



Massive investment in crucial climate technology and ambition of doubling of organic farming

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The Danish agricultural sector is with the agreement on a green transition of the agricultural sector leading the way and showing the rest of the world how a green transition of the agriculture sector succeeds. The Danish agricultural sector has to be a showroom of new green technologies and forms of production.

- To realize the agreements total reduction potential of 7.4 million tonnes CO₂e massive investments are made and a strategy regarding the research and development-track of the agreement will be presented within a year.
- 222 million DDK (approx. 30 million euro) will be earmarked research in methane reducing feed additives to livestock, more efficient handling of manure in farm and field and pyrolysis, which can transform agricultural residues to fuel and biochar. Biochar enable storage of CO₂ in soil instead of being emitted to the atmosphere.
- 249 million DDK (approx. 33 million euro) will finance development of a farm-level emissions model that will enable accounting and regulation of the emissions of greenhouse gasses from the individual farm. This may ensure more targeted and cost-efficient regulation of the agricultural sector and is connected to the ongoing work on a green tax reform.
- To achieve the ambition of doubling the organic farming area by 2030 in Denmark 3,6 billion DKK (approx. 484 million euro) is invested in an organic eco-scheme, and a strategy will be developed with the aim of supporting a two-fold increase of the organic farming area, consumption and export.
- The initiatives of the research and development-track has to be reevaluated at latest in 2023 in order to ensure the realization of the technical reduction potentials.

