

EU CAP Network Cooperation Corner at LINC2025

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This presentation

About the EU CAP
Network

Support to
LEADER

LAG profile
features

Introduction to the
mini workshops



About the EU CAP Network

Evaluation
Helpdesk (EH)

Innovation & Knowledge
Exchange (EIP-AGRI)

CAP Implementation
CP (CAPI CP)



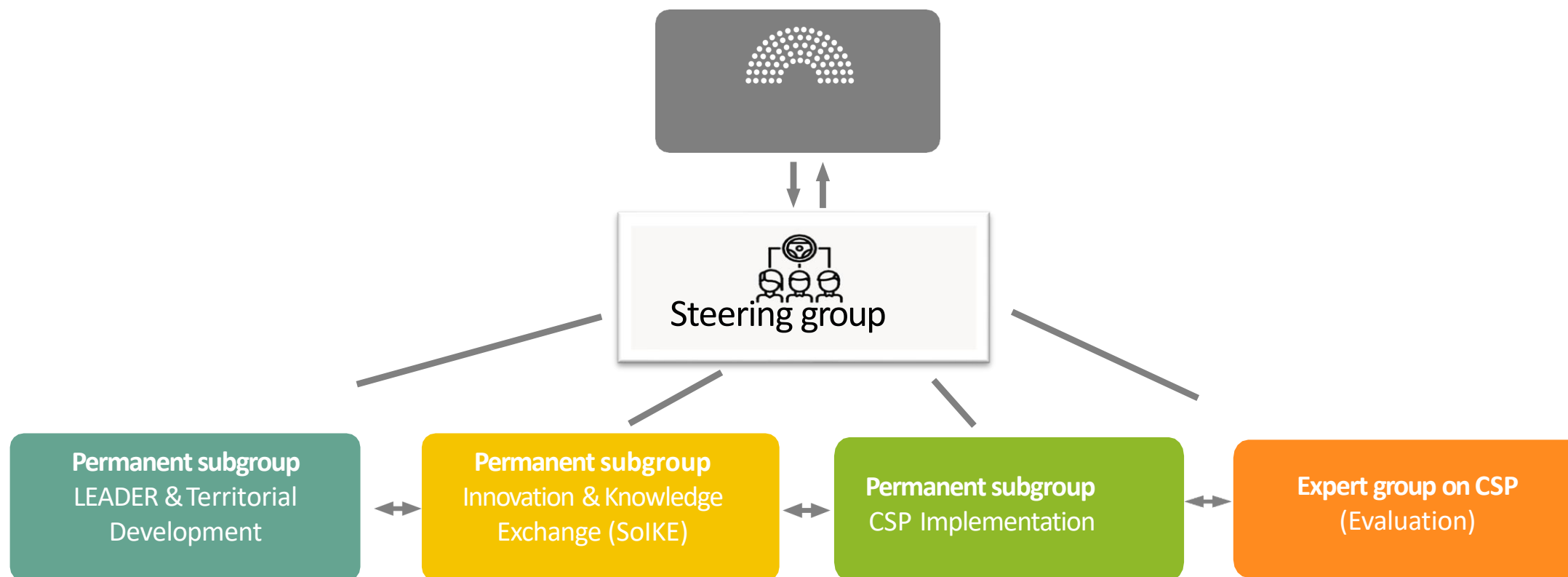
What does the EU CAP Network support?



- ✦ **Design and implementation of CAP strategic plans.**
- ✦ **Innovation and knowledge exchange, including EIP-AGRI.**
- ✦ **Evaluation and monitoring of the CAP.**



Governance Structure



Agriculture & Rural Inspiration Awards (ARIA)



ARIA objectives



To increase the visibility of rural development and agriculture in EU



To demonstrate innovative solutions affecting rural communities



To promote a mindset of reskilling and upskilling in agriculture



To present best practice examples

2025 – ‘Shaping tomorrow together’

- Environmental protection
- Smart & competitive agriculture
- Socio-economic fabric of rural areas
- Generational renewal

Special awards: Gender equality; Popular Vote



AGRICULTURAL
& RURAL
INSPIRATION
AWARDS



ICE-BREAKER – Who is in the room?



Support to LEADER

Discover



LEADER Explained

Discover about the origins of the LEADER approach and its key characteristics.

[Find out more >](#)

LEADER Transnational Cooperation (TNC)

Find out all the tools developed by the EU CAP Network to support your TNC experience.

