

The EU school fruit, vegetables and milk scheme



Annual monitoring report

2017/2018 school year

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Figures on budget execution (31 December 2018) are preliminary: corrections are possible and payments may still be made.

1. Budget execution

1.1. Expenditure for the supply/distribution of products (EUR)

	School fruit and vegetables			School milk			Total	
	Fresh	Processed	Total fruits and vegetables	Drinking milk and lactose-free versions	Cheese, curd, yoghurt and other milk products with no added flavouring, fruit, nuts or cocoa	Milk products with added flavouring, fruit, nuts or cocoa		Total milk and milk products
EU aid	637.817	44.449	682.266	136.244	83.085	0	219.329	901.595
National Funds	210.325	14.686	225.011	0	0	0	0	225.011
<i>of which: Public</i>	210.325	14.686	225.011	0	0	0	0	225.011
<i>of which: Private</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Comments								

1.2. Expenditure for the educational measures (EUR)

	On school fruit and vegetables	On school milk	Total
EU aid	0	46.449	46.449
National Funds	0	36.171	36.171
<i>of which: Public</i>	0	36.171	
<i>of which: Private</i>	0	0	
Comments		Since the fruit&vegetables envelope was too low, all the funds for educational measures were taken from the milk envelope but the content concerned both milk and fruit&vegetables.	National funds were not split on fruit&vegetables and milk.

1.3. Expenditure for information, monitoring and evaluation (EUR)

	On school fruit and vegetables	On school milk	Total
EU aid	0	2.069	2.069
National Funds	0	1.611	1.611
<i>of which: Public</i>	0	1.611	
<i>of which: Private</i>	0	0	
Comments		as for table 1.2	as for table 1.2

2.1 Participating children

	Participating children		
	Number of children	Number of children who participated in the school fruit and vegetables part	Number of children who participated in the school milk part
Nurseries/Pre-schools	0	0	0
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>	0	0	0
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>	0	0	0
Primary schools	169.438	169.438	82.464
Secondary schools	0	0	0
Total	169.438	169.438	82.464
Comments			All 82464 children that participated in the milk part participated in the fruit & vegetables part too.

2.2 Number of children in the target group

	Number of children in the target group set out in the strategy
Nurseries/Pre-schools	0
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>	0
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>	0
Primary schools	183.639
Secondary schools	0
Total	183.639
Comments	Target group = children in primary schools and children/youth from institutes for special needs education (the latter represent around 1%)



2.3 Total number of children

	Number of children eligible for the EU school fruit, vegetables and milk scheme
Nurseries/Pre-schools	85.000
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>	0
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>	0
Primary schools	183.639
Secondary schools	74.000
Total	342.639
Comments	



3.1 Participating schools

	Participating schools		
	Number of schools	Number of schools that participated in the school fruit and vegetables part	Number of schools that participated in the school milk part
Nurseries/Pre-schools	0	0	0
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>	0	0	0
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>	0	0	0
Primary schools	441	441	223
Secondary schools	0	0	0
Total	441	441	223
Comments			<i>All 441 schools that participated in the SM were participated in the SFV too.</i>

3.2 Number of schools in the target group

	Number of schools in the target group	School fruit and vegetables part of the scheme	School milk part of the scheme
Nurseries/Pre-schools	0	0	0
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>	0	0	0
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>	0	0	0
Primary schools	498	498	498
Secondary schools	0	0	0
Total	498	498	498
Comments	<i>15 of all 498 schools are institutes for education of children and youth with special needs</i>		

3.3 Total number of schools

Nurseries/Pre-schools	408
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>	408
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>	0
Primary schools	498
Secondary schools	182
Total	1.088
Comments	



4.1 Products supplied/distributed to schoolchildren and, if applicable, tasted by schoolchildren as part of educational measures

4.1.1 Fresh fruit

	List
Apples	✓
Apricots	✓
Aromatic Herbs	
Avocadoes	
Bananas	✓
Berries	
Cherries	✓
Citrus Fruit	✓
Figs	✓
Grapes	✓
Guavas/Mangoes	
Kiwis	✓
Melons	✓
Nuts	✓
Peaches/Nectarines	✓
Pears	✓
Pineapples	
Plums	✓
Quinces	✓
Strawberries	
Watermelons	✓
Comments	<i>Citrus fruit: only mandarins and other similar small citrus fruit (clementines, tangerines, mineola, mandarins). Other fruit: jujube (Ziziphus zizyphus)</i>

