

The European Innovation Partnership “Agricultural Productivity and Sustainability” or EIP-AGRI and the Service Point



**Workshop ‘Establishing Operational Groups under Rural Development Programmes’
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An EU wide EIP network

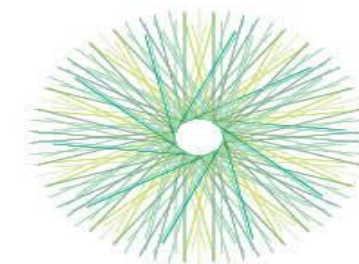


EIP-AGRI Service Point

The EIP-AGRI Service Point
acts as a catalyst within the EIP-AGRI Network,
enhancing communication and cooperation between all
innovation actors (farmers, advisors, agri-business, civil
society, and researchers)
working at EU, national and regional level.



EIP-AGRI Service Point



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- Helpdesk
 - Farmers
 - Researchers
 - Advisors
 - Agro-business
 - Farmers' organisations
 - Environmental groups
- Events
 - Workshops
 - Seminars
 - Conferences



Focus groups

- Open calls for interest of participation
- 20 participants: farmers, advisers, research, others
- Temporary: short duration and focused
- 6 active focus groups:
 - Yield gaps in organic arable farming
 - Protein crops
 - Reduction of antibiotic use in pig farms
 - Cooperation models in genetic resources
 - Organic matter content in Mediterranean soils
 - IPM in Brassica
- Reports available at: http://ec.europa.eu/agriculture/eip/focus-groups/index_en.htm



Focus groups: call launched 11th March

- Topics:
 - High Nature Value (HNV) farming profitability
 - Mainstreaming precision farming
 - Profitability of permanent grassland
 - Fertiliser efficiency – focus on horticulture in open field
- **Deadline for applications: 8 April**
- More info: http://ec.europa.eu/agriculture/eip/focus-groups/call-3-announcement_en.pdf



EIP-AGRI website and database

Currently EIP-AGRI information available at the European Commission DG AGRI website:

http://ec.europa.eu/agriculture/index_en.htm

Background info, fact sheets, newsletters, calls, etc.



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11/03/2014 - [Call for experts for four new EIP-AGRI Focus Groups](#)  [670 KB]

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Speeches

16/01/2014 - ["A modern farming sector, producing in line with society's expectations" \(Opening Ceremony, International Green Week Berlin\)](#)

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Events

25/03/2014 - 26/03/2014 - [Regional Workshop on "Establishing Operational Groups under Rural Development Programmes" \(Ljubljana, 25-26/03/2014\)](#)

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Commissioner Dacian Cioloș



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EIP-AGRI website and database

In 2014 transformation of EIP-AGRI information into a new interactive platform:

- Search for experts
- Funding opportunities
- Collecting research needs from practice
- Information on innovation actions and research projects
- Finding partners for your project
- Operational group reports



Temporary data collection forms - 4 easy to use E-forms

- Relevant research projects
- Innovation actions and initiatives
- Research needs from practice
- Online sources of information

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EIP-AGRI SERVICE POINT E-FORM



Help us fostering innovation in agriculture! The EIP Service Point will facilitate the effective flow of information in order to ensure that successful projects, relevant knowledge and innovative actions contribute to advancing and mainstreaming of new approaches beyond the local and regional level. For that your contribution is crucial! Using those forms you can share a lot of relevant information regarding innovation initiatives and examples. We are going to include your contribution into our database and very soon it (and much more!) will also be available at new EIP-AGRI website.

Thank you for being part of this innovative community sharing and exchanging your knowledge and experiences within the EIP!

Please note that you can provide information in your own language; if you do so, we kindly ask you to indicate the language in which the data is introduced. Should you introduce the information in your native language, we really appreciate if you could also provide a short description in English in order to facilitate dissemination of information across the EIP network.

Research project

We look for relevant research projects (both on-going and already executed), financed under EU Research and Development (R&D) policy or other funding sources, and which offer new knowledge in the realm of one or several EIP areas (see below). Are/Were you involved in one of them OR do you know about any project of interest? Share it with the EIP network!

[Add new Research project](#)

Innovative action

We look for innovative projects, actions and/or activities that deliver EIP relevant practical solutions and which are "ready to go" in the field or that are easily put in practice. Those innovative actions may include development of new products, services, processes, or new organizational models. They can be technical, technological or social. This actually includes traditional or already known products/services/processes which are used in new situations, contexts or ways. Are/Were you involved in one of them OR do you know about any of interest? Share it with the EIP network!

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Needs for research

The EIP Network offers a platform for collection of research and innovation needs expressed by those who confront these needs in practice in their day to day activities (e.g. farmers, advisors etc.). Doing so we aim to connect demand and supply for innovation. Have you identified any gap to be covered?

[Add new Need for research](#)

Online resource

We intend to gather information about relevant EIP online resources (data bases, glossaries, catalogs, etc.) in order to make those links available via our EIP-AGRI website and in this way linking relevant initiatives in the fields of Agricultural Research and Innovation in Europe.

Monthly newsletters

- Subscribe:
http://ec.europa.eu/agriculture/eip/service-point/index_en.htm
- Topics
 - Upcoming events
 - Results from events
 - Innovative projects
 - EIP AGRI news
 - Publications and fact sheets (Horizon 2020, operational groups, innovation support, ...)

Multipliers tool-kit

- Ready-to-use articles
- Images, infographics
- Dedicated EIP-AGRI logo
- Comprehensive information
- Stay up-to-date

http://ec.europa.eu/agriculture/eip/multipliers/index_en.htm



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