

## ***European Network for the durable exploitation of crop protection strategies***

### **IA3 Activity: Human resource exchange**

#### **ENDURE - Internal Mobility**

##### ***Final activity report***

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##### **Topic of the visit**

##### **Comparison of certified low input production systems**

### **1. Information about researcher and sending partner**

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### **2. Information about hosting partner**

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### **3. Information about the visit**

**Duration:** *(number of weeks or months)* 1 month

**Start date:** 1<sup>st</sup> October 2007

**End date:** 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2007

### **4. Description of the activities and outcomes**

**Background and context:** *maximum 10 lines*

AU and INRA both participate to RA3.5 and it seemed useful to enhance the collaboration through a mobility stay.

As Denmark often appears as a "model" regarding the reduction of pesticides and pesticides action plans, it is important for all Endure to understand the potentialities and the limits of Danish actions and policies.

**Objective:** *maximum 10 lines*

The main objectives were to carry out an analysis of the involvement of civil society in the elaboration of Danish policy of pesticide reduction as well as an analysis of the Danish IP scheme.

**Activities carried out:** *maximum 20 lines*

#### **1 – the involvement of civil society in the elaboration of Danish policy of pesticide reduction**

- analysis of the documentation
- interview of 10 persons: institutions and scientists that were responsible for the elaboration of this policy and the involvement of the civil society; civil society actors (consumer, farmer, environmental, crop protection organisations) which took part to this process

#### **2 – a socio-technical study of the Danish IP label**

- analysis of the documentation concerning this label, its history and network
- 3 interviews

#### **3 – scientific discussions with Danish colleagues on our respective research programs on crop protection issues and our theoretical paradigms**

- with Egon Noe, Hugo Alroe, N. Halberg
- one seminar around farmers' trajectories and conversion to organics (cross disciplinary project) held on October 29<sup>th</sup>

The analysis of point 1 was presented as a working paper in Versailles Endure AM and will be put on Endure website. The analysis of point 2 will be also written in a working paper and will be integrated in the comparative analysis at RA3.5 scale.

## **5. Links between visit activity and ENDURE**

*Describe links and relevance of your visit in relation to a specific ENDURE activity(ies) and sub-activity(ies) – maximum 15 lines*

This mobility stay inform both RA3.5 and SA3.3, but is interesting for SA1 (prospective study) and Endure in general as it is essential to understand the factors of success and the limits of the so-called “Danish model” regarding the pesticides policy and national action plans. In the near future, all other member states will have to implement such plans.

More precisely, the work achieved during this mobility stay was necessary to understand which stakeholders were involved, and how they were involved, in these processes.

## **6. Impact**

**Added value for the researcher:** *maximum 10 lines*

This mobility stay was a very good opportunity to do some fieldwork in another country, which is usually very difficult, thanks to a very good preparation and introduction by my Danish colleagues.

It was very important to understand the potentialities and the limits of the so-called “Danish model” regarding the reduction of pesticides and pesticides action plans. This is all the more important that all other member states and France among them are going to implement such plans.

**Added value for sending partner and hosting partner:** *maximum 10 lines*

Enhance the collaboration between the sociologists of the 2 institutes and their willing to develop interdisciplinary approaches, as we all belong to interdisciplinary research teams.

For Danish scientists and stakeholders it was interesting to have this analysis (that have not really been done yet even by national scientists) done by someone from a different background. The preparation of the fieldwork as well as the analysis could be discussed along the way.

### **Date of submission**

1<sup>st</sup> December 2007



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Approved