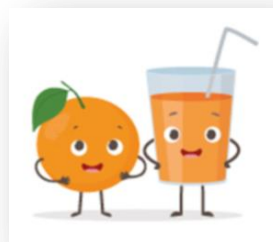


4.1.2 Fresh vegetables

	List
Artichokes	
Asparagus	✓
Aubergines	
Beet	✓
Broccoli	✓
Cabbages	✓
Carrots	✓
Cauliflowers	✓
Celery	✓
Chicory	✓
Courgettes	✓
Cucumbers	✓
Fennel	✓
Kohlrabi	✓
Kale	
Garlic	
Gherkins	✓
Leeks	
Lettuce	✓
Mushrooms	
Onions	
Parsnips	✓
Peas	
Peppers	✓
Pulses	
Pumpkins	✓
Radishes	✓
Rutabagas	✓
Salad beetroot	✓
Salsifis	
Spinach	✓
Tomatoes	✓
Turnips	✓
Comments	

4.1.3 Processed fruit and vegetables

	List
Fruit Juices	
Fruit Purées/Compotes	
Jams/Marmalades	
Dried Fruits	✓
Vegetable Juices	
Vegetables Soups	
Other:	✓
Comments	<i>Processed vegetables: sauerkraut and sauer turnip</i>



4.1.4 Milk and milk products

	List
Drinking milk or lactose-free versions	✓
Cheese and curd	✓
Plain yoghurt	✓
Milk products without added sugar, flavouring, fruit, nuts or cocoa	✓
Milk products without fruit juice, naturally flavoured	
Milk products with fruit juice, naturally flavoured or non-flavoured	
Milk-based drinks with cocoa, with fruit juice or naturally flavoured	
Fermented or non-fermented milk products with fruit, naturally flavoured or non-flavoured	
Comments	<i>Under "cheese and curd" only curd is eligible and was distributed (without added sugar, flavouring, fruit, nuts or cocoa)</i>



4.1.5 Other agricultural products that children tasted as part of educational measures

	List
Table olives	
Olive oil	✓
Honey	✓
Other:	✓
Comments	<i>pumpkin seed oil, cheese with max. 1,3 g salt/100 g</i>



4.1.a) Priorities for the choice of school fruit, vegetables and milk

	Yes/No	Comments
Local/regional purchasing	Yes	<i>Recommended but not mandatory</i>
Organic products	Yes	<i>Recommended but not mandatory</i>
Short supply chains	Yes	<i>Recommended but not mandatory</i>
Quality schemes	Yes	<i>Recommended but not mandatory</i>
Fair trade	No	
Other:	No	

4.2 Average size of portion of school fruit, vegetables and milk (Kg/Lt)

	School fruit and vegetables	School milk
Kg	0,09	0,10
Liters	0,00	0,12
Comments		

4.3 Average cost of portion of school fruit, vegetables and milk (EUR)

	School fruit and vegetables	School milk
EU aid	0,13	0,14
National aid (private/public)	0,05	0
Comments		

4.3.a Average cost of portion of apples in bulk (EUR)

	Portion of apples in bulk
EU aid	0,07
National aid (private/public)	0,03
Comments	avarage cost is 0,1 €/portion of apples

4.3.b Average cost of portion of drinking milk (EUR)

	Portion of drinking milk
EU aid	0,11
National aid (private/public)	0
Comments	

4.4. Frequency of supply/distribution of school fruit, vegetables and milk

	School fruit and vegetables	School milk
Once per week	✓	
Twice per week		
Three times per week		
Four times per week		
Daily		
Other:		✓
Comments	Schools are flexible regarding distribution (frequency and duration) but on average distributed FV once per week (approx. 33 distributions/school/school year).	Schools are flexible regarding distribution (frequency and duration) but mayor schools distributed SM once per two weeks (approx. 21 distributions/school/school year).



4.5. Duration of supply/distribution of fruit, vegetables and milk

	School fruit and vegetables	School milk
≤ 2 weeks		
> 2 and ≤ 4 weeks		
> 4 and ≤ 12 weeks		
> 12 and ≤ 24 weeks		
> 24 and ≤ 36 weeks		
Entire school year	✓	✓
Comments		

4.6. Quantities of school fruit, vegetables and milk supplied/distributed and, if applicable, of other agricultural products that children tasted under educational measures

4.6.1 Fresh fruit and vegetables

		Quantity	Comments
Fresh fruit and vegetables	Quantity in kg	480.675	
<i>Of which: Fruit</i>	<i>Quantity in kg</i>	460.237	
<i>Of which: Vegetables</i>	<i>Quantity in kg</i>	20.438	

4.6.2 Processed fruit and vegetables

Processed fruit and vegetables	Quantity in kg	7.582	
	Quantity in litres	0	
<i>Of which: Fruit juices</i>	<i>Quantity in litres</i>	0	
<i>Of which: Fruit purees/compotes</i>	<i>Quantity in kg</i>	0	
<i>Of which: Dried fruits</i>	<i>Quantity in kg</i>	5.558	
<i>Of which: Vegetable juices</i>	<i>Quantity in litres</i>	0	
<i>Of which: Vegetable soups</i>	<i>Quantity in litres</i>	0	
<i>Of which: Other</i>	<i>Quantity in kg</i>	2.024	<i>sauerkraut and sauer turnip</i>

