

The Agricultural Knowledge and Innovation System (AKIS) under the new CAP

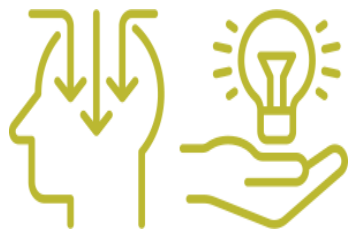
AKIS, farm advice and networking for innovation

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The AKIS at the heart of the agricultural innovation ecosystem

What is an Agricultural Knowledge and Innovation System (AKIS)?

What:

AKIS is the organisation and interaction of persons, organisations and institutions who use and produce knowledge and innovation for agriculture and interrelated fields.

Who:

The main players of the AKIS are: farmers, advisors, researchers, (farmer) organisations, retailers, media, services, ministries...: they all produce and need knowledge!

Why:

The aim is to create an innovation ecosystem by enhancing knowledge flows between the AKIS players as well as strengthening links between research and practice.



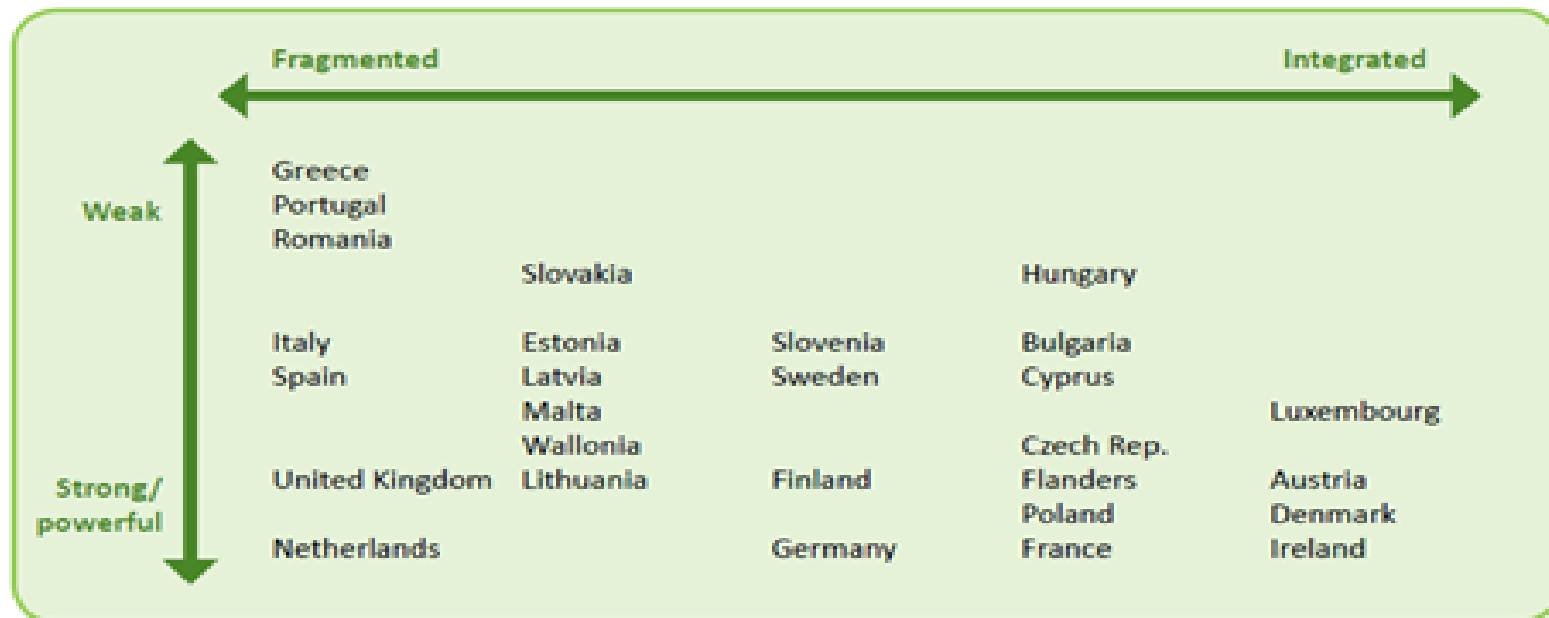
The structure of AKIS



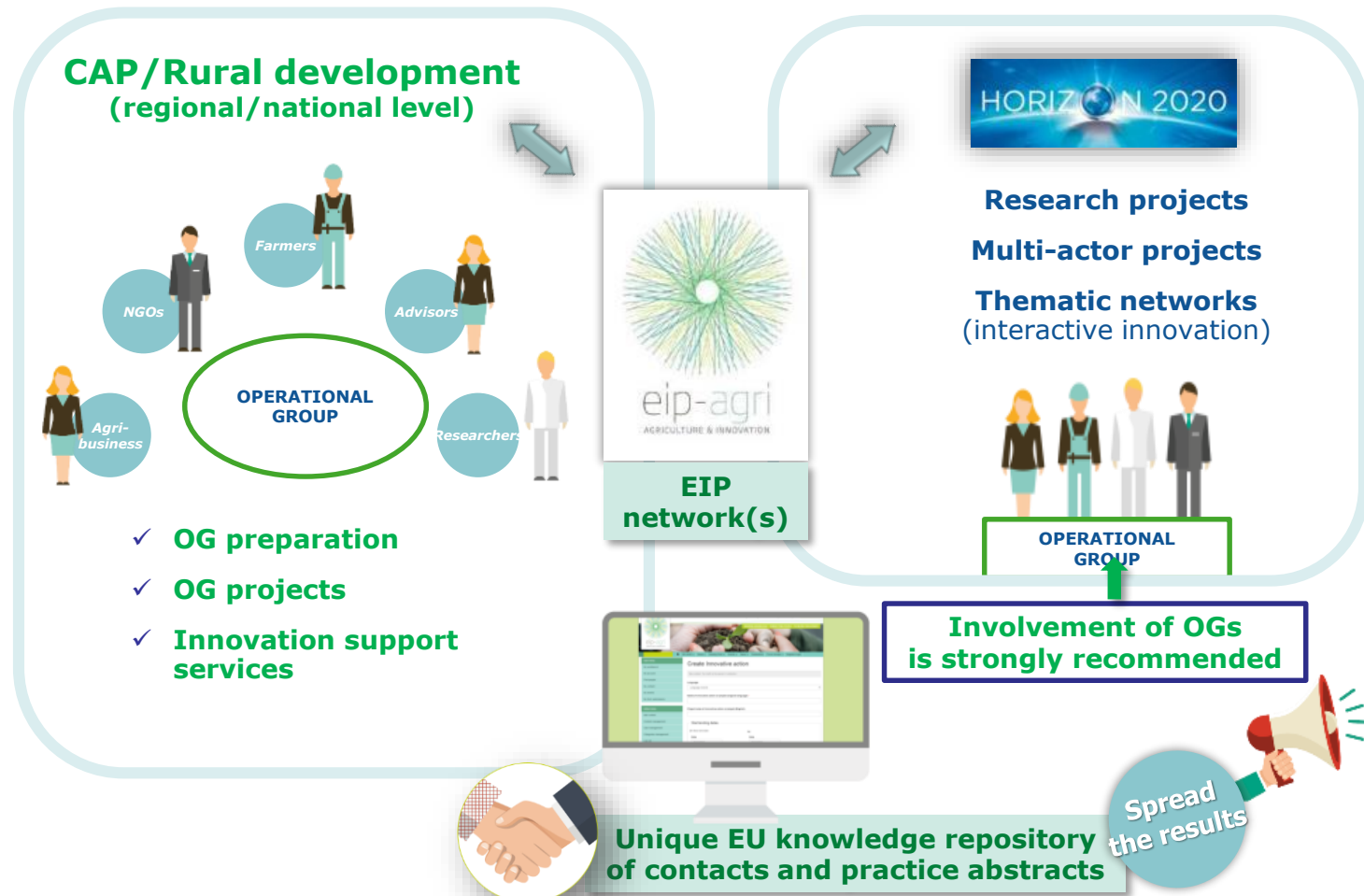
PROAKIS study: Characterising MS' AKIS



An overview (as of 2014)



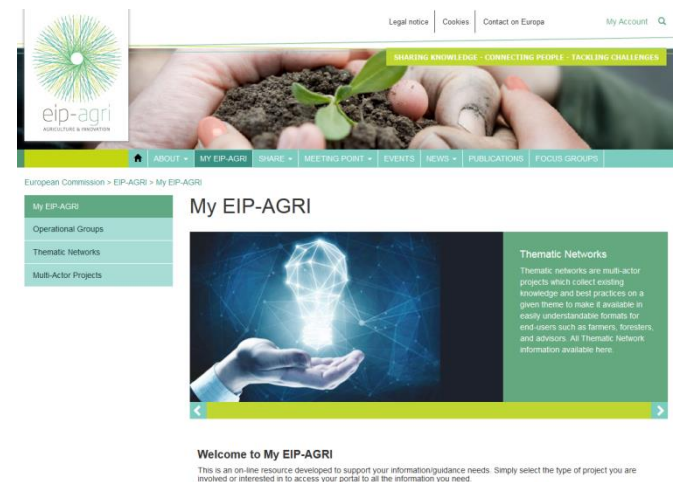
Connecting policies: the bigger EIP picture



EIP-AGRI – Where are we?

- ✓ 27 Member States, 98 rural development programmes implementing the EIP
- ✓ Around 3 200 OGs planned in 2014-2020; over 1000 OGs already running
- ✓ Over 100 H2020 multi-actor projects ongoing, including 23 thematic networks; roughly 200 multi-actor projects for 1 bio Euro H2020 in 7 years
- ✓ A growing and thriving network

An increasing volume of
practice-oriented knowledge !



