

Meeting of the SWG SCAR AKIS Strategic Working Group on Agricultural Knowledge and Innovation Systems

Good practices & challenges of knowledge
exchange activities in the **current** period
+ plans for the **future** e.g. in
CAP AKIS Strategic plans

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Which good practices for knowledge exchange activities work well in your country/region?

Which good practices of knowledge exchange activities work well in the current period ?

1. Advisory M2

1. Wide array. Well used. Developing system. Voucher. Selection criteria.

2. Co-operation M16

1. Small scale demonstrations (“day by the field”). Farmers, advisors and reserchers taking part.
2. Smart Regions and Natural Resources education and research institutions finding each other.
3. 110 % EIP and hundreds of other innovative projects
4. SME group projects (min. 3 SME + expert/coordinator)

Which challenges for knowledge exchange activities do you see in your country/region?

- 1) We need national process for better interlinking and information flow between AKIS –partners. Especially research and advisory which are in place and serving inpartially but working too much separately.
- 2) Public resources decreased:
 - education of new farmers is not giving adequate business management skills
 - research funding is narrowing
 - future EAFRD funding decreasing

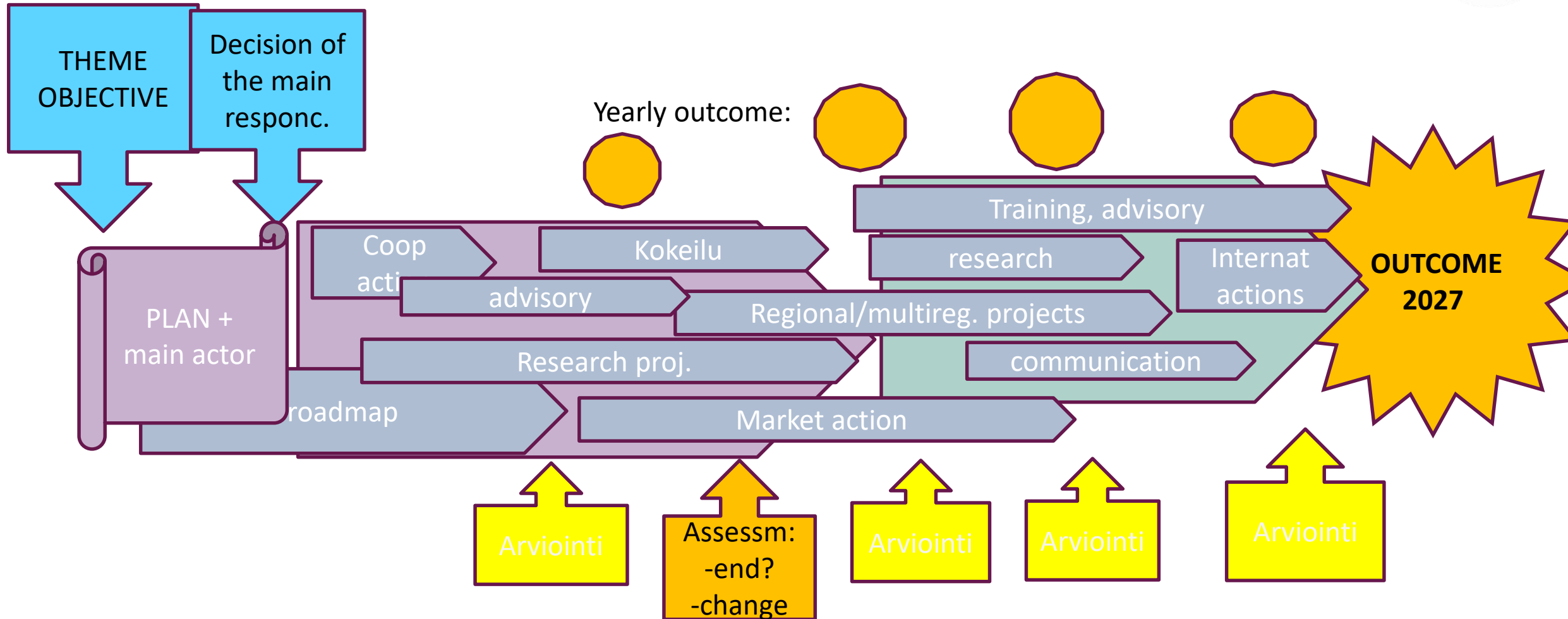
Which knowledge exchange activities would you like to see planned in the CAP AKIS plan of your country/region?

- M2: - data system to be further developed (management)
- feedback system needed to ensure the quality.
- training and information of advisors
- even wider needs: e.g. rural micro entrepreneurs
- M1: - new training models for busy farmers
- M16: - proper funding in CAP plan
- innovation Support Service to be developed
- aid for group formation
- regional application process for EIP OG's

Responsible coordination projects on the key aspects:



Guiding group (all interested partners) following closely yearly outcome and actions in nat / regional level



Long term coordination project under CAP guiding, assisting + national, regional private projects to the GOAL

Discussion:

All comments and suggestions very welcome!



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