ACCESSIBILITY STATEMENT

This is an accessibility statement for the Finnish Organic Research Institute's (FORI) luomuinstituutti.fi website. This statement was written on 17 December 2020.

FORI is a research network of the Natural Resources Institute Finland (Luke) and the University of Helsinki, and it operates under Luke.

This accessibility statement describes how the website complies with the Act on the Provision of Digital Services (306/2019), what options you have to access the website content, and how you can give us feedback on any accessibility issues on the website.

Luke has assessed the accessibility of the website.

Status of accessibility on the luomuinstituutti.fi website

The website largely fulfils the AA requirements of *Web Content Accessibility Guidelines* (WCAG) 2.1.

The website was updated at the end of 2020 and at the beginning of 2021, and it has been designed and built to meet the AA requirements. However, certain files and recordings published before 23 September 2020 have not been made accessible for resource-related reasons, and certain images do not have alternative texts. The website's accessibility is developed continuously, and any flaws identified will be repaired.

Inaccessible content

Not all files and recordings on the website can be made to be in compliance with the accessibility requirements without significant modifications or costs.

We apply the derogation from accessibility in accordance with section 8 of the Act on the Provision of Digital Services to the following website content:

- Alternative text for images: The website includes images, some of which do not have an alternative text to describes the image content using sufficient information;
- 2) PDF, Word, Excel and PowerPoint files published after 23 September 2018;3) Tables; and 4) Infographics.

The accessibility of these will be developed, and any flaws will be repaired. The aim is to repair all of the aforementioned flaws by 1 June 2021.

The following website content is inaccessible, as the Act on the Provision of Digital Services does not apply to it:

- 1) PDF, Word, Excel and PowerPoint files published before 23 September 2018; 2) Video content released before 23 September 2020;
- 3) Live video streams.

Alternative method to access the website's content

Please note that you can also request more information from kirjaamo@luke.fi if the information you need is not accessible on our website. We will respond to your request in 14 days. If your request concerns a large amount of content, we may extend the response time by a maximum of two weeks.

Feedback and contact details

If you notice any problems with accessibility on our website, please let us know. All feedback is valuable to us. Please send your feedback on accessibility to liisamaija.aukia@luke.fi. We will respond to your feedback in 14 days.

Contact details of the supervisory authority

If you are not satisfied with our response, you can file a complaint with the Regional State Administrative Agency of Southern Finland. Detailed information about how you can file a complaint and how your complaint will be processed is available on the website. The contact details of the Regional State Administrative Agency of Southern Finland are available here.