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Latvian Food Bioeconomy Cluster – boosting the development of regional knowledge-based bioeconomy innovation ecosystem







LATVIAN FOOD BIOECONOMY CLUSTER (LFBC) is a triple-helix cluster organization, one of the most developed and internationally active bioeconomy clusters in the Baltic countries.

The vision of the cluster is to become a key food bioeconomy innovation hub in Latvia.

The objectives of the cluster are:

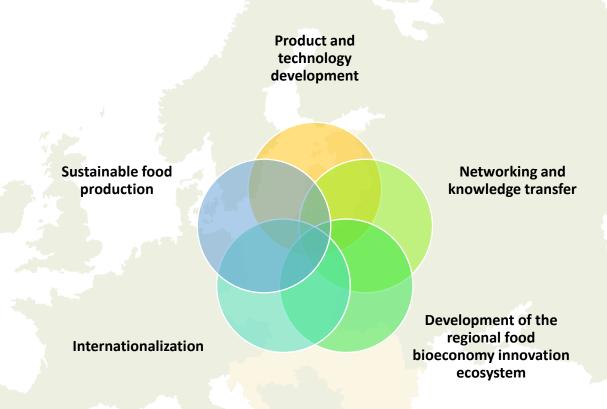
- To promote the sustainable production, processing, and consumption of healthy, high-quality, and safe food.
- To develop knowledge-based food bioeconomy innovations.
- To promote scientific and industrial cooperation both locally and internationally.





Priority areas of the cluster









Members of the cluster





















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Development of the cluster 2010 - 2021



Cluster development



First transnational cooperation projects are started

Cooperation agreement for the development of Vidzeme high added value and healthy food cluster

32 network participants

15 members from industry, R&D, and public sector

Development plan for the



3/5/2021

Product and technology development







Internal new product development workshop



Product development workshop in Denmark, together with Danish and Swedish companies



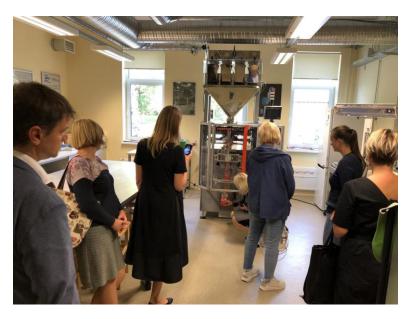
Networking and knowledge transfer







Latvian ICT cluster companies visit food producer «Dimdiņi» — transfer of the knowledge of the industry digitalization



Member companies visiting Research infrastructures in the Latvia University of Life Sciences and Technologies



Internationalization







Workshop on sustainable food packaging in Denmark, organized together with VIFU (DK)



Visiting
Packbridge
cluster in
Sweden



Visiting organic drinks producers in France





Development of the regional bioeconomy innovation ecosystem







Cluster board member companies are presenting their circular bioeconomy practices to the regional stakeholders and ambassadors from Nordic countries to Latvia



Regional Bioeconomy Forums

Development of the regional knowledge-based bioeconomy innovation ecosystem action plan



Thank you for your attention!





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