



Introduction of sustainable and environmental friendly biocontrol for Chinese agriculture

Description: Chinese agriculture is characterized by over-use of chemical fertilizers and pesticides. Applying alternative strategies is a stringent necessity.

Objective: In frame of a Sino-German collaboration project headed by Prof. Dr. R. Borriss and supported by BMBF, ABiTEP GmbH has contributed to establish a knowledge base for use of plant associated *Bacillus amyloliquefaciens* strains as plant strengtheners and antagonists to plant pathogens.

Results: ABiTEP GmbH has demonstrated high efficiency of the *Bacillus* products and has established a Joint venture with a small Chinese SME to produce and sell these products in China.



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