

APEDA participated in BIOFACH 2023 under INDIA pavilion at an area of approx. 365 sq.mtrs. Mr. Prashant Waghmare, Deputy General Manager & Mrs. Shobana Kumar, Assistant General Manager represented APEDA along with 9 no. of exporters in the pavilion. List of exporters are detailed below.

- M/s. Sarwam Organics Pvt. Ltd.,Karnataka
- M/s. Prerana Industries, Karnataka
- M/s. Pratithi Organics Foods Pvt Ltd, Haryana
- M/s. Organic India Pvt Ltd, Uttar Pradesh
- M/s. Suminter India Organics Pvt Ltd., Mumbai
- M/s. G. T. Brothers and Co., J&K
- M/s. Shivang Exports, Rajasthan
- M/s. Star Global Multi Ventures Pvt Ltd., New Delhi
- M/s. Okayti Tea Company Ltd., West Bengal

In the pavilion a separate meeting room was made available for APEDA officials to conduct meetings with VIPs. To facilitate exporters to have meetings with stakeholders, separate meeting area was constructed in the pavilion. Officials from Karnataka and Assam State govt., exporters were able to conduct meetings regularly with the stakeholders in the area specified during the fair.

IYOM 2023: International Year of Millets-IYoM (2023) is being celebrated with an objective to raise awareness on the nutritional and health benefits of millet consumption and their suitability for cultivation under adverse and changing climatic conditions. The objective also draw focus for enhanced investments in R&D and extension services related to millets.

To popularize Indian millets and its value added products globally, APEDA formulated a strategy to promote export promotion by participating in International Trade Fairs during the year 2023. Accordingly, during BIOFACH 2023, APEDA created a special pavilion to showcase millet & millet value added products along with other certified organic products. Short films on Indian Organic and millets were put on big screen to play continuously for information of stakeholders.

Inauguration: The APEDA stall was inaugurated by Mr. Mohit Yadav, Consul General, Embassy of India, Munich on 14th February 2023. The Consul General on interaction with APEDA officials on India's trade with Germany highlighted the opportunities available for certified Indian products in German markets, also suggested APEDA to have continued participation with more number of participants.



Inauguration of APEDA pavilion by Mr. Mohit Yadav, Consul General Embassy of India, Munich, Germany The Consul General went around the pavilion, interacted with all the exporters and informed them about the opportunities available for certified food products in European markets.



Consul General's interaction with APEDA officials and Exporters

Visit of Agriculture Minister, Maharashtra:

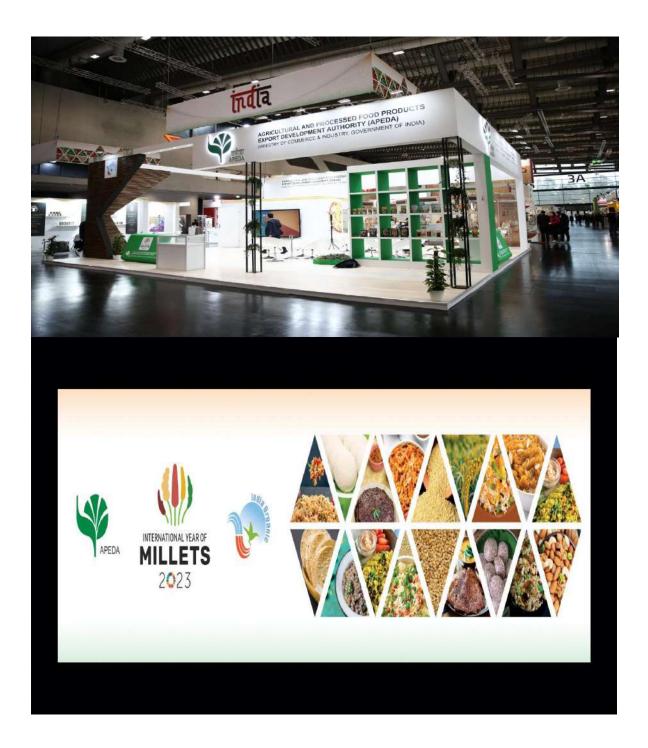
On 16th February, Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture, Govt. of Maharashtra, Shri Abdul Sattar alongwith Commissioner Agriculture Sh. Sunil Chavan and his team visited APEDA pavilion at BIOFACH. The Minister and his team tasted "Millet Upma" and Biriyani during wet sampling and enjoyed the cuisine. The Minister witnessed Mehendi Corner at APEDA stall and appreciated APEDA's arrangements in the trade fair.

