



Overview of Organic Exchange's Activities in Africa

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Achievements since the annual meeting in Utrecht 2006

- Contact with organic cotton initiatives & contact point,
- Challenges and priorities identification,
- Developing proposals to address challenges,
- Data collection for supply chain mapping (Burkina, Benin, Tanzania and Uganda),





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- Assistancess to projects: market information, project planning...
- Contribution to the capacity building of farmers' and their organizations,
- Capacity building of field officers to improve farmers' training methods,
- Working group on "organic cotton from Africa"



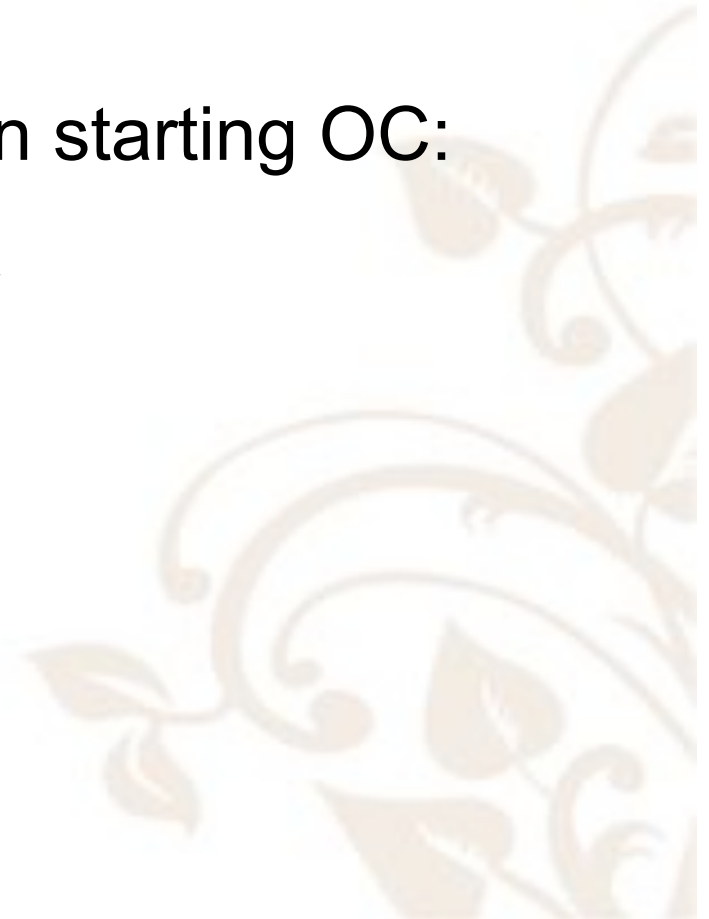
Regional meeting 2007

- 45% growth of organic cotton production. Sustainability?
- Sustainable pricing (production, living and development),
- Key Performance Indicators (KPIs)
- “organic cotton from Africa”. As Raw material or products?
- Local processing and regional market. retailers.
- working group reinforced by new volunteers.



New production projects and initiatives

- South Africa with WWSA and Malawi
- Countries interested in starting OC:
Gambia, Madagascar





THANKS FOR YOUR ATTENTION

