

1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (DE) ¹

**Abschlussprüfung im staatlich anerkannten Ausbildungsberuf
Landwirt und Landwirtin**

¹ in original language

2. TRANSLATED TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (EN) ¹

Final examination in the state-recognized training occupation Farmer

¹ This translation has no legal status.

3. PROFILE OF SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

- Work with and cultivate soil
- Purchase and cultivate crops and manage cultures
- Harvest and use plant products
- Care for work animals
- Make use of animals
- Participate in the marketing of agricultural products
- Understand market-related relationships and process business transactions
- Plan, carry out, evaluate and document work processes
- Source and use appliances, machines and operating equipment
- Help shape social relations both inside and outside the company
- Initiate health and safety at work measures
- Initiate measures to ensure cost-effectiveness, environmental protection and sustainability.

4. RANGE OF OCCUPATIONS ACCESSIBLE TO THE HOLDER OF THE CERTIFICATE ¹

Farmers work at agricultural companies of varying sizes and cultivation methods in crop farming and animal husbandry. They also work at companies providing agricultural services, for example agricultural contractors, agricultural trade and in breeding organisations,.

¹ if applicable

*** Explanatory notes**

The Certificate supplement provides additional information about the certificate and does not have any legal status in itself. Its format is based on the Decision (EU) 2018/646 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 April 2018 on a common framework for the provision of better services for skills and qualifications (Europass) and repealing Decision No 2241/2004/EC.

5. OFFICIAL BASIS OF THE CERTIFICATE

<p>Name and status of the body awarding the certificate</p> <p>competent body for vocational education and training in agriculture</p>	<p>Name and status of the national/regional authority providing accreditation/recognition of the certificate</p> <p>competent body for vocational education and training in agriculture</p>
<p>Level of the certificate (national or international)</p> <p>ISCED 354 This qualification corresponds to Level 4 of the German and European Qualifications Framework; cf. publication from 1 August 2013 (BAnz AT 20/11/2013 B2).</p>	<p>Grading scale / Pass requirements</p> <p>100-92 points = 1 = excellent 91 - 81 points = 2 = good 80 - 67 points = 3 = average 66 - 50 points = 4 = pass 49 - 30 points = 5 = poor 29 - 0 points = 6 = fail</p> <p>A total of at least 50 grade points are required to pass the examination.</p>
<p>Access to next level of education / training</p> <p>Master Agriculturalist Agricultural business economist in the relevant specialisms State-certified agricultural economist in the relevant specialisms (Bachelor Professional in Agriculture) State certified manager in the relevant specialisms (Bachelor Professional in Agriculture) State-certified technician in the relevant specialisms (Bachelor Professional in Technology) State-certified business economist in the relevant specialisms (Bachelor Professional in Business)</p>	<p>International agreements</p> <p>In the field of vocational training, joint declarations on the comparability of qualifications obtained in the respective vocational training systems have been signed on the basis of bilateral agreements concluded between Germany and France and between Germany and Austria and between Germany and Switzerland.</p>
<p>Legal basis</p> <p>Ordinance on Initial Vocational Education and Training in the Occupation of Farmer of 01/31/1995 (Federal Law Gazette, Part I, nr 8, p 168) Resolution of the Standing Conference of the Ministers of Education and Cultural Affairs of the Länder in the Federal Republic of Germany (KMK) of 27.10.1994 (Federal Gazette AT 06.07.1995 124a) amendment ordinance of 23.05.2017 (Federal Law Gazette, Part I, p 1228)</p>	

6. OFFICIALLY RECOGNISED WAYS OF ACQUIRING THE CERTIFICATE

<p>Final examination administered by the competent body:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. after completion of dual training in a company/ training organisation and at part-time vocational school (normal procedure) 2. after retraining in a recognized training occupation 3. as an external examination for working people without formal vocational qualifications or persons who have been trained at full-time vocational schools or other vocational training institutions
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7. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

<p>Entry requirements: Entry requirements are not governed by legislation; as a rule, young people are admitted after completing (nine or ten years of) general education.</p> <p>Duration of training: 3 years</p> <p>Training in the "dual system": The knowledge, skills and competences delivered in a training occupation are based on the typical requirements of work processes and prepare the trainees for a specific job as well as for further qualifications.</p> <p>The training is provided in a company/ training organisation and at vocational school: Trainees spend 75% of the duration of training in the company. Here they acquire practical skills in a real working environment. Trainees complete 25% of training time in vocational school where they are taught general and vocational knowledge as it relates to their training occupation.</p> <p>More information is available at: www.berufenet.de www.europass-info.de</p>