[Find out more >](#)

LEADER LAG Directory

Connect with LEADER Local Action Groups across Europe from the 2023-2027 programming period.

[Find out more >](#)

EU CAP Network /
LEADER section

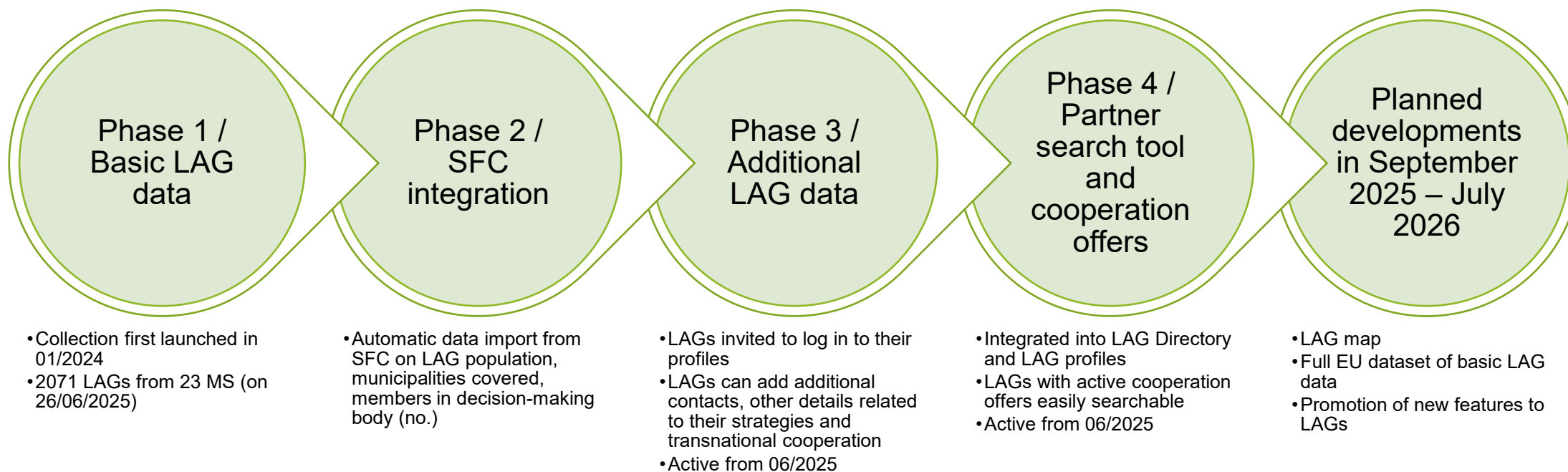


The LAG Directory – purpose

- To provide information about EU LAGs and their Local Development Strategies in the EU CAP Network website
- To facilitate cooperation among LAGs through the integrated partner search functions of the LAG Directory



The LAG Directory – phases of development





Partner search and cooperation offers search

Partner search (in LAG Directory)

EU CAP NETWORK

English Search

EU CAP Network News and events Networking Projects and practice Themes Resources

Home > Networking > LEADER/CLLD > LAG Directory > Search LAG Directory

Filter results

Filter by

Interested in LEADER TNC (16)

Free text search

Enter keyword

Apply

Country ✓

Main Fund ✓

Themes ✓

Search LAG Directory

2071 results

LAG | AUSTRIA

LAG Almenland & Energieregion Weiz-Gleisdorf

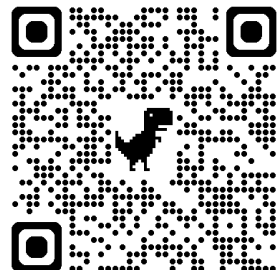
EFMD Food supply chains, Climate change and environmental sustainability (+4)

LAG | AUSTRIA

LAG Attersee-Attergau (REGATTA)

LAG | AUSTRIA

LAG Biosphäre Lungau



LEADER Cooperation offers

Home > Networking > LEADER/CLLD > LEADER Transnational Cooperation (TNC) > LEADER Cooperation Offers

LEADER Cooperation Offers

LEADER Transnational Cooperation (TNC) is an effective mechanism for helping rural areas in different Member States or third countries to jointly develop and share new solutions to common issues.

