



## Executive summary

### Integrated sustainability concept and action plan

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## Content Summary

We have developed a more detailed plan for reviewing concepts related to the long-term sustainability of MoniQA activities. Our goal is not only the identification of existing goods and services but also the financial potential of other network activities after cessation of the EC Integration Grant.

This review is largely the result of the meetings at Campden BRI, September 2008, Rome, October 2008, Sharm El Sheik, January 2009, and Joint WP3/MB meeting in Hamburg, during November 2008. It outlines an integrated sustainability concept and describes possible business models and forms of legal entities, by comparing opportunities for 'MoniQA2' with existing initiatives/ legal entities with relevant outputs and audiences.

Experience from Networks of Excellence, such as EuroFir and NuGO as well as subsidiaries such as ICC-Association, ICC Services GmbH and ISEKI Food-Association have also been included. A list of potential MoniQA outputs and a plan for the next steps towards the establishment of the MoniQA2 legal entity is also provided..

### About MoniQA – [www.moniqa.org](http://www.moniqa.org)

MoniQA ("Monitoring and Quality Assurance in the Food Supply Chain") is a Network of Excellence (NoE) funded by the European Commission under the 6th Framework Programme. The Network aims to make food safer by harmonising methods for food analyses. The project is coordinated by the Vienna-based International Association for Cereal Science and Technology (ICC). More than 155 researchers and scientist from 33 international partners from 20 countries are involved in MoniQA.

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