The Hon'ble Minister interacted with all the exporters participated under APEDA pavilion and also appreciated the arrangements made by APEDA, specifically Millet Promotion through wet sampling.



Organic Products promotion:

Display of products: Display unit consisting of 16 shelves was created to showcase certified organic products of exporters participated as co-exhibitors. There were a range of certified products viz., millets, rice, pulses, oilseeds, sugar, saffron, dry fruits & nuts, tea, coffee, moringa powder, herbs, herbal supplements, spices, henna, plant based meat products, Tulsi tea range, saffron tea etc.



Wet sampling: APEDA organised wet sampling of Biryani, both veg & non-veg, made out of Basmati Rice. Millet cuisine viz., Khichdi, Noodles, Upma and Soup during 14th to 17th Feb 2023. Separate area was allotted for live cooking of millet cuisines and tasting campaign. On 16th Feb Tea sampling was done by M/s. Okayti Tea Company, Kolkata. The tasting campaign pulled many visitors to APEDA Stall.

<u>Millet promotion</u>: After describing millets as "SHREE ANNA", the mother of all grains during Budget speech, APEDA during its participation in BIOFACH Fair created "**SHREE ANNA**" standees with millet cuisine photos viz., and placed them in the wet sampling area. Wet sampling of Millet Khichdi, Noodles, Upma and Tea were organized during the fair. Also certified raw millets were displayed in Millet pavilion.





Henna (mehendi) activity: To create attraction among visitors, APEDA created henna corner. Many visitors from other countries happily applied mehendi in their hands.



International Certification Bodies: International Certification Body representatives from Germany and Italy visited APEDA pavilion and interacted with APEDA officials with regard to establishing an office in India for organic certification. The representatives have been encouraged to set up an office by obtaining legal status in India and apply for NPOP accreditation. This establishment will help to give more option of certification bodies for Indian organic exporters.

Trade enquiries: APEDA received many trade enquiries with regard to sourcing of certified organic spices, rice, raw millets, millet pasta, noodles, soup, mango and other fresh fruits, moringa powder, dry fruits, tea, coffee etc. Some of the enquiries were directed to the exporters present in BIOFACH. The list of enquiries received are at the end of the report.

Feedback: APEDA prepared a feedback form and circulated among all the exporters under APEDA pavilion to understand the volume of business generated from the fair and also suggestions for future participation. Since the hall was remotely located the exporters received some fruitful & valuable business enquiries. Further, they informed that if APEDA had space at Hall no.5, which is the most prominent location, the footfall would have been higher.

The questionnaire prepared by the Embassy of India, Munich was also circulated by APEDA to all the Indian exporters. The inputs have been

collected. As per the feedback, products with high demand in German markets have been identified as Fruits & vegetables, Cereals & legumes, cosmetics, tea, coffee, herbal hair colour, plant extracts & herbs, spices, meat and other animal products, milk and dairy products, all Indian commodities, essential oils etc.

<u>Suggestions for future participation</u>: The Consul General, Indian Embassy, Munich suggested APEDA officials the following for future participation in BIOFACH:

- a. To develop trade in the Country, a survey of potential products may be undertaken before participation.
- b. Same team from APEDA may come in the event as their previous experience may help for development of trade.
- c. To improve stakeholders attention suggested to display products with recommended packaging and labelling in German language.
- d. Promotional brochures & pamphlets in German language may be prepared and circulated during the fair
- e. Renowned chef from Germany may be hired for live cooking of millet dishes during the fair to give wider publicity.

