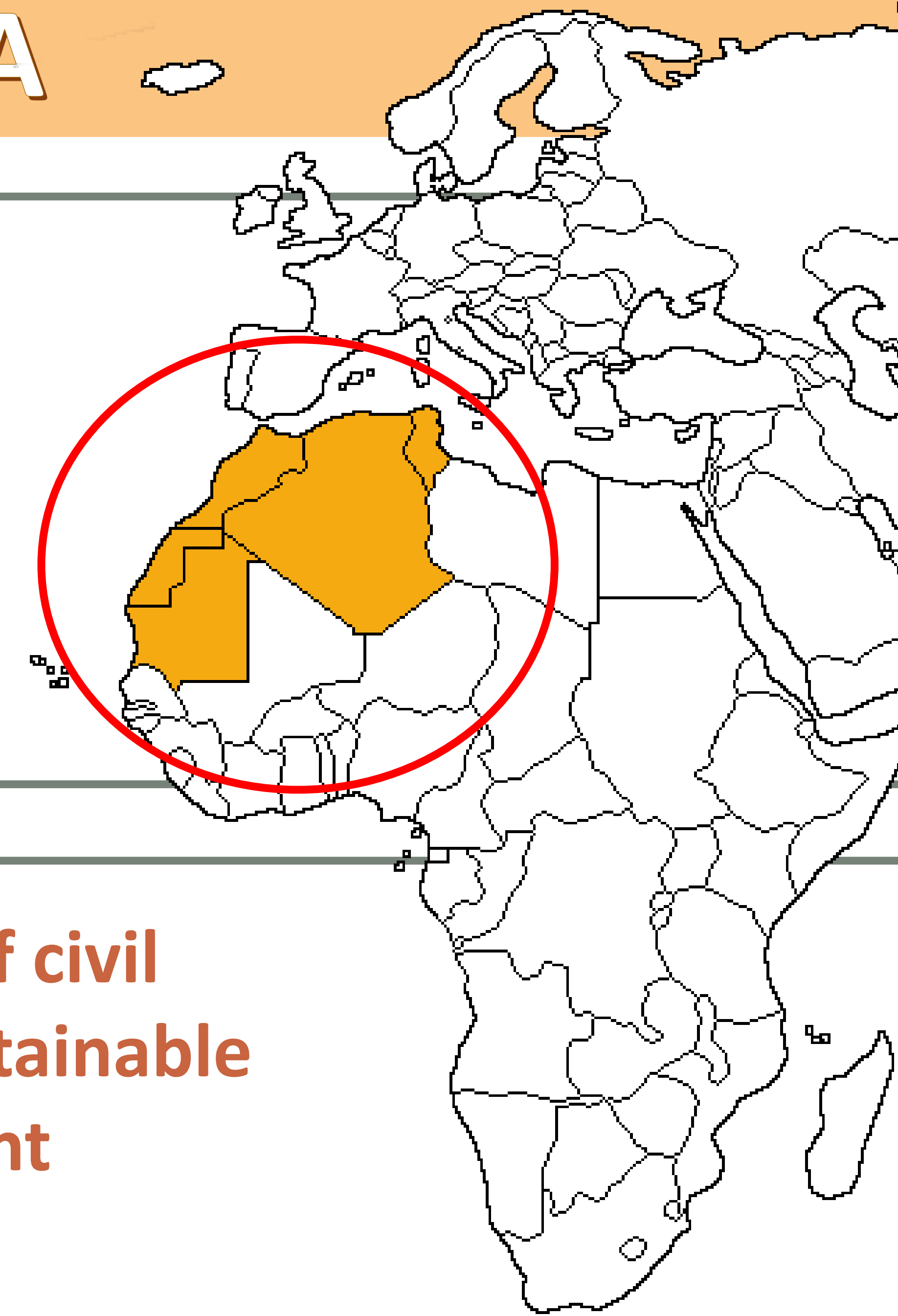




Increasing collaboration among civil society institutions in North Africa to achieve innovative, inclusive and sustainable rural development



Who are we ?

- REMADEL was founded on 2 April 2008 in Medenine (Tunisia) by 40 Maghreb associations.
- REMADEL members share a comprehensive Maghreb development vision that is reflected locally.
- The founding REMADEL associations are civil society groups from Maghreb countries.

• **The creation of the network was supported by LEADER Local Action Groups from three north Mediterranean countries.**

- The network is developing active partnership based on **bilateral, multilateral and decentralised cooperation and the collaboration of civil society organisations.**



Main objectives of the Network:

- **Capacity building** of network member associations.
- Development of **exchange of experience** between rural development actors in Maghreb countries .
- Establishment of **partnership relations and cooperation** between member associations through networking, South-South and South-North cooperation.
- Creation of **communication tools and active advocacy tools** centred on the problems of the rural world in Maghreb countries.



Our projects

- An ongoing **cooperation project with the network PREPARE** (Partnership for Rural Europe).
- Current **project with OXFAM Italia and REMESS network** (Moroccan network of social economy) financed by the EU. This project is a part of the EU call for projects: Non-State Actors and Local Authorities in Development (Instrument for Development Cooperation) and the Neighbourhood Civil Society Facility (European Neighbourhood and Partnership Instrument).

Improving regional cohesion of civil society in the Maghreb for sustainable and inclusive rural development

Subject

Strengthening the capacity of non-state actors - Actions in partner countries (Multi-country) - Restricted Call for Proposals 2011-2012

Project objective

- Consolidating the dynamics of networking and multi-level, multi-actor and multi-country coordination.
- Fostering the role of civil society as a catalyst in the context of the “Arab Spring” movements.
- Networking activities, capacity building (associated with the funding of pilot projects), sharing knowledge and promoting dialogue spaces to help the network fully play its role as an actor of territorial development and advocacy.



Main project activities to date

- Several capacity-building sessions on territorial diagnosis and project installation.
- Financing pilot projects proposed by member associations.
- Organisation of exchange visits with associations from different countries to share experiences and know-how.



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