



Financial needs in the Croatian agriculture and the role of financial instruments

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Setting up RDP FIs – 1st things 1st

Ex-ante analysis / Financing gap per sector





AGRI

> EUR 464.78 million/year



FOOD

> EUR 768.28 million/year



FOREST

> EUR 51.79 million/year

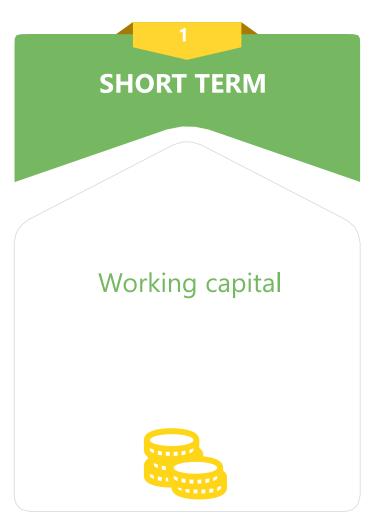




Setting up RDP Fis – 1st things 1st

Ex-ante analysis / Demand and supply





Limited supply



Machinery, land purchase, plant extensions, new technology,..









General RDP 2014-2020 FI settings

Types of investments, final recipients and allocation



RDP Measures / Sub-measures

Potential final recipients

- In line with relevant RDP Measure conditions and Micro/Small/Medium in size
- Family farms, Crafts, Enterprises, Producer Groups, Cooperatives

M4 – 4.1, 4.2 (Agri-food, Manure, RES)

M6 – 6.4 (Diversification)

M8 – 8.6 (Forestry)

Financial allocation for Micro/Small loans under RDP (implemented by HAMAG BICRO)



+ 389 %

17.6 MEUR (15 MEUR EAFRD) in 2018

86.1 MEUR (73.2 MEUR EAFRD) in 2022



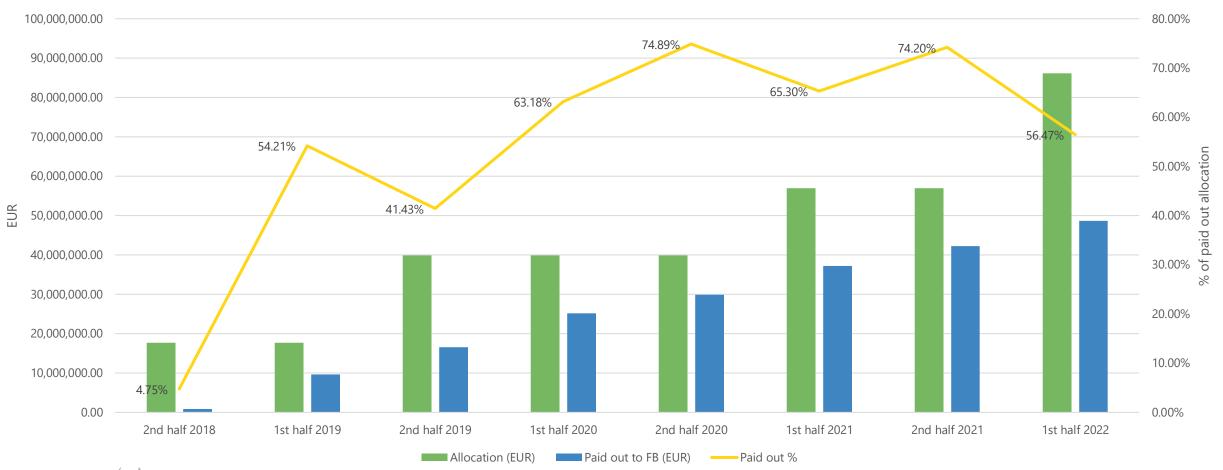


Micro/Small Loans Trends

FI implementation period 2018 onwards



Micro / Small Loans







FI attractiveness = in line with the needs

Constant adaptation to the needs from "the field"



- Introduction of Micro loans for Standalone Working Capital due to COVID-19 implications
- Increase of ceiling for Small loans from EUR 50 000 to EUR 100 000
- Increase of allocation in several occasions
- Extended Maturity period for rural tourism projects in less developed regions
 - from 5 up to 7 years Micro investment loans
 - from 10 up to 12 years Small loans
- Extended Maturity period for perennial orchards
- from 12 up to 60 months Small loans