TRADE ENQUIRIES

S.NO	NAME OF THE COMPANY & DETAILS	PRODUCTS
1.	JATUPHONG WINGWAN	
	BIO ASIA (THAILAND) LTD	CERTIFIED INDIAN
	100/104 VANGVANIJ BUILDING B,	PRODUCTS
	30 TH FLOOR, RAMA 9 RD., HUAI KHWANG,	
	BANGKOK, THAILAND 10320	
	TEL :+6626451181	
	FAX :+6626451184	
	EMAIL : jw@bioasia.co.th	
	WEBSITE : www.bioasia.co.th	
2.	DR.GASHERI MUGAO C.E.O	
2.	SNSHETH NATURALS	
	TEL :+254 795821014	
	EMAIL : gasheri@sheth.co.ke	MILLET SOUPS
	WEBSITE : www.sheth.co.ke	MILLET SOOTS
3.	BIO ORGANIK	
5.	CONTACT AGENT : OMEROVIC MESA	FRUITS
	TEL :+ 41 78 975 40 45	TROTTS
	G.VRSINJE 75446 MILICI	
	BOSNA & HERZEGOVINA	
4	WEBSITE : www.bioorganik-podrinje.com	
4.	JURASSIC FRUIT	FRESH MANGOES AND
	CLEMENT.M	OTHER FRUITS, BLENDED
	WEBSITE : jurassicfruit.com	SPICES & DRIED FRUITS
	TEL :+33624297000	
	EMAIL: <u>clement.m@jurassicfruit.com</u>	
-	info@tesinma-gmbh.com	
5.	HARVESTA DRIED FRUITS AND NUTS	
	SVETOSLAV SMILKOV	
	LOCATION : HARVESTA INC.	
	8000 BURGAS, BULGARIA	CERTIFIED DRY FRUITS
	TEL : 359 87 606 5566	
	WEBSITE : ssmilkov@harvesta.eu	
	: www.harvesta.eu	
6.	A.VOGEL	
	VANATHY ERAMBAMOORTY	CERTIFIED INDIAN
	LEITERIN ANBAU/ HEAD OF CULTIVATION	PRODUCTS
	A.VOGEL AG	
	GRUNAUSTRASSE 4. CH-9325 ROGGWIL TG	
	TELEFON : +41 (0) 71 454 69 13	
	EMAIL : <u>v.erambamoorthy@hotmail.com</u>	
	WEBSITE : <u>v.erambamoorthy@avogel.ch</u>	
7	: <u>www.avogel.ch</u>	
7.	DOALINN ZAFER OZGUNAY	CERTIFIED INDIAN
	HALIL RIFAT PASA MAH. NAZLI SK.	PRODUCTS
	BIRINCI APT NO:1-5KAT:2 D:18 P.K:34384	
	SISLI, ISTHANBUL-TURKIYE	
	PHONE : +90 (212) 222 22 65	
	MOBILE : +90 (533) 251 74 59	
	EMAIL : <u>zaferozgunay@orlifeglobal.com</u>	
	WEBSITE :www.doalinn.com	

8.	GREENON LTD	CERTIFIED INDIAN
	JHON KWAK	PRODUCTS
	#208,584, GYEONGIN-RO,GURU-GU,	
	SEOUL, 08213, REPUBLIC OF KOREA	
	MOBILE :+82-10-4494-2345	
	TEL :+82-2-6278-5272	
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	EMAIL : <u>gfkorea1@gmail.com</u>	
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9.	PELLEGRINO MASSIMO	BEET PULP
	SEEDE LEGALE : VIA BORMIDA, 5770022	
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	PACCIARELLA,	
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	CELL : +39 331 5755298	
	TEL UFF : +39 339 4879778	
	FAX : +39 080 3163015	
	EMAIL : <u>maxpellegrino@virgilio.it</u>	
	PEC : pellegrinomassimo66@pec.it	
10.	DOHLER GMBH	
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	64295 DARMSTADT	
	GERMANY	STEVIA LEAVES
	PHONE : +49 6151 306-3760	51L VIA LEAVES
	MOBILE : +49 176 -3027-3760	
	EMAIL : jan.fritz@doehler.com	
	WEBSITE : www.doehler.com	
11.	TESINIMA GMBH-COOPERATION FOR STRENGTH	CERTIFIED INDIAN
11.		PRODUCTS, BLENDED SPICES
	TESFAY YHDEGO (CHAIRMAN) BOSCHSTRASSE 7	
		& DRIED FRUITS
	28857 SYKE	
	GERMANY	
	TEL : +49-4242-6098241	
	MOBILE : +49-152-55315467	
	FAX : +49-4242-5090309	
	EMAIL : <u>info@tesinma-gmbh.com</u>	
	WEBSITE : <u>www.tesinma-gmbh.com</u>	
12.	YOFIX	
	YOFIX PROBIOTICS LTD	
	RONEN LAVEE	MILLETS
	FOUNDER & CTO	
	3HABOSEM ST, P.O BOX 12290, ASHDOD, 7761003,	
	ISRAEL	
	TEL :+972-54-450-3597	
	EMAIL : ronen@yofx.bio	
	ronen@yofx.co.in	
13.	NATUREZONA	CERTIFIED INDIAN
	MURUGAIAH GOBINATH FOUNDER&CEO	PRODUCTS
	MERGENTHALERALLEE 79-81	
	65760 FRANKFURT-ESCHBORN	
	UJ/UU FRAINRFURT-ESURIDUKIN	

