecticides bring a bad impact on human health and life.	1	2.27
it's negative	1	2.27
It diminishes further use of the farmland thereby hindering future generations from having a chance to utilize it properly	1	2.27
Degradation of Land,Deforestation,Biodiversity,Pest Problem,etc.	1	2.27
The damages Mother Nature is dealing with is very large.The harsh farming methods increases soil and water pollution.Hence they should be stopped and replaced by better methods	1	2.27
they ruin the whole ecosystem either directly or indirectly	1	2.27
Excessive use of pesticides and chemicals pose a real danger to life on Earth. It could even wipe away many threatened species and there could be a WW3 for pure drinking water.	1	2.27
pollution of the environment	1	2.27
Its destroying human life	1	2.27
reduced fertility	1	2.27
These destroy the living soil, poisons people and animals, and only yields enough if artificial fertilizer and pesticides are constantly applied.	1	2.27
it causes pollution and degrades the natural process	1	2.27
5 min win - 5 year problems	1	2.27

These are the main reasons that the fertility of our soil is getting depleted	1	2.27
I don't have an opinion on that	1	2.27
soil erosion and pollution, resulting in loss of nutrients in the soil.	1	2.27
we should never do anything that destroys our nature.i always suggest to have environment friendly methods .	1	2.27
It's very very bad, because if we would stop using those, the environment wouldn't suffer form it... of course.	1	2.27
Slowly it will destroy our earth and environment	1	2.27
The fertilizer can get into water, which is drunk by animals but also by humans. This is harmful and unhealthy, and in the case of fish even fatal.	1	2.27
it increases pollution which is unacceptable in a growing country like ours	1	2.27
It makes the soil unfertile and we make earth more hostile to future generations.	1	2.27
achieving maximum yields at the expense of sustainability does not make sense	1	2.27

What are your thoughts on chemical fertilizers?

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Value	Frequency	Percentage
They are very bad for the environment.	25	56.82
They could work if used in a sustainable manner.	14	31.82
They are not really bad just overused	9	20.45
Other	2	4.55

Is there any ancient organic farming methods that your country has?

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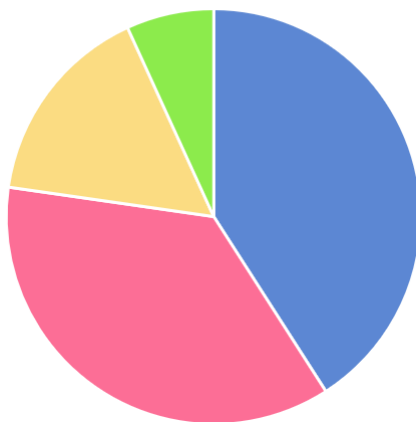
Value	Frequency	Percentage
yes	3	6.82
I don't know	2	4.55
Yes. Mixed Farming, Organic Fertilisers using plant products.	1	2.27
Primitive Subsistence Farming/Slash and Burn Method	1	2.27
ploughing	1	2.27
Cow Dung as fertilizer, Rain Water Harvesting	1	2.27
practices such as mixed farming, mixed cropping and crop rotation are practiced in India.	1	2.27
compost manure	1	2.27
Even today one still fertilizes with cow dung and liquid manure.	1	2.27
Yes.Strip farming	1	2.27
For some areas the grass has to get mown manually.	1	2.27
ploughing,oxing...	1	2.27
Yes, Switzerland has many small ecologically diverse regions divided by mountains! E.g.,in the south are steep chestnut forests used by pastoralists to fatten sheep and goats. In high valleys there were and are old terraces of rye and barley; there were no artificial fertilizers at the time, only manure from cows, sheep. In the midlands many fruit trees were grown „naturally“ as they call it, trees affected by fungus are burned, the „wormy“ fruit left for animals or compost. Most trees were selected for natural resistance. etc.	1	2.27
Mixed cropping, high-stem fruit trees, there might be others but I don't know them - that's a hard question!	1	2.27
Yes ladies culture is agriculture.	1	2.27
Organic farming in India promotes the use of crop rotations and cover crops, and encourages balanced host/predator relationships. The organic residues and nutrients produced in the farm are recycled back to the soil. Cover crops and composted manure are used to maintain soil organic matter and fertility.	1	2.27
Yes, some	1	2.27
Our forefathers used cow dung as manure	1	2.27
I literally dont know.	1	2.27

ploughing the soil with ox driven carts	1	2.27
We have organic farmers but I am not sure about ancient methods.	1	2.27
primitive subsistence farming	1	2.27
Yes	1	2.27
don't know	1	2.27

What do you think about the farming methods used in your country? ...

TYPE: "SELECT_MULTIPLE". 39 out of 44 respondents answered this question. (5 were without data.)

My country has reasona... My country/state is tr... They are very bad /har... Other



Value	Frequency	Percentage
My country has reasonably good farming methods which don't harm the environment to a large extent.	18	40.91
My country/state is trying to use more sustainable methods.	16	36.36
They are very bad /harmful towards the environment.	7	15.91
Other	3	6.82

If you chose 'other' then please tell us about your country's farming methods.

TYPE: "TEXT". 3 out of 44 respondents answered this question. (41 were without data.)

Value	Frequency	Percentage
There are legal limits defined in laws, but these are not enforced (farmer, etc. lobby) so you can find traces of fertilizer, pesticide and fungicide in the water and the soil - that's not ok and not good.	1	2.27
We have both: chemical fertilization and biological fertilization. It's always a question of quantity. But as far as I know, it's also strictly controlled. For example, there are ground controls by the state. We have a department of agriculture.	1	2.27
There is a movement and a referendum for less use of pesticides, such as Glyphosate, a politically sensitive topic, farmers fear less income. (Switzerland is not in the EU but adopts some guidelines). Cancer causing pesticides are being discovered in drinking water, causing public outcry. An ongoing process!	1	2.27