Browse TNC offers

LEADER TNC encourages and supports Local Action Groups (LAGs) to undertake a joint action, often a project, with another LEADER group or with a group taking a similar approach, in another region or Member State or even in non-EU countries. The ambition of LEADER TNC is to help local actors improve the potential of their areas.

Click on the 'Browse TNC offers' button above and find both current and expired cooperation offers published by LAGs. This tool complements the TNC partner search, which is integrated into the LAG Directory.

Use the filters to refine your search for cooperation offers.








Other LEADER Cooperation support tools

20 factsheets as of
25/06/2025

- The [LEADER Transnational Cooperation](#) section of the EU CAP Network website
 - [Practical Guide to TNC](#)
 - [TNC factsheets](#) (regularly updated based on information provided by Member States)
 - Partner Search

TNC Factsheets

 Austria → Belgium
Flanders → Croatia → Republic of
Cyprus → Czechia → Denmark → Finland → Germany → Greece → Hungary → Ireland → Italy → Latvia → Lithuania → Luxembourg → Netherlands → Poland → Slovenia → Spain → Sweden →

Summary – TNC factsheets

> Start of TNC

- › In 2025: Cyprus, Czechia, Greece, Latvia, Poland, Hungary, Denmark
- › Other MS already started

> Priorities and themes

- › In LDS / based on MS level list: Belgium (Flanders), Ireland, Poland
- › In LDS / set by LAGs: all other MSs

> Lead partner

- › Not an eligibility criteria for a TNC project: Austria, Czechia, Netherlands, Sweden

> Approval by MA or PA after selection by LAG

- › More than 6 months: Czechia, Hungary
- › Less than 6 months: all other MSs

> Budget

- › Based on LDS up to a certain limit set at MS level: Czechia, Lithuania
- › Specific allocation for each LAG: Belgium (Flanders), Luxembourg
- › In LDS / by LAG: all other MSs

> Calls

- › Continuously open: Belgium (Flanders), Cyprus, Czechia, Greece, Latvia, Luxembourg, Ireland, Sweden
- › As defined by LAGs: Austria, Denmark, Finland, Lithuania, Hungary, Poland



Transnational cooperation guidance - reminder



PUBLICATION - GUIDELINES AND TOOLS | 04 MAR 2025


LEADER TNC - a practical guide

[CAP Implementation >](#) [LEADER >](#) [CAP Strategic Plans >](#)

2023-2027

The EU CAP Network has created a practical guide that aims to provide advice, tips for planning and step-by-step implementation of LEADER TNC projects under the CAP Strategic Plans (CSP) 2023-2027.

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LEADER Newsletter (June edition)

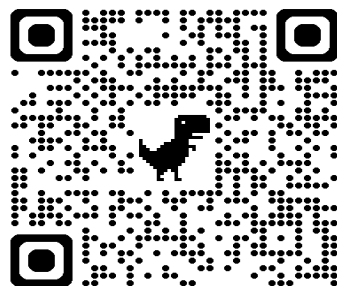
› Featuring articles about

- › LEADER for community resilience and security in the Baltic Sea Region
- › Bringing the EU to the kitchen table: communicating LEADER (in Finland)
- › Tackling disinformation
- › Integrated for impact: Czechia's multi-fund CLLD model
- › Networking with LEADER in spring 2025 (short summary of EU CAP Network activities)
- › Smart Villages in Lithuania: innovation for rural future
- › The LAG Directory
- › The present and future of the rural world

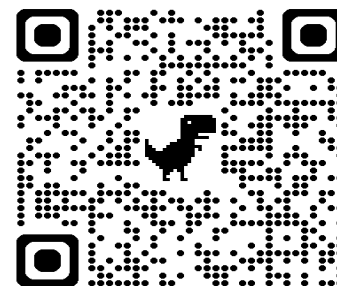
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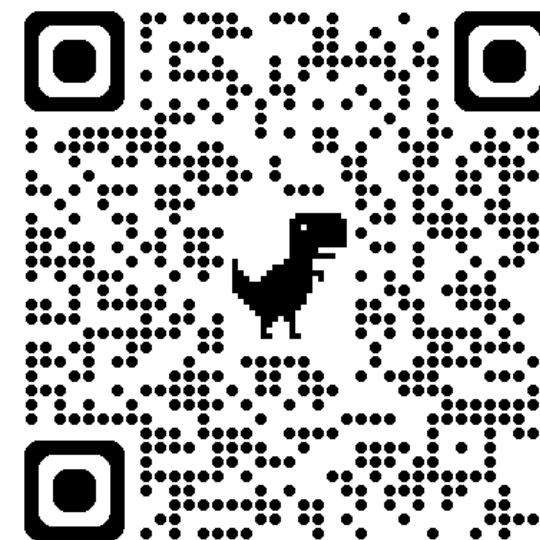
Planned LEADER activities – EU CAP Network (September 2025 – July 2026)

