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## agaSAAT – Press Release

**Biofach 2026 took place on 10-13th February in Nuremberg. This year’s theme was “Growing Tomorrow: Young Voices, Bold Visions!”. How to make food systems resilient and future-proof was the topic of over 170 sessions, panel discussions involving market and political players, presentations showcasing expertise and best-practice examples, trends, innovations and start-ups.**

This year’s meeting of the international organic sector was geared towards the “next generation of organic stakeholders who are committed to embracing and advocating for the relevance of organic farming from farm to fork without compromise along the value chain”, as stated in the opening press conference.

Around 2,200 exhibitors from almost 90 countries attended Biofach 2026, which saw just shy of 32,000 trade visitors, half of whom travelled from abroad. The fair successfully reached its target audience and prompted in-depth discussions between producers, distributors, policy-makers and stakeholders.

### **Nuremberg: the organic city**

Castle, bratwurst, organic – with these three words, Marcus König, Lord Mayor of the Franconian metropolis, summed up his city’s close partnership with the international organic trade fair. Nuremberg first hosted the leading trade fair for organic food back in 1990.

The welcoming address has evolved over the years and now is very much in line with European agricultural policy led by the ideals of organic farming.

But if the EU’s target of 25% organic land by 2030 is to be met, a structural shift will be needed. The figure currently stands at 11%. The EU subsidises every hectare of organic farmland with on average €184, amounting to a total of €14.5 billion over this legislative period. EU agricultural policy is said to be “green by definition” and eco farming a win-win strategy for the environment, agriculture and consumers.

Strengthening and developing the domestic, ecological farming and food industry is the primary aim of the German Federal Organic Farming Scheme (BÖL), established in 2001 by the Federal Office for Agriculture and Food (BLE).



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## agaSAAT GmbH

agaSAAT GmbH is also committed to supporting and promoting regional agriculture. Over the past 10 years, we have continued to develop regional and local, sustainable cultivation. This means that we can offer our customers an alternative to conventionally imported raw materials.

Whether that's pumpkin seeds from the Lower Rhine, linseed from BENELUX or blue poppy from Germany, domestic farming offers a wide range of possibilities and is an excellent way to secure your raw materials supply.

We can even offer some sustainably and locally grown spices such as coriander or caraway .

Why not discover the added value of local agriculture and support local farmers. The agaSAAT team are on hand to help you make the switch.

### NEW FOR 2026

**agaSAAT sets new standards in cleaning, mixing & product safety**  
**Combined cleaning & mixing line with AI-assisted foreign object detection**

#### **Efficient. Precise. Future-proof**

Our new integrated cleaning and mixing line combines mechanical pre-cleaning, precise mixing technology, the optional addition of liquids and AI-based foreign object detection (optical sorter & X-ray) all in one continuous process.

Everything in one line for maximum process safety

- **Multi-stage cleaning – sieving, aspiration, separation and metal separation for optimum raw material purity**
- **AI-assisted foreign object detection using the optical sorter & X-ray combi system**
- **Reliable cleaning – safely removes stones, glass, metal & other unwanted materials**
- **Precise mixing technology with the addition of liquids – integrated dosing of aromas, oils or functional liquids**

Our new line combines mechanical precision, digital intelligence and flexible recipe technology to give you raw materials that are clean, uniform, proven to be safe – **and naturally organic!**