



# AGENT

## Preserving Crop Diversity for Future Generations



**DURATION**  
5 Years



**FUNDING**  
7 Million €



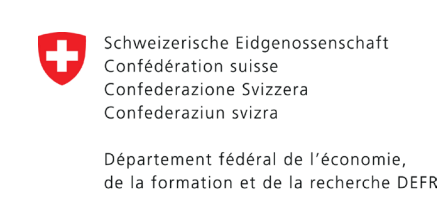
**18 PARTNERS**  
15 Countries

## AGENT - Activated GEnebank NeTwork

AGENT aims to unlock the full potential of the biological material stored in gene banks around the globe by introducing a new international standard and an open digital infrastructure for the management of plant genetic resources.

- a long-term network of actively cooperating gene banks and their conversion from passive seed repositories into active digital resource centres
- a new international standard for gene bank management
- a better integration of existing genetic material into modern breeding programmes, exemplified using barley and wheat
- the verification and systematic genotyping of plant genetic resources

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