- › Further improvements to the LAG Directory and LEADER Transnational Cooperation support (continuous)
- › Supporting community of practice for members of the Subgroup on LEADER and Territorial Development (continuous)
- › Informal meeting with Managing Authorities (on a quarterly basis)
- › LEADER Newsletter (up to 4 editions, first edition planned for September 2025)
- › Workshop on Simplified Cost Options (including, but not only LEADER, November 2025)
- › 4th Subgroup on LEADER and Territorial Development (February 2026)
- › Workshop on LEADER and Social Resilience (June 2026)
- › Participation at LEADER events (LINC, ELARD, etc.)



Dedicated website section for LAG managers / LAG profile management

- › A gateway to LAG profiles management for LAG managers, including
 - › A log in button
 - › Guidance for LAG managers
 - › An FAQ



REMEMBER!

You can only log in to your LAG's profile with the email address you received the invitation to!



Demonstrating the LAG profile functions

LAG Kitzbüheler Alpen

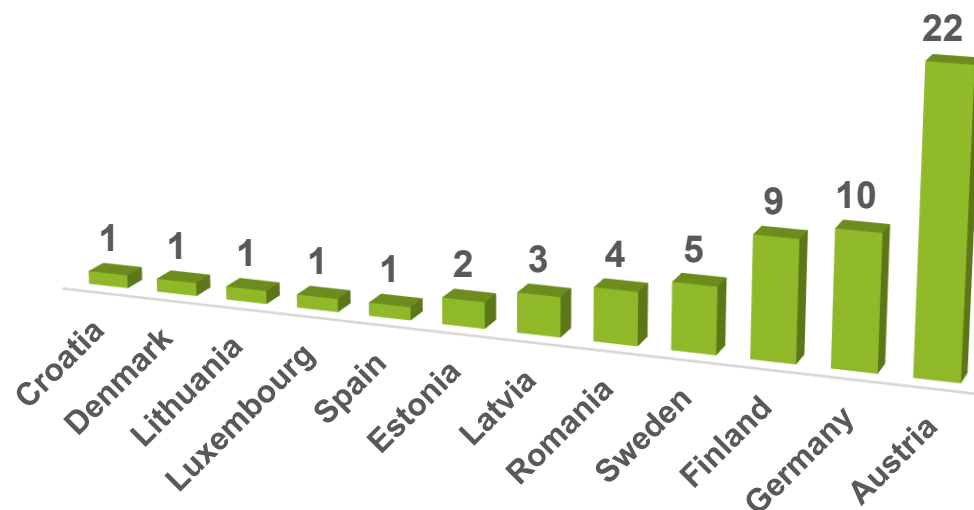


Introduction to the thematic discussions / mini workshops

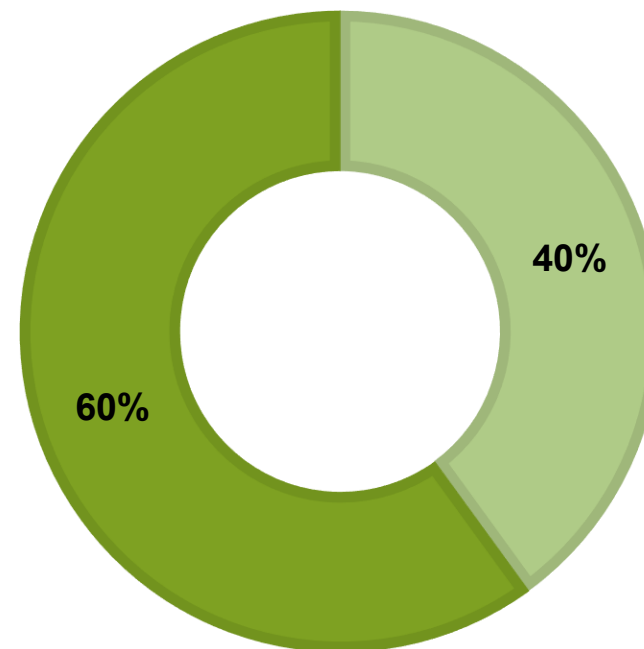
based on your responses to our short questionnaire



