



Swiss Economic Development Cooperation

Goal: Sustainable Economic Growth

1 sound economic framework conditions

2 private sector development

3 trade promotion

focus on sustainability standards, incl. organic



Technical Assistance for value chain development

Examples:

- establishment of local organic certification bodies in Eastern Europe
- organic market development in Ukraine
- organic and fair trade cotton value chains in Kirgistan and West Africa



Support for analysis and policy dialogue around sustainability standards

- Trade for Sustainable Development T4SD

www.standardsmap.org

- State of Sustainability Initiatives (SSI)

www.sustainablecommodities.org/ssi

- Committee on Sustainability Assessment (COISA)

www.cosa.org

- United Nations Forum on Sustainability Standards

www.unfss.org