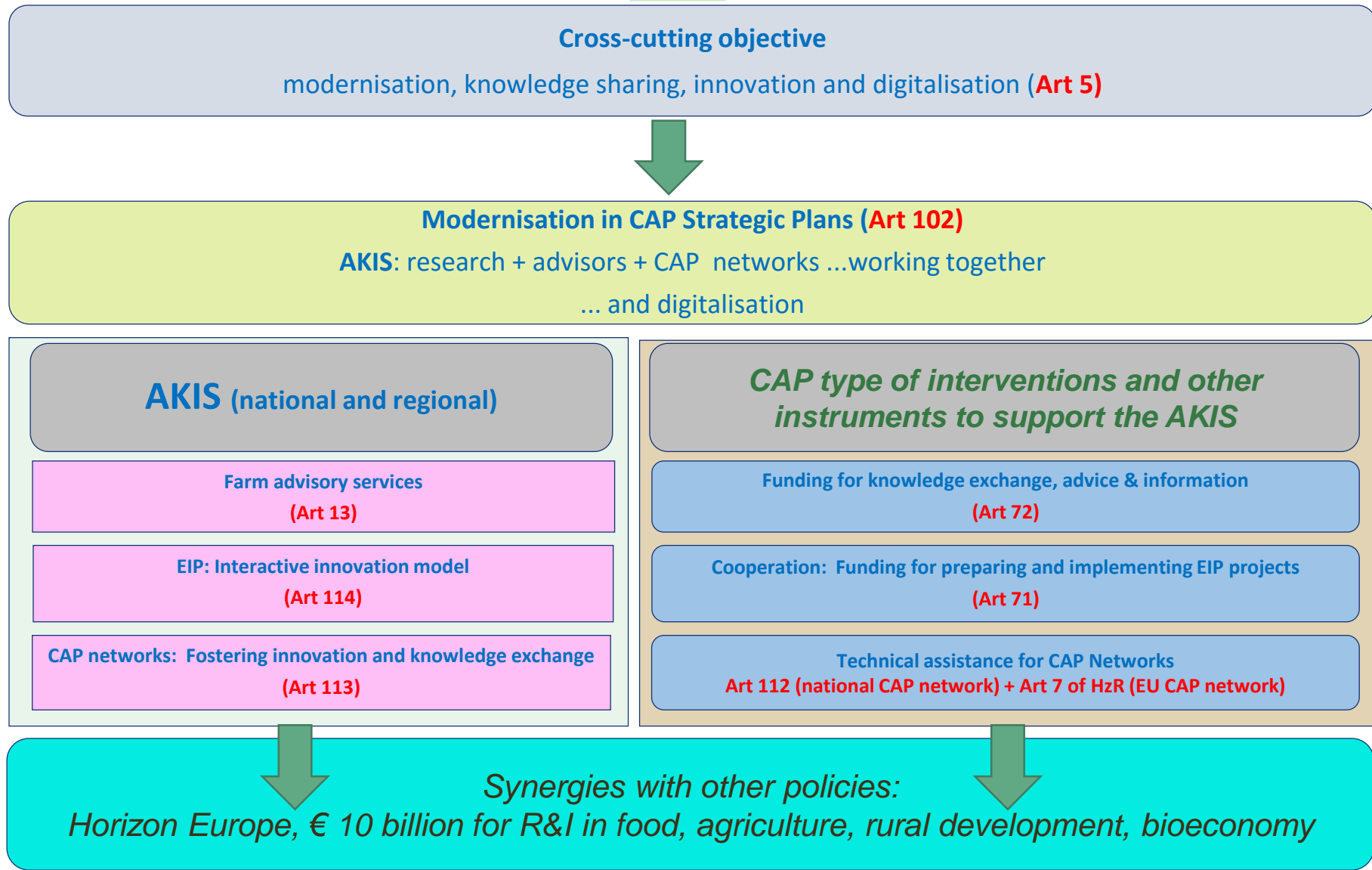
The screenshot shows the EIP-AGRI website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for 'Legal notice', 'Cookies', 'Contact on Europe', and 'My Account'. Below this is a banner image of hands holding soil with a small plant growing, accompanied by the tagline 'SHARING KNOWLEDGE - CONNECTING PEOPLE - TACKLING CHALLENGES'. The main content area features a sidebar with 'My EIP-AGRI' and sub-sections for 'Operational Groups', 'Thematic Networks', and 'Multi-Actor Projects'. The main content area displays 'My EIP-AGRI' with a large image of a hand holding a glowing network structure and a text box titled 'Thematic Networks' explaining that these are multi-actor projects that collect existing knowledge and best practices. At the bottom, there is a 'Welcome to My EIP-AGRI' message and a brief description of the portal's purpose.

www.eip-agri.eu

Modernisation of the CAP in the draft CAP Plan Regulation

**From funding innovative projects.....
.....to a whole innovation ecosystem**

Integrated approach to develop a knowledge based agriculture: overview of relevant AKIS provisions



Building an "EU AKIS"

*Speed up creativity and
practice application*

*Better connectivity and
quicker circulation of
information*

Thank you!