Member States, experience



■ Number of responses

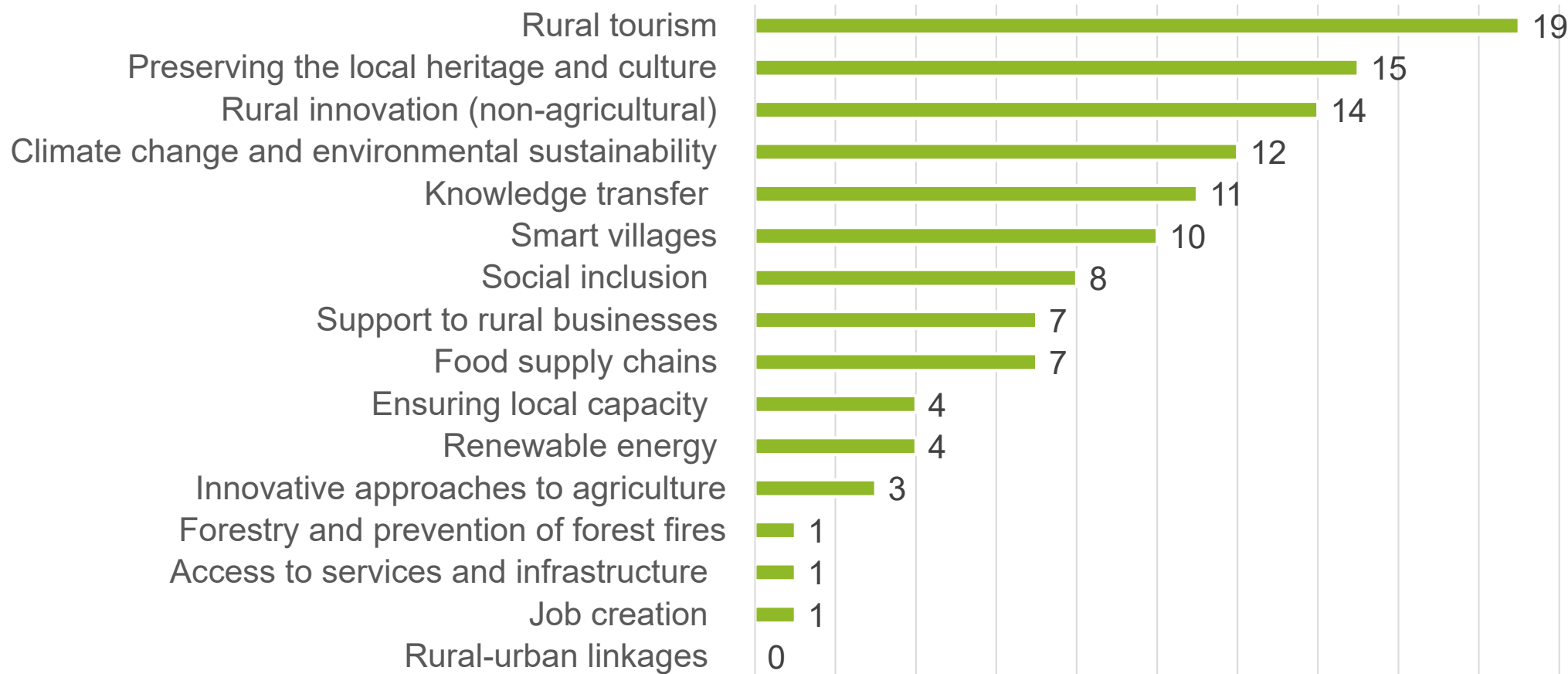


■ Some experience with TNC projects
■ No experience with TNC projects

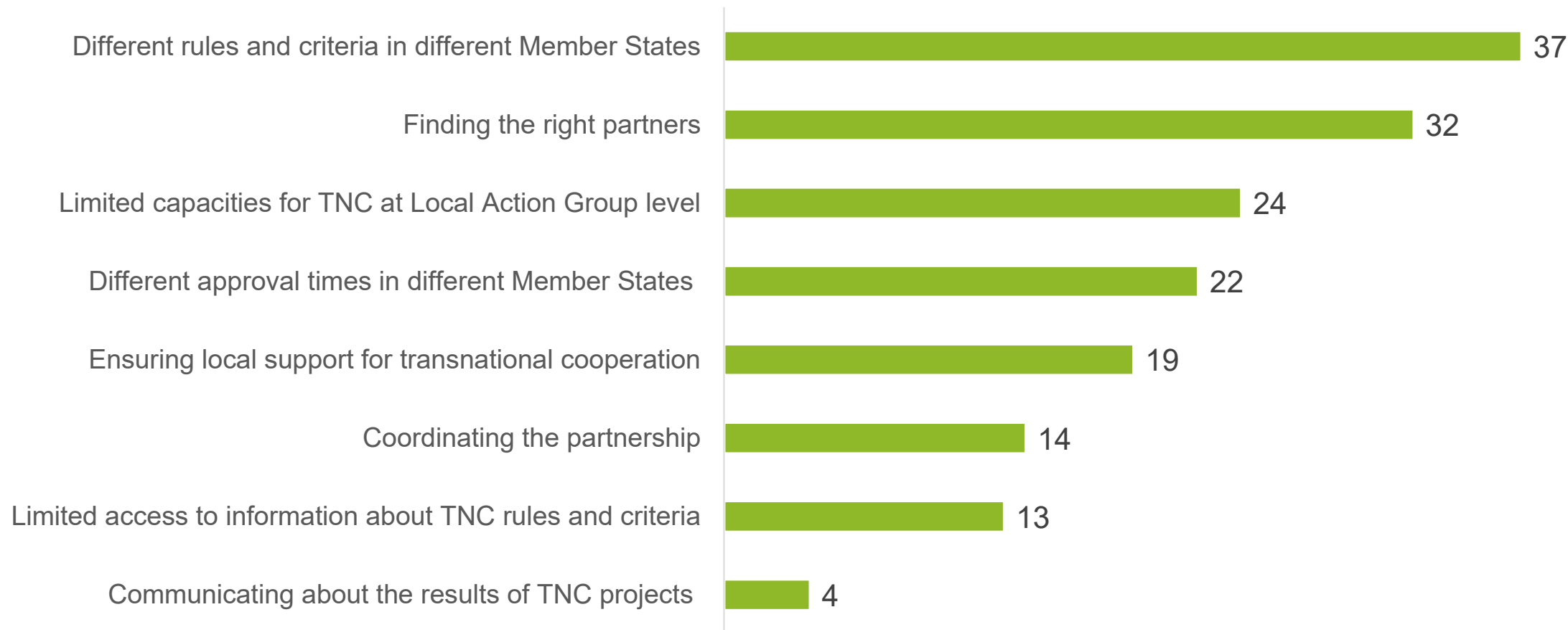
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Your preferred topics



TNC challenges



Group discussion / mini workshops (60')

> Focus on

- > Project ideas – based on posters OR your fresh ideas

- > Challenges

> Horizontal / cross-cutting themes (can be discussed in all groups)

- > Social inclusion

Rural tourism

Heritage and culture

Rural businesses,
innovation (non-
agricultural)

Climate change,
environment,
renewable energy

Knowledge transfer

Smart Villages

Food supply chains
and innovation in
agriculture

Check your
theme card!



Project ideas from Local Action Groups

> Rural tourism

- › Roots tourism (Finland, LEADER Northernmost Lapland)
- › An adventure of tastes and sensations – developing of new tourism products (Latvia, North Latgale LAG)
- › Voices of heritage – sustainable future for / by tourist guides (Finland, LEADER Ravakka)
- › Establishment of collective memory points in the 3 component counties of the Somesului Valley GAL (Romania, GAL Valea Somesului)
- › The Atlas of Rural Beauty (Romania, LAG NAPOCA Porolissum)

> Climate – environment – renewable energy

- › GEN-ECO – Generations for ecology and rural innovation (Romania, LAG NAPOCA Porolissum)

> Heritage and culture

- › Wine tourism / landscape and people (Portugal, Grater Adeliacor)

> Food supply chains and innovation in agriculture

- › From field to feast – cultivating slow food and agrotourism in Europe (Estonia, Germany, Italy / Kodukant Läänemaa, Hiidlaste Koostöökogu, LAG Lahn-Dill-Wetzlar, LAG Pustertal (associated partner))



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