

Name of Rural Network

Réseau rural du
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Mission Statement and Strategic Objectives of the Rural Network

The main objectives of the National Rural Network (NRN) are to facilitate the sharing of information and experiences amongst stakeholders in rural development, in order to improve the quality of rural development projects and the sustainability of their results at national and European level. The NRN also seeks to strengthen the competencies of rural development actors, and promote their contribution to national and European networks.

In addition the NRN encourages the collaboration of all stakeholders in EAFRD measures (farmers, environmentalists, municipalities, Local Action Groups [LAGs]) with a view to promoting the development of integrated projects which are multi-sectoral or transversal in character and involve several axes of the Rural Development Programme (RDP).

To achieve this, a tool for sharing experiences and information will be available to actors. This will be complemented by training and technical support for cooperation to boost transnational partnerships.

The network will also lobby to increase awareness of rural development matters at national level.

Participants in the Rural Network

- The network is characterized by a pre-determined formal membership open to the public sector and the stakeholder organisations. The network is not open to individuals.

Network Structure

- The Network Support Unit is established within the Managing Authority, is not delegated to a ministerial agency or other institution and is not outsourced.
- The network doesn't have regional NSUs.
- NSU's Human Resources is composed of two persons.

Network Management

- The management decisions in your network involve less formal decision-making processes.

Network Budget for the period 2007–13

Network budget		Budget breakdown	
	€		€
Total network funds (Public Cost)	225.000	Total Network funds (Public Costs)	225.000
National co-finance	225.000	Work plan resources	225.000
EAFRD	/	Network running costs	/
EAFR Co-financing %	0 %	Others (if appropriate)	/