

Planning LEADER 2021-2027

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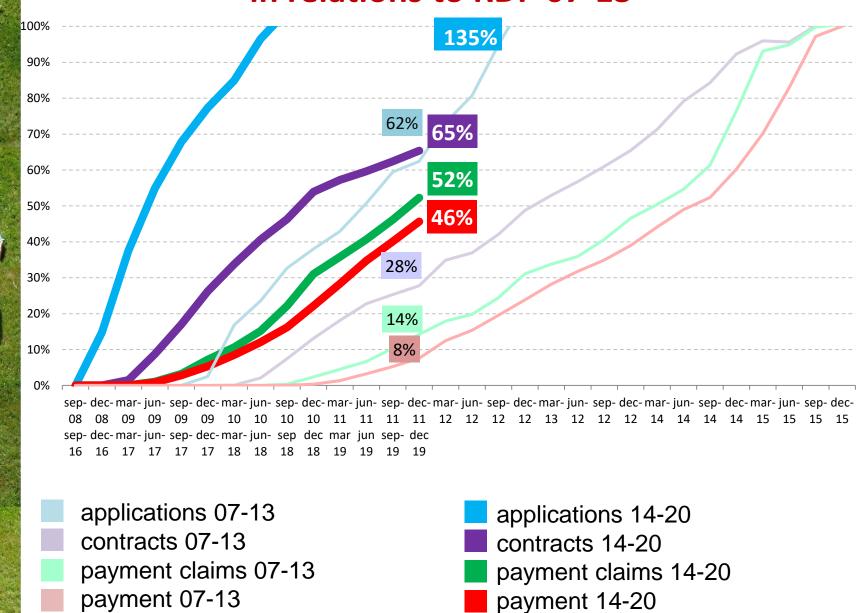




The key elements that worked well in current LEADER

- Simplified cost options (running costs, business start-ups)
- Broad scope and various types of support menu to select
- Performance review (milestones) and bonuses
- Lead fund in running costs (in case of multifund LDS)

% progress of LSR implementation in RDP 14-20 in relations to RDP 07-13





The main motivation to start the consultation process

The early agreement on:

the LAGs role, scope of support and main principles provides opportunities for better implementation



The main choices for the future LEADER

- The biggest change which is considered is selection of LDS
- Themes for the scope of LDS proposed by LAGs as open as possible, taken into account New Delivery Model and indicators
- Still job creation but possible new themes: renewable energy, tackling climate change
- More focus on animation, reduction of administrative burden
- Multifund approach only if LEAD fund is feasible



Consultations and the next steps we are planning (1)

- Already started with a big conference (LAGs, Paying Agency, Marshall Offices, MA, DG Agri, DG Regio, DG Empl, FARNET) on 30th September – 2nd October 2019;
- Written consultation, thematic group operating since 2010
- Elements of Draft CAP plan will be published soon
- Study on LAGs and LDS already done (EGO).



Consultations and the next steps we are planning (2)

Main recommendations:

- LAG more focused on animation (separate budget for animation activities?)
- Not competitive based on negotiations LDS selection common rules and deadline for LDS selection for all funds
- LAG current model with a separate decision-making body (Council)
- LDS a short document for inhabitants of the area (wide range forms of support, but only few areas covered by support)
- Common rules for granting support from various funds



Expectations

- Agreement on LDS selection,
- Role of LAGs, space for animation, no task overlapping
- Common basic indicators clearly defined
- Proper monitoring of LDS
- Scope of LDS (shortened and less heavy)



Thank you your attention