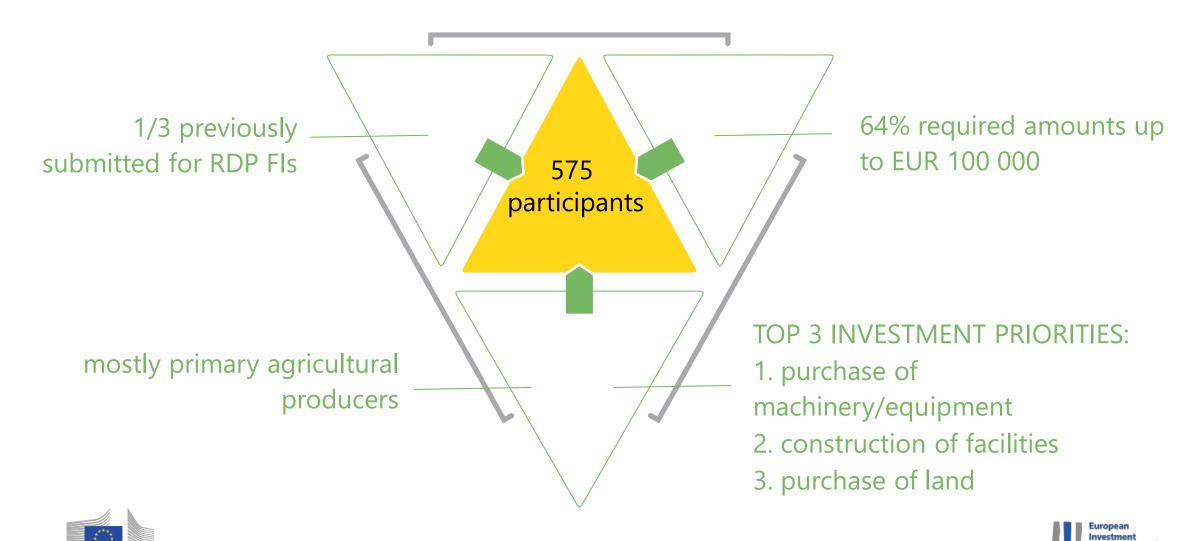




Future plans – ask them and then decide

Survey – existing and potential final recipients

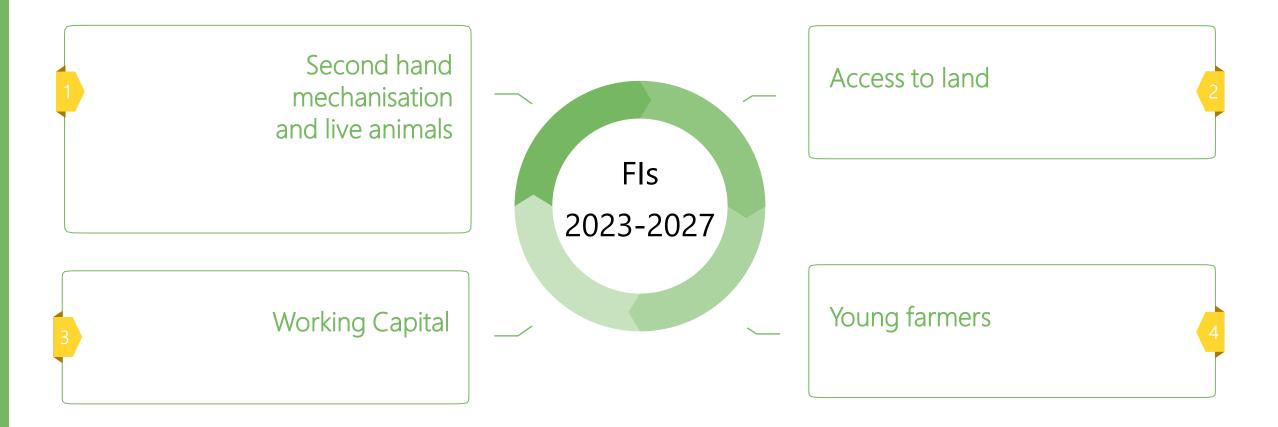




Analysis of RDP FIs implementation

Internal MA analysis









Proposed CAP SP FI Interventions





Support for investments in primary agricultural production

FOOD

Support for investments in the processing of agricultural products

DIVERSIFICATION

Business development in rural areas







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