4.6.3 Milk and milk products

		Quantity	Comments
Drinking milk and lactose-free versions	Quantity in litres	164.035	
Cheese and curd	Quantity in kg	1.768	
Plain yoghurt	Quantity in kg	30.888	
Milk products without added sugar, flavouring, fruit, nuts or cocoa	Quantity in kg	6.633	<i>933 kg acidified milk, 3483 kg kefir, 2217 kg buttermilk</i>
Milk products without fruit juice, naturally flavoured	Quantity in kg	0	
Milk products with fruit juice, naturally flavoured or non-flavoured	Quantity in kg	0	
Milk-based drinks with cocoa, with fruit juice or naturally flavoured	Quantity in litres	0	
Milk products with fruit, naturally flavoured or non-flavoured	Quantity in kg	0	

4.6.4 Other agricultural products

		Quantity	Comments
Olive/olive oil	Quantity in kg	0	
	Quantity in litres	45	<i>olive oil</i>
Honey	Quantity in kg	27	
Others:	Quantity in kg	128	<i>128 kg cheese of max. 1,3 added g of salt/100 g; 23 liters pumpkin seed oil</i>

5.1 Educational measures carried out

		Number of schoolchildren	Comments
Type of measure	School gardens	0	<i>In May 2018, there were 4 school gardens at the 4 homes of Centre for School and Outdoor Education (CSOE); 16 teachers participated in this project (practical and theoretical education),</i>
	Visits to farms, dairies, famers' markets and similar activities	2.370	<i>73 farm visits and 6 to shepherd museum within the framework of school in nature</i>
	Tasting classes, cooking workshops, other	22.350	<i>411 testing classes and 334 cooking workshops were made within the framework of school in nature</i>
	Lessons, lectures, workshops	0	<i>9 regional expert trainings and educations on food (milk) were made for teachers. 184 teachers participated in this project</i>
	Other activities: competitions, games, themed periods ...	41.310	<i>1377 educational fruit, vegetable and milk snacks were made within the framework of school in nature</i>
		0	

5.2 Theme(s) of the educational measures carried out

		Yes/No	Comments
Theme(s)	Reconnection of children to agriculture	Yes	<i>Farm visits, school gardens</i>
	Healthy eating habits	Yes	<i>Tasting classes, cooking workshops, expert trainings and educations on food (milk)</i>
	Local food chains	Yes	<i>school gardens, educational fruit, vegetable and milk snacks</i>
	Organic	Yes	<i>educational fruit, vegetable and milk snacks, school gardens</i>
	Sustainable production	No	
	Food waste	Yes	<i>educational fruit, vegetable and milk snacks</i>
	Other: please specify under comments	Yes	<i>Each school has its own program for accompanying activities in school; that is the part of the evaluation of the scheme</i>



6. Communication activities carried out

		Yes/No	Comments
Activity carried out/tool used	Poster at school premises	Yes	
	Poster at other relevant places	No	
	Dedicated website(s)	Yes	<i>In 2017/2018 the website of previous school fruit and vegetables scheme was used</i>
	Informative graphic material	No	
	Information and awareness campaign (TV, radio, social media)	No	
	Other	No	



7. Authorities and stakeholders involved

		Name	Involved in Planning	Involved in Implementation	Involved in Monitoring	Involved in Evaluation	How	
Public authority/ Private stakeholder	Agriculture	Authority	Ministry of agriculture, forestry and food; Paying agency (ARSKTRP)	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Ministry of Agriculture: set the working group, prepared the strategy and the national regulation; approved the body that will carry out the evaluation (NIJZ) and the body that will carry out the accompanying educational measures (CSOE) pursuant to the national regulation; performed the public contracts for accompanying educational measures, informed schools and managed the website; ARSKTRP: member of the working group, cooperation on strategy and national regulation, management the ARSKTRP website on school scheme; made the trainings for schools about the new electronic application for aid applications; in charge of controls of aid applications, payments, preparation of data for the monitoring report
		Stakeholder	Chamber of Agriculture and Forestry of Slovenia (KGZS)	Yes	No	No	No	Members of the working group, cooperation on strategy
	Health and Nutrition	Authority	Ministry of health	Yes	No	No	No	Proposed to the Ministry of Agriculture a provider of the evaluation (NIJZ); member of the working group, cooperation on the strategy;
		Stakeholder	National Institute for Public Health (NIJZ)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Member of the working group, cooperation on the strategy; monitor data for the evaluation
	Education	Authority	Ministry for Education, Science and Sport	Yes	No	No	No	Member of the working group, cooperation on the strategy; cooperation in informing the schools;
		Stakeholder	Representative of primary school principals	Yes	No	No	No	Member of the working group, cooperation on the strategy
	Other	Authority	0	No	No	No	No	
		Stakeholder	Chamber of agricultural and food companies (GZS - ZKŽP)	Yes	Yes	No	No	Member of the working group, cooperation on the strategy; cooperation on accompanying educational measures: training for teachers about milk