	GERMANY	
	EMAIL : murugaiah@naturezona.com	
	PHONE: +49 162 66 424 66	
	WEBSITE : www.naturezona.com	
14.	ASH.HALAI	MILLET PASTA SHAPES
17.	NAM FOODS LTD	MILLET NOODLE SHAPES
	EMAIL: a.halai@namfoods.com	
		RICE, ORGANIC &
	TEL: +447837540078	CONVENTIONAL
		BULK & PRE PACKED
15.	APEX (india leading coconut processing company)	ORGANIC CERTIFIED
	GOKUL SHRINIVASAN	COCONUT & COCONUT
	DIRECTOR OF BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT	PRODUCTS
	70-1, DEVANA.T.K	
	TIRUPUR D.T	
	TAMILNADU , INDIA -638672	
	MOBILE : +91 9787272123	
	EMAIL: gokul@apexcoconuts.com	
	WEBSITE:www.apexcoconuts.com	
16.	BONABIN	FRESH FRUITS MAINLY
10.	JOAQUIN MORENO	MANGOES 4-5 TONS DURING
	T : +33 (0) 156 30 08 34	SEASON
	P: +33 (0) 6 28 81 35 71	
	EMAIL : Joaquin.moreno@bonabio.fr	
	WEBSITE : www.bonabio.fr	
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	Bat EOg MIN de Rungis	
	94550 Chevilly-Larue	
	France	
17.	TILL LOEPER	SPICES & MORINGA
17.	Geschaftsfuhrer	STICLS & MORINGA
	KRAUTER SCHULTE GMBH, Germany	
	PHONE : +49 7224 3876	
	EMAIL: <u>info@krauterschulte.de</u> ,	
	till.loeper@kraeuterschulte.de	
	WEBSITE:www.kraeuterschulte.de	
	TRE BIO	CERTIFIED INDIAN
19.	MARCO DELL'OSSO	PRODUCTS
	EMAIL: <u>dellosso@tre-bio.com</u>	
	PHONE: +39 3420990356	
	WEBSITE: www.tre-bio.com	
20.	TRE BIO	CERTIFIED INDIAN
	RIMA SAHAKYAN	PRODUCTS
	EMAIL: rima.sahakyan@tre-bio.com	
	PHONE: +39 3207667550	
21.	EMMA PASIANOTTO	CERTIFIED INDIAN
	TEL : 905.475.5050x 238	PRODUCTS
	FAX: 905.475.6050/ 855.711.7779	
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22.	SUAN FARMA	
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	MOB: +801 870 8730	
	EMAIL : tammywalton@suanfarma.com	
23.	THANGAMMAN EXPORTS	CERTIFIED INDIAN
	NAVANEETHAN VELLANAIPATTY THANGAVEL	PRODUCTS
	TEL: +49 17621485855, +919894231356	
	EMAIL: info@thangammanexports.com	
	WEBSITE: www.thangammanexports.com	
	NAVEEN ILLAM 3/B, SRI NAGAR, B.R.PURAM	
	PEELAMEDU, COIMBATORE-641004. INDIA	
24.	CLEARSPRING	CERTIFIED INDIAN
	Authentic & Organic Fine Foods	PRODUCTS
	YOSHIFUMI KIHATA	
	EMAIL: kihata@clearspring.co.uk	
	Direct: +81 (0)50 5361 8312	
	Clearspring Ltd	
	1-9A acton park Estate, London W3 7QE, UK	
	TEL: +44 (0) 300 373 1919	
	WEBSITE:www. Clearspring.co.uk	
25.	DR.GASHERI MUGERO	MILLET NOODLES, COOKIES,
	SN SHETH NATURALS	HEALTH MIX, TEA, SOUP
	+254795821014	
	gasheri@sheth.co.ka	
	www.sheth.co.ka	
26.	KAWANASI	CHICK PEAS- ROASTED&
	FELIX KUSMANTO Director	PEELED-COVENTIONAL
	KAWANASI SEHAT DASACATUR, PT	(HALAL)
	Jl.industri Raya 2Blok I no.14	
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