

EU CAP Network cross-visit 'Irrigation – optimising water use practices in annual (and perennial) crops'

AGENDA

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7-8 May 2025 | Thessaloniki, Greece

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The working language will be English and there will be no interpretation.

Participants arrive at the hotel the day before the start of the cross-visit (6 May 2025).

Timing	Day 1: Wednesday 7 May 2025
8:30 – 9:00	Arrival at the venue and registration
09:00 – 9:20	Welcome and introduction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> › <i>Anikó Seregélyi - Unit D1 'Rural areas and networks', DG AGRI, European Commission</i> › <i>Ineke van Vliet - EIP-AGRI Support Facility</i>
9:20 – 9:40	Get-to-know each other activity
9:40 – 10:45	Learning about participating projects and finding commonalities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> › Reviewing the online meeting outcomes › Starting to identify commonalities between projects – interactive discussions
10:45 – 11:05	<i>Coffee break</i>
11:05 – 12:15	Learning about participating projects and finding commonalities (continued)
12:15 – 12:30	Discussing common challenges, developed and missing solutions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> › Sharing insights on common challenges, developed and missing solutions – <i>interactive discussions</i>
12:30 – 14:30	<i>Departure from Porto Palace Hotel to lunch on the road to field visit 1</i>
14:30 – 18:00	Field visits to Operational Groups <ul style="list-style-type: none"> › IRRISMA - Smart system of reduced inputs in agriculture and irrigation water management › SISRICE - Automated services for the management of rice irrigation using in-field sensors
19:45 – 22:00	<i>Networking dinner</i>



Timing	Day 2: Thursday 08 May 2025
08:45 – 09:00	Arrival at the venue and registration
09:00 – 09:20	Reflecting on Day 1
09:20 – 09:50	Identifying complementarities among projects <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Looking for inspirational points for future collaboration – <i>interactive discussions</i>
09:50 – 10:15	Inspiring collaboration opportunities for OGs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Synergies between CAP and Horizon: Opportunities for EIP-AGRI Operational Groups– <i>Anikó Seregélyi</i> ➤ Horizon project: t.b.d.
10:15 – 11:15	Identifying potential future collaborations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Identifying thematic areas and structuring common ideas for collaboration – <i>interactive discussions</i>
11:15 – 11:30	<i>Coffee break</i>
11:30 – 12:30	Identifying potential future collaborations (continued) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Aligning for common action through concrete proposals for collaboration – <i>interactive discussions</i>
12:30 – 12:40	Summarising the outcomes of the cross-visit
12:40 – 13:00	Evaluation of the cross-visit Closing remarks – <i>Ineke van Vliet and Anikó Seregélyi</i>
13:00 – 14:00	<i>Lunch</i>
14:00	End of the cross-visit

