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# Organic Farming in New Caledonia



Organic farming covers 2% of agricultural production in New Caledonia in the sectors of plant production: subsistence farming widely represented in the North Province and in the Loyalty Islands Province; and animal production: beef sector, beekeeping production and food processing.



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Organic farming in New Caledonia is 10 years old. Since 2009, the Bio Calédonia association has supported producers wishing to label their agricultural production and food processing products.

Recognized by the Government in 2017 as the *Organization for the Defence and Management of the Bio Pasifika label*, Bio Calédonia actively participates in the development of organic farming in New Caledonia by issuing the only organic farming label present in the territory.

In 10 years, the association has grown from 0 to more than 100 producers whose productions are labelled in organic farming.



### Organic Production 2019

**Vegetables: 131 tonnes**

**Fruits: 72 tonnes.**

**Tubbers: 39 tonnes.**

**Eggs: 19 tonnes.**

**Meet: 10 tonnes.**

**Honey: 10 tonnes.**

Institutions and partners, associative or private, are united in their desire to see the development of organic farming in New Caledonia, to meet strong consumer demand for healthy local fresh products whose traceability is guaranteed.